



## *A Proclamation by the Governor*

**WHEREAS**, the Artists Co-operative of Reno ("ACR") has maintained a volunteer cooperative since May of 1966, at 627 Mill Street in the City of Reno, providing an outlet and basis of support for local and regional artists and their collectors; and

**WHEREAS**, the sale of Nevada artistic works and crafts promoted by ACR for the last 50 years has been, and continues to be, an important stimulus to our local and state economies; and

**WHEREAS**, ACR has provided support to local non-profit organizations through a percentage of sales, including non-profit partners such as The Nevada Rock Art Foundation, Nevada Land Trust, SPCA, Nevada Journeys, Paws for Love, Veterans Guest House, Animal Ark, and many more; and

**WHEREAS**, ACR provides an important service as an outlet for collectors and sellers of "Nevada Heritage" art, helping to perpetuate the rich history of local art and facilitating the creative expressions of Nevada's talented community of artists; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Nevada congratulates the Artists Co-operative of Reno on its fiftieth anniversary, with appreciation for its role in promoting culture and the arts in this state, with best wishes for many more successful years to come;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**, do hereby proclaim May 1, 2016, as a day in honor of the

**FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARTISTS CO-OPERATIVE OF RENO**



*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 28th day of April, 2016.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Governor

*Barbara K. Cogan*  
Secretary of State

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