

**Executive Department**

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

*Columbus*

**RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, citizens of the United States have always answered the call to arms and served our nation in times of war and peace; and

**WHEREAS**, military veterans have selflessly served to protect the freedom and democracy of our nation and exemplify the highest traditions of patriotism for all Americans; and

**WHEREAS**, we owe a debt of gratitude to our veterans and should thank them each and every day for their service; and

**WHEREAS**, millions of these citizens have returned from the armed services to take their rightful place in the ranks of the citizenry; and

**WHEREAS**, veterans have contributed to our nation not only by serving in the military but also by serving their fellow veterans and citizens from all walks of life; and

**WHEREAS**, military service instills in veterans a respect for authority, ability to follow instruction and an acute understanding of leading in adversity - all qualities employers seek in a job candidate.

**NOW, THEREFORE, We, John R. Kasich and Mary Taylor, Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Ohio**, do hereby recognize November 2014 as

**HIRE A VETERAN MONTH**

throughout Ohio and ask Ohio's employers to consider the skills and abilities possessed by this state's military veterans when seeking new employees.

On this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2014;



John R. Kasich  
Governor



Mary Taylor  
Lieutenant Governor

