

Proclamation



WHEREAS; Nevada is ranked first in the nation for the rate of unaccompanied homeless children and youth living unsheltered on our streets in 2016, according to the 2016 HUD Annual Homeless Assessment Report; and

WHEREAS; The Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth (NPHY) is the most comprehensive service provider for the thousands of homeless youth in Southern Nevada and works to stabilize homeless teens' lives by meeting their immediate needs and providing a safe, supportive environment that creates a path to self-sufficiency; and

WHEREAS; Las Vegas Sands Corp. through its charitable giving program, Sands Cares, has committed to a long-term strategy for addressing the issue of homelessness in our community, including significantly impacting youth homelessness by focusing resources to galvanize solutions; and

WHEREAS; NPHY and Sands Cares have joined forces to kick-start a community-wide effort to address youth homelessness at Intersections: The 2017 Southern Nevada Youth Homelessness Summit; and

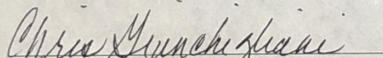
WHEREAS; Summit 17 aims to accelerate community awareness of the problem and launches a year-long regional collaboration to create the Southern Nevada Plan to End Youth Homelessness; and

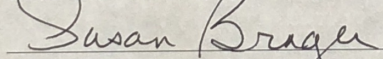
WHEREAS; Clark County, NV is dedicated to reducing the high incidence numbers and addressing the myriad of problems associated with youth homelessness.

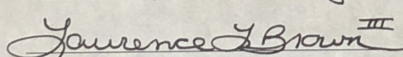
NOW, THEREFORE, WE, the Board of Commissioners of Clark County, Nevada, proclaim and recognize the 2nd day of November, 2017 as

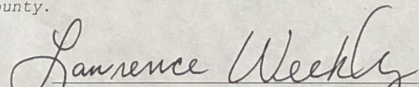
THE OFFICAL KICK OFF OF THE MOVEMENT TO END YOUTH HOMELESSNESS

in Greater Las Vegas and throughout all of Clark County.

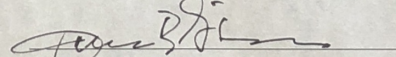

CHRIS CIUNCHIGLIANI, Vice Chair

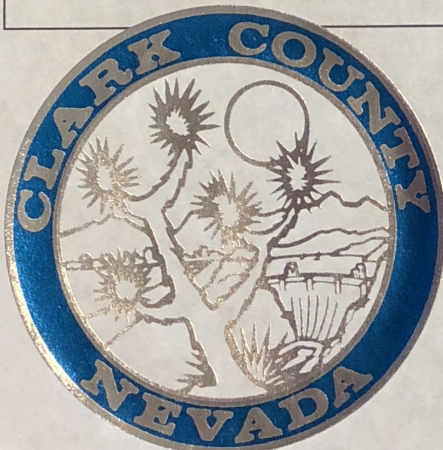

SUSAN BRAGER, Commissioner


LAWRENCE L. BROWN III, Commissioner

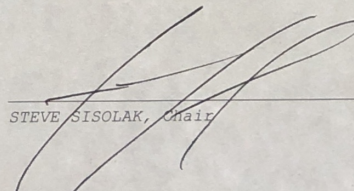

LAWRENCE WEEKLY, Commissioner

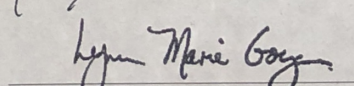

MARILYN K. KIRKPATRICK, Commissioner


JAMES B. GIBSON, Commissioner



ATTEST:


STEVE SISOLAK, Chair


LYNN MARIE GOYA, County Clerk