



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, behind our brave service men and women, there are family members and loved ones who share in their sacrifice and provide unending support; and

WHEREAS, this proclamation marks the beginning of a month-long celebration of the Military Family in which the Department of Defense and the nation will honor the commitment and sacrifices made by the families of the nation's service members; and

WHEREAS, throughout the month of November, Military Families serving around the world are honored through a variety of observances and recognized for their commitment and the many contributions they make every day in support of the military and our nation; and

WHEREAS, community leaders, businesses, and military bases, and posts are teaming up to recognize military families through special events such as: open houses, fun runs, family fun nights, and community dinners; discounts at retailers, local business and sporting events; and special recognitions during community activities throughout the month of November; and

WHEREAS, military affiliated non-profit organizations, veteran service organizations, and service providers are uniting together to form a coalition through the Green Zone Initiative to honor and to serve our Military Families during the month of November.

WHEREAS, Nevada Military Family Appreciation Month recognizes the selfless sacrifices made by our veterans, service members, their families, and their survivors, as well as the many organizations that are working to serve them in our state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim the month of November as

MILITARY FAMILY APPRECIATION MONTH



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 24th day of October, 2013.

By the Governor: Brian Sandoval Governor

Cors Miller Secretary of State

By _____ Deputy