



A Few Words From The President

Another new citizen has arrived in Molossia! Liana Grace Erickson made her debut early on Halloween morning, October 31st. Over the past few years we have had quite a boom in young Molossians, six since 2015. Children are the future of any nation, and even more so for Molossia. Our nation's population is so small that the advent of all of these young people has made quite a difference. Almost a quarter of our citizens are under the age of 15, and it is these children that will grow into the Molossians of the future. Someday it will fall to them to take the reigns of leadership of our nation and guide it into the future. The world is an ever-changing place, with climate, political and economic concerns topping the list of challenges - and now and into the future. Today's youth will need to rise to meet those challenges. The future of our nation, and indeed the world, depends on their ability to do so. I am confident that our young Molossians will meet these future trials and boldly blaze the way to an even greater Molossia.



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Solar Power In Molossia

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The Government of the Republic of Molossia, Ministry of Territorial Administration, is pleased to publish the first Emergency Management Plan for our nation. This plan is intended to provide general guidance in emergency and disaster situations. Molossia is a sovereign nation, however the territory and resources of our nation are limited. In addition, Molossia is scattered over a wide area of the western United States, primarily in three exclaves, Harmony Province (also known as the Molossian Home Territory), located near Dayton, Nevada, USA, Desert Homestead Province located near Joshua Tree, California, USA and Farfalla Colony, located near Alturas, California, USA. As well, a large number of Molossian citizens live outside the sovereign territory of our nation within the US, in such diverse areas as Southern California, Texas, Washington State, New Hampshire and nearer to the Home Territory, in Carson City and Dayton, Nevada. Due to the small and scattered nature of our nation, disaster response may need to rely upon or at least be augmented by police, fire and emergency services from the neighboring United States. This emergency plan covers preparation and responses to wildfires, floods, air quality incidents, volcanic incidents, epidemics and pandemics and earthquakes. All of these present potential hazards to our nation. It is intended that this plan will help our Government and citizens plan for and mitigate natural disasters, thus returning life back to normal after an event as soon as possible.



2019 Nevada Day Parade

26 October 2019 XLII

On 26 October 2019 XLII, His Excellency, The President, The First Lady and the First Family participated in the annual Nevada Day Parade event. Located in Carson City, Nevada, this was the 81st occasion of the parade, which takes place on or around Nevada Day, the annual celebration of the admission of Nevada as a state. Nevada was admitted to the Union on 31 October 1864. At that time, the state was a significant producer of silver and gold, and therefore played a major role in financing the Union war effort during the United States Civil War. Nevada's admission as a state helped not only to pay for the War, but ensured a northern majority in Congress afterward.



The President, First Lady and Chief Constable



Parade Ready

The annual Nevada Day Parade includes marching bands, floats, local business representation, Nevada dignitaries, and of course Our President and the First Family. On this twelfth Molossian appearance in the parade were The President, the First Lady, the Chief Constable and First Son Carson. Prior to the parade, His Excellency met with several Nevada dignitaries, including Nevada Governor Steve Sisolak (several times), State Assemblyman Jim Wheeler and State Senator James Settlemeyer. All of these distinguished individuals knew about Molossia, which speaks well for our nation.



With Governor Steve Sisolak

The parade route stretches for about 1.2 Imperial Nortons (1.2 km) through the middle of Carson City, the state capital of Nevada. Along the route several reviewing stands are set up, with announcers introducing each parade entry. As years go by the announcers get better and at pronouncing the name of our nation correctly. As the President passed the spectators, many called out, wanting to know where Molossia is located. His Excellency and the First Lady responded and the good humored crowd generally took it in stride that there was a sovereign nation right down the road from them, inside their own state. Eventually the parade ended and The First Family returned to Molossia. A fine time was had by all and as always we all look forward to next year's Nevada Day Parade.



On the Parade Route

Molossia's Newest Citizen

31 October 2019 XLII

The Republic of Molossia is proud to welcome our newest native-born citizen, Liliana Grace Erickson. Lily is the fourth Molossian born since 1991, following the January 2018 XLI birth of Penelope Rose Morrow. Lily arrived on 31 October 2019 XLII, at 9:24 AM MST, weighing 4 Fenwicks, 2 Bascombs (3.7 kg/8.2 lbs) and measuring 3 Nortons (52 cm/21 in) in length. Lily was born at Carson-Tahoe Hospital, Carson City, NV, USA, but it was arranged that a pouch of dirt be placed under the delivery bed, so that she could be born over Molossian soil. The child of Molossian Kaylin Harrison and Tony Erickson, Lily is the sixth grandchild of The President and First Lady. Our nation's population was 34; the birth of the Sixth Grandchild has raised it to 35, small but mighty - and still growing. Welcome to Molossia, Lily!



AROUND MOLOSSIA...

October 15th was the First Lady's birthday, the official Day of Merriment!



Happy Halloween! A selection of Halloween costumes from around Molossia!



MINISTERIAL CHANGES

The have been a few ministerial changes recently in the Molossian Government. Foremost has been the creation of the Ministry of Territorial Administration. This Ministry will manage the administrative, environmental, internal and territorial regions of the Molossian Nation. This includes Emergency Management, Environmental Management, the Molossia Constabulary, National Park Service and the three territorial divisions of our nation, Harmony Province, Desert Homestead Province and Farfalla Colony. In addition, the Ministry for Air and Space Exploration has been renamed the Molossian Air and Space Agency and will now fall under the new Science Ministry, along with the Institute of Volcanology and the Geographical Society. Finally, the Molossian Naval Academy and Molossian Navy have officially been moved under the War Office, a Ministry itself. All of these changes have been made to streamline Molossia's governmental structure, and have a commitment to the care and welfare of the Molossian people, with a goal of providing the Nation the best service, support and governance possible.

Upcoming Tours Of Molossia

Tours of our nation are currently planned on the following dates only:

Saturday, 18 April 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST (First Tour of 2020)



The Molossian Navy



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NOVEMBER CALENDAR

Día De Muertos - 1 & 2 November

East Germany Day - 2 November

Guy Fawkes Day - 5 November

Utopia Memorial Day - 17 November

November Birthdays



**Alexis Baugh, 28
November**

**Linda Quirk-
Hammer,
7 November**



Molossia's weather is always gorgeous, with plenty of sunshine and temperatures year-round of 22° Celsius (72° Fahrenheit). However, our little country is surrounded by the US and they are so close, their awful weather invades frequently! So the weather report reflects both our weather and theirs.

	Molossia	US
Maximum Temperature	22° C / 72° F	26° C / 79° F
Minimum Temperature	22° C / 72° F	-12° C / 10° F
Average Temperature	22° C / 72° F	19° C / 45° F
Monthly Precipitation	0 mm	0.0 mm
Sunshine hours	Pretty much every day!	

The Last Word With The First Lady

November is here and winter has arrived. The cold frigid air from the United States is blowing in full force and making our usual fair weathered Molossians need to bundle up!

Speaking of bundles, our Granddaughter Lily was just born and we are very much looking forward to spending her first few months with her in the holiday season! She was born on Halloween and will barely be three months old by the time Christmas comes. How special that for the first three months of your life there is a major holiday in each month! Wow!

November is traditionally the month of gratitude. Here in Molossia we are grateful for many things. Being surrounded by our family (new members as well), friends and a prosperous country that takes care of us definitely tops the list!

Thank you and until next time,

Take a moment to acknowledge what you are thankful for.

~Adrienne

