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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

Whereas, the United States Navy is deployed on, under and over the world's oceans to protect our country and its allies and ensure the free flow of goods on the sea lanes; and

Whereas, many Oklahomans serve or have served in the Navy and Navy Reserve with honor and distinction; and

Whereas, Oklahoma has a long history of supporting the USS Oklahoma Memorial at Pearl Harbor and the crew of the USS Oklahoma City submarine; and

Whereas, Oklahoma is home to more than 1,000 sailors and 400 officers stationed at Tinker Air Force Base, hundreds of reservists assigned to reserve units at Oklahoma City's Navy Operational Support Center and recruiters stationed across the state; and

Whereas, OKC Navy Days offers a host of events each year to honor Oklahoma sailors and their families; and

Whereas, the people of Oklahoma are encouraged to join in this 11th annual Navy Days observance to support the U.S. Navy, its ships and its active-duty and reserve sailors;

Now, Therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor, do hereby proclaim Thursday, September 8, 2016, as

"US Navy Day"

in the state of Oklahoma.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereto 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 8th day of September, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and sixteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and eighth year.

Mary Fallin



ATTEST:

[Signature]
Assistant SECRETARY OF STATE

GOVERNOR

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