



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, November 24th marks the third annual Small Business Saturday, a day to support the local businesses that create jobs, boost the economy and preserve neighborhoods around the country; and

WHEREAS, Small Business Saturday (SBS) was created in 2010 in response to small business owners' most pressing need: more customers; and

WHEREAS, in 2011, more than 2.7 million Facebook users, 230 public and private organizations, 75 corporations and elected officials in all 50 states and Washington D.C. declared their support for SBS; and

WHEREAS, last year, more than 500,000 small business owners leveraged an online tool or promotional materials for SBS and 15,000 businesses signed up for free Facebook advertising to promote their products and services in the run up to SBS;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim November 24, 2012 as

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY IN NEVADA



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 13th day of November, 2012.

By the Governor: _____ Governor

By _____ Secretary of State

By _____ Deputy