

RESOLUTION – Authorizing the Grant of Public Monies to a Nonprofit Organization Created for Religious, Charitable or Educational Purposes

WHEREAS, NRS 244.1505 provides that a Board of County Commissioners may expend money for any purpose which will provide a substantial benefit to the inhabitants of the County and that a board may make a grant of money to a nonprofit organization created for religious, charitable or educational purposes or to a governmental entity to be expended for a selected purpose; and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County upon the recommendation of Commissioner Michael Clark for District 2, has determined that \$5,000.00 will be granted to SPCA of Northern Nevada for the purpose of funding the adoptions of pets by senior citizens of Washoe County; and

WHEREAS, SPCA of Northern Nevada are strong advocates for animal welfare in the community. They believe that maintaining the highest standards and best practices in managing the clinic and adoption centers are critically important; and

WHEREAS, SPCA of Northern Nevada was founded in 1998 to save at-risk homeless pets, SPCA of Northern Nevada has grown to also provide affordable community programs to help keep pets healthy and in their loving homes; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Board of Commissioners of Washoe County that:

1. The Board hereby grants to SPCA of Northern Nevada a grant for fiscal year 2025-2026 to in the amount of \$5,000.00.
2. The Board finds that in making this grant a substantial benefit will be provided to the residents in Washoe County.
3. The funds shall not be used to purchase tickets to special events.
4. All funding provided under this resolution must be expended for the specified purpose within 12 months of the date of the resolution's approval.

ADOPTED this 14th day of October, 2025.

Alexis Hill, Chair
Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:

County Clerk