



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, the State of Nevada is committed to ensuring the safety and security of all those living in and visiting our state; and

WHEREAS, low blood supply is a public safety concern both locally and nationally, and our hospitals and medical centers need to sustain a healthy supply for our residents and visitors; and

WHEREAS, Las Vegas alone requires 250 units of blood on any given day and over 91,000 units a year; and

WHEREAS, Northern Nevada requires approximately 125 units of blood daily and over 45,600 units a year; and

WHEREAS, one pint of blood can help save three patient's lives, possibly saving over 400,000 lives in Nevada each year; and

WHEREAS, the 2015 Nevada Blood Donation Day effectively serves to remind us that we need to replenish our blood supply through donation and community awareness;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim April 25, 2015, as

NEVADA BLOOD DONATION 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 23rd day of March, 2015.

By the Governor: _____ Governor

Barbara K. Cegavske
Secretary of State

By _____ Deputy