<u>RESOLUTION</u> – 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 Vaughan Hartung for District 4, has determined that \$2,500 will be granted to the Friends of Washoe County Library to support the Spanish Springs Library to fund the revitalization of the Atrium at the Spanish Springs Library; and

WHEREAS, the Friends of Washoe County Library is a non-profit organization dedicated to advocating, fundraising, and providing support for Washoe County Library System; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the Washoe County Library System is to connect people with information, ideas and experiences to support an enriched and engaged community, one person at a time; and

WHEREAS, the Spanish Springs Library will be creating a community mapping station complete with an interactive, topographic map of the Spanish Springs area; and

WHEREAS, the Spanish Springs Library branch will be celebrating its 15th Birthday Bash in May 2020 at which the interactive map will be unveiled to the community; now, therefore, be it

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

- 1. The Board hereby grants to the Friends of Washoe County Library to support the Spanish Springs Library, a grant for fiscal year 2019-2020 in the amount of \$2,500.
- 2. The Board finds that in making this grant a substantial benefit will be provided to the residents in Washoe County by creating a community mapping station complete with an interactive, topographic map of the Spanish Springs area in the Spanish Springs Library Atrium.
- 3. The funds shall not be used to purchase of tickets to special events.

ADOPTED this 17th day of December, 2019.

Vaughan Hartung, Chair Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:

County Clerk