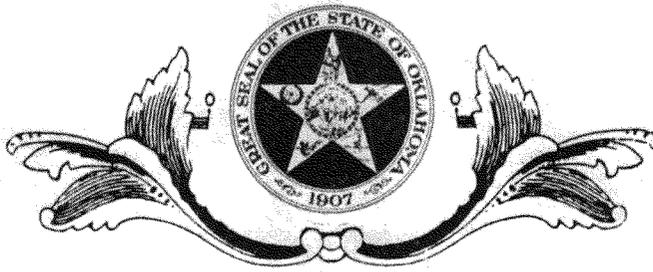


# STATE OF OKLAHOMA



## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

# Proclamation

**Whereas**, congressionally chartered, the Civil Air Patrol (CAP) was founded 1941 to supplement the United States military during World War II; and

**Whereas**, in 1948, CAP was designated as the U.S. Air Force's official auxiliary with three missions; emergency services, cadet programs and aerospace education; and

**Whereas**, the Civil Air Patrol provides vital homeland security missions that help ensure the protection of our nation's capital and the nation as a whole by assisting Air Force pilots with target-intercept training; and

**Whereas**, CAP provides exceptional educational and growth opportunities for youth through its nearly 24,000-member strong cadet program, which annually provides access to top national summer flight academies as well as 30 national programs emphasizing leadership and careers in aviation; and

**Whereas**, CAP's aerospace education emphasizes aviation's connection to history, math, science, government and economics; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper to acknowledge the Civil Air Patrol for its 75 years of service to our citizens and the United States armed services and acknowledge the professionalism and honor of the program;

**Now, Therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor**, do hereby proclaim December 1, 2016, as

### **"Civil Air Patrol 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Day"**

in the state of Oklahoma.

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.*



ATTEST:

Acting Assistant SECRETARY OF STATE

*Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and sixteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and eightieth year.*

*Mary Fallin*  
GOVERNOR

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