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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY OF STATE

# STATE OF OKLAHOMA



## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

# Proclamation

**Whereas**, historically, amateur radio has played a significant role in the development of worldwide radio communications; and

**Whereas**, the state of Oklahoma has more than 10,000 amateur radio operators who continually demonstrate their value through public service; and

**Whereas**, Oklahoma amateur radio operators donate their time, skills, equipment and services to assist those in need; and

**Whereas**, amateur radio operators are on alert for tornadoes, floods, wildfires and other natural disasters and emergencies; and

**Whereas**, Oklahoma amateur radio operators generously provide communication support to service clubs, government agencies, and other organizations at no charge; and

**Whereas**, Oklahoma amateur radio operators offer free technical training to all interested residents; and

**Whereas**, an annual event known as "Field Day" helps amateur radio operators hone their emergency preparedness skills;

**Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor**, do hereby proclaim June 25 & 26, 2016, as

### **"Amateur Radio Days"**

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 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and sixteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and eighth year.*

ATTEST:



*[Signature]*  
Acting Assistant SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mary Fallin*  
GOVERNOR

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