



STATE OF TENNESSEE
PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Act entitled *An Act to establish the Judicial Court of the United States*, approved September 24, 1789, directed the appointment of United States Marshals and launched the United States Marshals Service; and

WHEREAS, during 225 years of service, United States Marshals have executed warrants, distributed presidential proclamations, registered enemy aliens in time of war, helped conduct the national census, protected the President and the Federal courts, provided for the custody and transportation of Federal prisoners, maintained and disposed of seized and forfeited properties, ensured the safe conduct of judicial proceedings, protected Federal judges and jurors and other members of the Federal judiciary, provided for the security of witnesses and directed and coordinated fugitive task forces to apprehend dangerous fugitives; and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the United States Marshals Service have served the Nation and the State of Tennessee valiantly with dedication to justice, integrity, and service;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Haslam, Governor of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim September 24, 2014 as

U.S. Marshals 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 twenty-sixth day of June, 2014.

Bill Haslam

Governor

Joe Rusk

Secretary of State