

PROCLAMATION

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2 WHEREAS; on November 10th 1775, at Tun Tavern in Philadelphia,
3 the United States Marine Corps was formed; and

4 WHEREAS; this world renowned military organization and Marines
5 throughout the world will be celebrating the birthday
6 of their corps on November 10, 1963; and

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8 WHEREAS; since 1775, the United States Marine Corps has served
9 our country in peace as in war. This service continues
10 today, on land, at sea, and in the air. The United
11 States Marine Corps serves the Nation as a "Force In
12 Readiness" ready, able, and prepared to go wherever and
13 whenever the national interests require.

14 WHEREAS; throughout its proud history the Marine Corps has had in
15 its ranks the finest of young American manhood. The United
16 States Marine Corps rich in tradition and world famed for
17 its battle record and Esprit de Corps, plays an important
18 role in keeping the peace throughout the world.

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20 NOW, THEREFORE, I, Oran K. Gragson, Mayor of the City of Las
21 Vegas, do proclaim November 10, 1963 as "UNITED STATES
22 MARINE CORPS DAY", and urge every Las Vegas
23 citizen to extend congratulations to the Marines, active and
24 reserve.

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26 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the
27 seal of the city of Las Vegas to be affixed this 28th day of
28 October, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

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31 ORAN K. GRAGSON, MAYOR

32 ATTEST:



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EDWINA M. COLE, City Clerk