

State of Maine



WHEREAS, 48,000 men and women from the State of Maine served the Nation's call in Vietnam while an additional 16,000 Mainers were serving worldwide during the Vietnam War Era; and

WHEREAS, the State of Maine has 343 names etched on that black granite wall in the Nation's capitol and 12 of our young men are still missing in Southeast Asia; and

WHEREAS, as a State, we acknowledged our deep respect and admiration of our men and women Vietnam veterans by setting aside March 29th as Vietnam War Remembrance Day; and

WHEREAS, on this day, we recall these sacrifices and say to those who served, those who gave their lives, those who were disabled, and those who are still missing in Southeast Asia; thank you for service, we have not forgotten you, we will not forget you,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAUL R. LEPAGE, do hereby recognize March 29, 2018 as

VIETNAM WAR REMEMBRANCE DAY

throughout the State of Maine, and urge all citizens to recognize this observance.

In testimony whereof, I have caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereunto affixed GIVEN under my hand at Augusta this seventh day of March in the Year of our Lord Two Thousand and Eighteen.



Paul R. LePage
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Governor

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Secretary of State

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