



STATE OF TENNESSEE

PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Code Annotated 15-2-101 states that it is the duty of the Governor to proclaim July 13 as Nathan Bedford Forrest Day; and

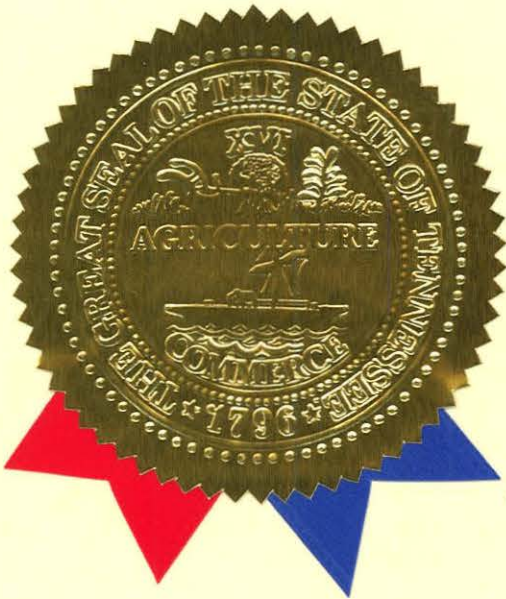
WHEREAS, Nathan Bedford Forrest is a recognized military figure in American history and a native Tennessean;

NOW, THEREFORE, I Bill Haslam, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim July 13, 2012, as

NATHAN BEDFORD FORREST DAY

in Tennessee and encourage all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed at Nashville on this 12th day of July, 2012.



Handwritten signature of Bill Haslam in blue ink.

Governor

Handwritten signature of Lee Hargett in blue ink.

Secretary of State