



WHEREAS, a century ago, 4.7 million American families sent their sons and daughters to fight in the First World War; and

WHEREAS, the resources of our entire nation were brought to bear on the war effort; and

WHEREAS, 116,516 Americans gave their lives in the war, and more than 200,000 were wounded; and

WHEREAS, many Coloradans served selflessly and honorably in the First World War; and

WHEREAS, the tolling of bells is a traditional expression of honor and remembrance; and

WHEREAS, in November 2018, the world will commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Armistice that ended the fighting at the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month; and

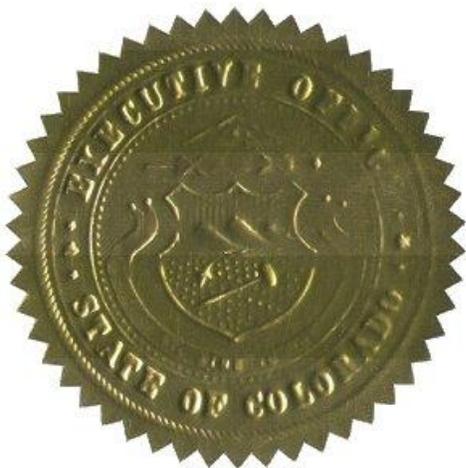
WHEREAS, Coloradans are today encouraged to toll bells at 11:00 a.m. in remembrance of all those who served in the First World War;

Therefore, I, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim, November 11, 2018, as

FIRST WORLD WAR REMEMBRANCE DAY

in the State of Colorado.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this eleventh day of November, 2018



John W. Hickenlooper
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Governor