



## *A Proclamation by the Governor*

**WHEREAS**, the Genoa Bar, established in 1853, is Nevada's oldest thirst parlor; and

**WHEREAS**, many famous individuals have visited the Genoa Bar over the years, these individuals include: Mark Twain, President Ulysses S. Grant, Carol Lombard, Clark Gable, Lauren Bacall, Richard Boone, Ronnie Howard, Red Skeleton, Cliff Robertson, and all Nevada Governors; and

**WHEREAS**, a number of movies have been filmed at the Genoa Bar, these movies include: "The Shootist" featuring John Wayne, "Charley Varrick" featuring Walter Mathau and Joe Don Baker, "Honky Tonk Man" featuring Clint Eastwood, "Misery" with James Cann, Kathy Bates, Rob Reiner, and Richard Farnsworth; and

**WHEREAS**, many musicians have been welcomed to the Genoa Bar, including: Willie Nelson, Charlie Daniels, Merle Haggard, Waylon Jennings, Johnny Cash, Slim Pickens, John Denver, along with Captain and Tennille; and

**WHEREAS**, the Genoa Bar remains one of Nevada's most prized treasures and will celebrate its 160<sup>th</sup> anniversary on October 26, 2013;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**, do hereby proclaim October 26, 2013 as a day in honor of

**THE 160<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE GENOA BAR**



*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 October, 2013.

Brian Sandoval  
By the Governor Governor

Cory Miller  
Secretary of State

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Deputy