



## *A Proclamation by the Governor*

**WHEREAS**, the United States Congress has designated the day of the annual National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service as a day to honor firefighters and emergency services personnel who have sacrificed their lives to save others; and

**WHEREAS**, an average of 100 firefighters courageously make the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty each year in the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, firefighters and emergency services personnel, both career and volunteer, play an essential role in the protection of lives and property in our local communities; and

**WHEREAS**, recognition should be paid to the duties, responsibilities, hazards, and sacrifices faced by fire and emergency services personnel on a daily basis; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Memorial Service marks the beginning of the annual Fire Prevention Week observance; and

**WHEREAS**, it is of major importance that we increase our efforts to reduce deaths, injuries, and property losses from fire;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim October 11, 2014, as**

### **NEVADA FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL DAY**



*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2014.

By the Governor: \_\_\_\_\_ Governor

By Ross Miller Secretary of State

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy