

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.

* PEARL HARBOR REMEMBER DAY 2006 *

[M06-678]

WHEREAS, on the morning of December 7, 1941, America was attacked without warning at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, by the air and naval forces of Imperial Japan. More than 2,400 persons perished and another 1,100 were wounded. Our Pacific Fleet was crippled and our air power was critically damaged; and

WHEREAS, the losses suffered that day shocked our Nation with the realization that American soil was not immune to the ravages of war; and

WHEREAS, the attack jolted our Nation and forced us into a world war of devastation and brought forth unparalleled courage and determination from soldiers and civilians alike; and

WHEREAS, in response, Americans answered our country's call to the battlefield, to work in the factories, farms, mines, and shipyards, remembering Pearl Harbor by their deeds, their devotion to duty, and their willingness to fight for freedom. The attack at Pearl Harbor fired the American spirit with a determination that freedom would not fall to tyranny; and the United States fought to victory, preserving a world in which democracy could grow; and

WHEREAS, it is vital that we pass on to a new generation of Americans, the lessons learned from the Pearl Harbor attack, and to remain vigilant against threats to our values of democracy and freedom; and

WHEREAS, this State and Nation owe a great debt to those men and women who served in the military during this time and we especially recognize, today, the loss of the personnel who went down with the U.S.S. Arizona; and

WHEREAS, so that future generations understand and appreciate the sacrifice that these courageous veterans made to ensure our freedom, we set aside time on this 62nd anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor to honor those who served our nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim December 7, 2006 as

* PEARL HARBOR REMEMBRANCE DAY *

and call upon all Arizonians to honor the veterans of World War II and especially those who died defending our freedom, and to recognize the scope and significance of the attack on Pearl Harbor.

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

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-seventh day of November in the year Two Thousand and Six and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer

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Secretary of State

*** GRAND CANYON ASSOCIATION DAY ***

[M06-679]

WHEREAS, Grand Canyon National Park receives more than 4.5 million visitors annually and is the most popular destination of visitors to Arizona; and

WHEREAS, Grand Canyon National Park is one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World and one of the most famous natural landscapes; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Canyon Association was formed in 1932 to support educational, interpretive, and visitor service programs at Grand Canyon National Park; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Canyon Association has provided Grand Canyon National Park with more than \$26 million in financial support since 1932; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Canyon Association offers educational trips and publishes educational materials about the Grand Canyon region; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Canyon Association is celebrating its 75th anniversary in 2007;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim February 20, 2007 as

*** GRAND CANYON ASSOCIATION DAY ***

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

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

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ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** COOLIDGE HOLIDAY FIESTA CONCERT ***

[M06-680]

WHEREAS, in November 2006, Vallesano Association for the Performing Arts began as a non-profit organization dedicated to establishing a culturally inspiring arts program to promote, present and develop appreciation for the arts in Coolidge, Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the Coolidge Holiday Fiesta Concert will take the audience to various regions of Mexico to share the fun and excitement of its folklore through music, song and dance; and

WHEREAS, the Coolidge Holiday Fiesta Concert places emphasis on the arts, significantly advancing their goal of promoting and presenting the arts in rural communities, and stressing the value of art of music, song, dance and theatre as a creative discipline and educational tool;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby acknowledge the December 2, 2006

*** COOLIDGE HOLIDAY FIESTA CONCERT ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the

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Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fourteenth day of November in the year Two Thousand and Six and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

* HOPE FOR THE HOLIDAYS *

“SHARING YOUR HEART, OPENING YOUR HOME, OFFERING YOUR HELP AND CHANGING A LIFE-TIME”

[M06-681]

WHEREAS, all children deserve and benefit from the love of a family and it is our responsibility to ensure the safety, permanency, and well being of the 9,000 children in foster care statewide; and

WHEREAS, the 3,632 licensed family foster homes in Arizona promote the healing process by offering a stable and secure environment until the child can either return home or establish a lifelong relationship with a caring adult such as through adoption; and

WHEREAS, individuals and families across Arizona are encouraged to consider becoming a foster parent and provide guidance and support so children in foster care can realize their full human potential; and

WHEREAS, there are a variety of meaningful ways for individuals, organizations and communities to get involved and make a lasting difference in the lives of young people in foster care; and

WHEREAS, everyday, people in Arizona are making a difference in the lives of children. Foster parents, relative caregivers, mentors, advocates, social workers, Department of Economic Security employees and community supporters are the unsung heroes of our society;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do proclaim December 2006 as a month to celebrate

* HOPE FOR THE HOLIDAYS *

“SHARING YOUR HEART, OPENING YOUR HOME, OFFERING YOUR HELP AND CHANGING A LIFE-TIME”

and urge all Arizonans to come forward for a child in any way they can and make a lasting difference in the life of a child.

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*** ARIZONA AIR NATIONAL GUARD DAY ***

[M06-682]

WHEREAS, on December 12th, 1946 the first Arizona Air National Guard unit was activated at Luke Air Field; and

WHEREAS, Arizona's patriarch the late Senator Barry M. Goldwater initiated action in Congress to establish the first Arizona Air National Guard unit and was also one of the founding members; and

WHEREAS, our Arizona Air National Guard has participated in nearly every major conflict since its activation such as: The Berlin Crisis, Vietnam, Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, Operation Noble Eagle, Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom; and

WHEREAS, Airmen assigned to the Arizona Air National Guard have proudly supported the State of Arizona in time of state emergency and are currently serving in worldwide locations; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Air National Guard plays a key role in our national defense by providing diverse military operations essential to the security and defense of our State and Nation at the 161st Air Refueling Wing, the 162nd Fighter Wing, the 107th Air Control Squadron and Joint Force Headquarters;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim December 12, 2006 as

*** ARIZONA AIR NATIONAL GUARD DAY ***

in Recognition of the 60th Anniversary of the Activation of the First Arizona Air National Guard Unit at Luke Air Field on December 12, 1946.

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

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G O V E R N O R

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Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** PUEBLO GRANDE MUSEUM INDIAN MARKET DAYS ***

[M06-683]

WHEREAS, the Pueblo Grande Museum Indian Market was established in 1977 to provide Native American artists with a venue to sell their art for the benefit of the Museum; and

WHEREAS, on 1999 the market started the tradition of featuring special guests such as the Navajo Code Talkers and the model for the Sacagawea gold plated dollar coin and in 2000 started the tradition of featuring honored artists who represent a wide range of artistic fields; and

WHEREAS, the proceeds of the market has helped fund the building of the replica Hohokam Houses, the main exhibit and the new "hands-on-room", as well as providing scholarships for Native American students in the Arts; and

WHEREAS, the Indian market will offer to the public the handcrafted works of 350 tribally certified artists, as well as traditional and contemporary songs and dances and has been recognized by national magazines as one of the top ten Indian markets in the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim December 9-10, 2006 as

*** PUEBLO GRANDE MUSEUM INDIAN MARKET DAYS ***

in the State of Arizona, and salute the many artists and volunteers who make this event successful.

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

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G O V E R N O R

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Janice K. Brewer
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