



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, people of all ages and walks of life across America, and around the world, collectively witnessed an event of immense tragedy on September 11, 2001 and the events of that day transformed lives, some through personal loss, and many others through an unfamiliar sense of individual and national vulnerability; and

WHEREAS, September 11 will never, and should never, be just another day in the hearts and minds of all Americans and people around the world and the Patriot Day Proclamation officially and permanently designated September 11 as a National Day of Service and Remembrance by the President of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Nevada Volunteers, as the Governor's Commission on Service, administer the AmeriCorps - Nevada national service program which provides Nevadans an opportunity to serve across our state and plays a critical role in Nevada's ethic of service; and

WHEREAS, AmeriCorps - Nevada programs provide the team with an opportunity to strengthen communities through service, and honor the sacrifice of those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001, or who rose in service as a result of that tragedy; and

WHEREAS, in response to community needs, the Nevada Volunteers staff, and AmeriCorps - Nevada members and staff will engage in service projects in Southern Nevada on September 13 with the United Way of Southern Nevada to complete pre-event logistics to support the September 30 Day of Caring and with the Northern Nevada Food Bank on September 9 in recognition of Hunger Action Month; and

WHEREAS, in tribute to all victims of September 11, and the many who rose in service in response to the terrorist attacks, the Silver State will observe a Day of Service and Remembrance, and call upon all citizens and organizations to consider joining in this observance and engage in activities of tribute, solemn remembrance, good deeds, and charitable service;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim September 11, 2016 as a

DAY OF SERVICE AND REMEMBRANCE IN NEVADA



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 29th day of August, 2016.

By the Governor: _____ Governor

Barbara K. Cegusko
Secretary of State

By _____ Deputy