



## *A Proclamation by the Governor*

**WHEREAS**, the continued growth and success of Nevada's economy depends upon a workforce equipped with 21<sup>st</sup> century skills in the areas of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM skills); and

**WHEREAS**, STEM skills have been and continue to be applied in the areas of aeronautics and aviation technology in order to develop cutting-edge improvements in transportation, communication, defense, and other critical sectors; and

**WHEREAS**, the Terry Lee Wells Nevada Discovery Museum has partnered with the Aerospace Learning Xperience (ALEX) to coordinate the Inaugural ALEX Day at the Discovery Museum, an event designed to promote the importance of STEM skills in pursuing careers in the aeronautic and aerospace industries; and

**WHEREAS**, the Inaugural ALEX Day at the Discovery Museum will expose Nevada students to the many opportunities that are available in the aeronautic and aerospace industries, and invite them to unlock their creativity and imagination by participating in flight and robotic simulators, lab exercises, and other dynamic STEM-related activities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governor's Office of Science, Innovation, and Technology (OSIT) was re-established during the 78<sup>th</sup> Legislative Session to ensure that the state's STEM-related initiatives and programs are successfully implemented; and

**WHEREAS**, community events such as the Inaugural ALEX Day at the Discovery Museum are critical to statewide promotion of STEM skills, as well as the state's strategic objective of empowering Nevada's young learners with the tools they need to become the innovators, inventors, entrepreneurs, and creative thinkers of tomorrow;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim November 7, 2015, as a day in honor of the inaugural**

### **AEROSPACE LEARNING XPERIENCE (ALEX) DAY AT THE DISCOVERY MUSEUM**



*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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2015.

By the Governor:

Governor

*Barbara K. Segavste*  
Secretary of State

By

Deputy