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John W. Hickenlooper
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EXECUTIVE ORDER

Employing the National Guard for the Purpose of Conducting a Search and Recovery

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor of the State of Colorado and, in particular, pursuant to relevant portions of C.R.S. § 28-3-104, I, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, hereby issue this Executive Order employing the Colorado National Guard for the purpose of conducting a search and recovery.

I. Declaration and Directives

On November 3, 2016, it was brought to my attention that the City of Littleton in Arapahoe County requested Colorado National Guard assistance in the form of personnel and equipment. The city requested the assistance to help with a search and recovery mission for evidence discovered in connection with a missing person. The Colorado National Guard possesses unique capabilities necessary to assist the City. In its request, the City of Littleton agreed to reimburse the State for use of the Colorado National Guard. Pursuant to C.R.S. § 28-3-104, I verbally authorized the activation of the National Guard to assist in this search and recovery. This Executive Order memorializes my verbal order and authorizes use of the Colorado National Guard for up to thirty days.

II. Duration

This Executive Order shall expire thirty days from its date of signature unless extended further by Executive Order.



GIVEN under my hand and the
Executive Seal of the State of
Colorado this 22nd day of
November 2016

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "John W. Hickenlooper". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

John. W. Hickenlooper
Governor