



## **Proclamation**

**IN HONOR AND RECOGNITION OF  
U.S. WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS VETERAN LILLIAN LINCHEZE LUJAN,  
PROCLAIMING MARCH 10, 2023, AS  
'LILLIAN LUJAN DAY'**

**WHEREAS**, the Navajo Nation recognizes the military service of Lillian Lincheze Lujan in the United States Women's Army Corps from January 1943 until her honorable discharge in December 1945; and

**WHEREAS**, Lillian Lujan attained the rank of Sergeant E-5 and served in the Detachment 3809th Service Command Unit; and

**WHEREAS**, SGT Lujan was decorated with the Good Conduct Medal, Victory Ribbon, American Theater Campaign Medal, and Woman Army Corps Ribbon; and

**WHEREAS**, SGT Lujan passed peacefully on March 6, 2023, at the age of 104 years old; and

**WHEREAS**, the Navajo Nation recognizes SGT Lujan as a member of the Navajo Nation from Coalmine, Arizona; and

**WHEREAS**, March is known nationally as Women's History Month; and

**WHEREAS**, the Navajo Nation celebrates the life of distinction and service SGT Lujan led among the Navajo People.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, BUU NYGREN, President of the Navajo Nation, do hereby proclaim that March 10, 2023, shall be known as 'Lillian Lujan Day' across the Navajo Nation to honor the life of SGT Lujan.

**SO ORDERED THIS 9th DAY OF MARCH IN THE YEAR 2023.**

  
Dr. Buu Nygren, President  
THE NAVAJO NATION