

A Proclamation by the Governor of the State of Nevada

November [____]: Nevada Flood Awareness Week

Whereas, flooding creates emergencies of great concern to the State of Nevada, with imminent threat to life and property, and causes hundreds of millions of dollars in damage to homes, businesses and local government infrastructure; and

Whereas, Nevada has suffered major flooding events in 1861-62, 1907, 1950, 1955, 1963, 1986, 1997 and 2005; and

Whereas, Nevada has received 15 presidential disaster declarations for flooding since 1955; and

Whereas, Nevada communities can reduce flood damage by providing open space in floodplains; and

Whereas, Nevadans can reduce their risk and help make our communities safer and more damage resistant by taking actions to prepare for floods;

Therefore, be it resolved that I, Governor Brian Sandoval, do hereby proclaim November [____] as Nevada Flood Awareness Week.

DATED this _____ *Day of* _____ *2014*

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