State of Nevada

Executive Department

A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, 2014 is the "Year of the Veteran" in Nevada; and

WHEREAS, our country's military - past, present and fallen - need to be remembered, recognized and honored for their sacrifices for our freedom; and

WHEREAS, Nevada was born during wartime and its citizens have served our nation courageously and proudly in uniform for over 150 years; and

WHEREAS, we remember those who have fought so bravely to protect our freedoms from those who seek to do us harm, and we want to honor those who were wounded in the fight for freedom; and

WHEREAS, the organization Nation of Patriots has initiated a nationwide effort in which one U.S. flag travels throughout the country for 100 days in honor and respect of all members of the United States Armed Forces. The Nevada Nation of Patriots riders, have proudly volunteered to carry this U.S. flag across the State of Nevada on July 22, 2014, asking all proud citizens to participate in a united recognition of the U.S. Military; and

WHEREAS, we will never forget the many sacrifices made every day by the members from all branches of the American Military to maintain the freedoms precious to all Americans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim July 22, 2014, as

NATION OF PATRIOTS 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 3rd day of July, 2014.

By the Governor: _____ *Governor*

_____ *Secretary of State*

By _____ *Deputy*