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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY  
OF STATE

## STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

## Proclamation

*Whereas, the ability to speak in a clear and effective manner is a powerful and important skill that can help people overcome barriers to a measurable performance in virtually every endeavor and line of work; and*

*Whereas, by assisting in the development of essential communication and leadership skills, Toastmasters International performs a valuable service for its members and those who hear their message of opportunity, initiative, and good fellowship; and*

*Whereas, since 1924, Toastmasters' members have gained the confidence and skills to maintain successful businesses, fill roles in public and private organizations, and prepare themselves for advancement in their workplaces; and*

*Whereas, Toastmasters International has grown to more than 14,600 clubs in 126 countries, with more than 80 clubs in the state of Oklahoma, and this remarkable expansion is a direct result of the enhanced knowledge and experience that Toastmasters provides its members;*

*Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, do hereby proclaim November 2014 as*

***"Toastmasters Month"***

*in the state of Oklahoma.*

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.*



*Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fourteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and sixth year.*

ATTEST:

*Chris Drees*  
Assistant SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mary Fallin*  
GOVERNOR

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