

**EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF
GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS
ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR
PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)**

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed. With the exception of egregious errors, content (including spelling, grammar, and punctuation) of these orders has been reproduced as submitted.

*** DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY ***
January 2010 Winter Storm

[M10-27]

WHEREAS, significant cumulative precipitation coupled with high winds has been predicted by the National Weather Service across Arizona from January 20 through approximately January 23, 2010; and

WHEREAS, this forecasted storm system, coupled with previous precipitation, is expected to lead to significant flooding which poses an extreme danger to public health and safety; and

WHEREAS, events of this magnitude cause an increased level of search and rescue missions, flooded homes and businesses, evacuations of people, opening of shelters, power outages, impacts to utility systems, road and bridge closures; and

WHEREAS, given the intensity of this situation it is expected that these demands may impose a severe hardship on local and county emergency responders; and

WHEREAS, State Agencies have started responding and incurring liabilities; and

WHEREAS, Apache, Coconino, Gila, Maricopa and Navajo Counties (to date) have declared emergencies and additional counties are anticipated to declare; and

WHEREAS, the Governor is authorized to declare an emergency pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-303(D); and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has authorized the expenditure of funds in an event of an emergency pursuant to A.R.S. § 35-192;

NOW, THEREFORE I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State, do hereby determine that the January 2010 Winter Storm event justifies a declaration of a State of Emergency, pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-303(D), and I do hereby:

- a. Declare that a State of Emergency exists in Apache, Coconino, Gila, Maricopa and Navajo Counties due to the January 2010 Winter Storm, effective January 21, 2010 and continuing; and
- b. Direct that the sum of \$200,000 from the general fund be made available to the Director of the Arizona Division of Emergency Management to be expended in accordance with A.R.S. § 35-192, A.A.C. R8-2-301 to 321, and Executive Order 79-4; and
- c. Direct that the State of Arizona Emergency Response and Recovery Plan be used to direct and control state and other assets and authorize the Director of the Arizona Division of Emergency Management to coordinate state assets; and
- d. Authorize the Adjutant General to mobilize and call to activate all or such part of the Arizona National Guard as is determined necessary to assist in the protection of life and property throughout the State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty first day of January in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of Amer-

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ica the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** ARIZONA CARDINALS APPRECIATION DAY ***

[M10-05]

WHEREAS, the Arizona Cardinals were founded in 1898, and is the oldest continuously run team in the National Football League; and

WHEREAS, the Cardinals provide hope and vision for the future, and excitement for the State, its citizens, and all football fans; and

WHEREAS, having the NFL and Arizona Cardinals here in our state is a source of tremendous pride for all Arizonans, and they have helped place Arizona positively in the national spotlight and are attracting business and commerce to our State; and

WHEREAS, the Cardinals' players through their various charities and foundations make a difference throughout Arizona by serving in their communities, volunteering their time, and by mentoring and making a difference in Arizona's youth; and

WHEREAS, the 2009 season has held many exciting highlights for the Cardinals, including a historic 10 win season here in Arizona, and for the second year in a row crowned NFC West Champions; and

WHEREAS, due to the dedication of the players and coaching staff, the Cardinals will proudly be sending four players to the 2010 Pro Bowl; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of this great State are proud that Arizona is the home of the Cardinals, and, with the help of its great fans, will cheer the Cardinals on to victory.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim January 10, 2010 as

*** ARIZONA CARDINALS APPRECIATION DAY ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eighth day of January in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** ARIZONA ADULT LITERACY WEEK ***

[M10-24]

WHEREAS, approximately 20 percent of Arizona's adults experience literacy issues that impact severely on their lives and families, their ability to work productively, and their full participation as citizens and residents of our State; and

WHEREAS, the need for a highly literate citizenry is growing rapidly as Arizona moves toward an increasingly technological future; and

WHEREAS, a literate workforce is essential to Arizona's future and the potential of our economic development; and

WHEREAS, parents are their children's first teachers, preparing their children to learn and succeed in school and in their community; and

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WHEREAS, Arizona's adult education providers dedicated over two million hours of instruction last year for the benefit of our citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Arizona Adult Literacy Week will encourage and promote literacy and lifelong learning across our great State.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim February 14-20, 2010 as

*** ARIZONA ADULT LITERACY WEEK ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this thirteenth day of January in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY ***

[M10-22]

WHEREAS, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. devoted his life and career to the advancement of civil rights, equal treatment and human decency for all people; and

WHEREAS, the efforts of Dr. King, and the many others involved in the civil rights movement, have helped to break down the walls of injustice and allow African Americans and other minorities to succeed both as individuals and as members of society; and

WHEREAS, it is our duty, as Americans, to continue Dr. King's struggle to work toward a more understanding and respectful society; and

WHEREAS, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day serves to bring people together in remembrance of this true American hero, and encourages citizens to engage in community service, which in turn serves to honor Dr. King's legacy, and advance the causes of justice and equality in America; and

WHEREAS, we turn our attention to the King Holiday and pause to remember the accomplishments of Dr. King. Thus, it is especially important to connect the King Day of Service with the principles upon which Dr. King built his life, his service and the movement that he championed—the principles of nonviolence.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim January 18, 2010 as

*** MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this thirteenth day of January in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

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*** TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION WEEK ***

[M10-23]

WHEREAS, teen dating violence crosses race, gender, and socioeconomic lines; and

WHEREAS, 40 percent of teens know someone who has been physically, sexually, or verbally abusive in a dating relationship; and

WHEREAS, only 33 percent of teens report being physically abused or sexually abused by a dating partner; and

WHEREAS, females ages 16-24 are more vulnerable to intimate partner violence than any other age group – at a rate almost triple the national average; and

WHEREAS, violent relationships during adolescence can have serious ramifications for victims, including placing them at higher risk for substance abuse, eating disorders, risky sexual behavior, suicide, and adult revictimization; and

WHEREAS, the severity of violence among intimate partners has been shown to increase if the pattern was established in adolescence; and

WHEREAS, 81 percent of parents surveyed either believe dating violence is not a problem or admit they do not know it is a problem; and

WHEREAS, early prevention and intervention with youth increases the likelihood that they will grow into young adults with healthy beliefs about intimate relationships; and

WHEREAS, effective prevention models that target youth before they start dating must continue to be supported.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim February 1-7, 2010 as

*** TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION WEEK ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this thirteenth day of January in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** VALLEY METRO, TRY 1 IN 5 MONTH ***

[M10-52]

WHEREAS, it is critical to the health of Arizona citizens that we reduce air pollution and the causes of it; and

WHEREAS, each commuter emits nearly 1 pound of air pollution for every 45 miles driven alone and commuters can keep our environment cleaner by sharing the ride one or more days a week; and

WHEREAS, Valley Metro/RPTA, the regional transit agency for the greater Phoenix metropolitan area, provides a key solution to cutting air pollution by reducing vehicle use and auto emissions; and

WHEREAS, taking the bus, light rail, a carpool, a vanpool, bike or working from home reduces traffic congestion; and

WHEREAS, the average commuter can save over 1,500 pounds of greenhouse gases each year by just sharing the ride one day a week on public transportation, according to ShareTheRide.ValleyMetro.org.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim the month of February 2010 as

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*** VALLEY METRO, TRY 1 IN 5 MONTH ***

and encourage all citizens to help reduce traffic congestion and air pollution by carpooling, vanpooling, riding the bus, taking the light rail, teleworking or biking at least one day per work week.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twentieth day of January in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** CALLING A SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA ***

[M10-44]

By the power vested in me by the Arizona Constitution, Article IV, Part 2, Section 3, and Article V, Section 4, respectively, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, call the 49th Legislature to meet in a sixth special session at the Capitol on the 1st Day of February, 2010, at 1:45 p.m.

The subjects to be considered at the Special Session shall be:

1. Adjustments to the fiscal year 2009-2010 state budget, including additional education rollover payments and sale-leaseback of state assets.
2. A referendum to the voters to impose a temporary tax for the purpose of raising state revenues necessary to protect essential state services.
3. Proration of income tax deductions for out of state filers.
4. The issuance of lottery revenue bonds, including required adjustments to the state lottery program.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this 1st day of February in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State