

STATE OF NEW MEXICO EXECUTIVE OFFICE SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Proclamation

WHEREAS, our nation was founded on the belief that all citizens are guaranteed the inalienable rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness; and

WHEREAS, our military service members have preserved the security and freedom that allow us to flourish individually and as a nation; and

WHEREAS, more than 150,000 veterans currently live in New Mexico and many have families, who have also made sacrifices and life-altering changes in their lives in support of their military family member; and

WHEREAS, November is recognized as National Veterans and Military Families Month in recognition of the sacrifices veterans, active service members, and their families have made for the good of our nation.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Michelle Lujan Grisham, Governor of the State of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim November 2021 as

"Veterans & Military Families Month"

throughout the state of New Mexico.

Attest:

Margie Forlowse Dein Maggie Toulouse Oliver

Secretary of State

Done at the Executive Office this 29th day of October 2021.

Witness my hand and the Great Seal of the State of New Mexico.

Michelle Lujah Grisham Governor