## **RESOLUTION** – Authorizing the Grant of Public Money to a to a Government Entity

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 to be expended for a selected purpose; and

**WHEREAS,** the Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County upon the recommendation of Commissioner Kitty Jung for District 3, have determined that \$1,000 is needed to provide support for the Washoe County Human Services Agency; and,

**WHEREAS**, the mission of the Human Services Agency (HSA) of Washoe County is to promote the health, safety and well-being of children, adults and seniors who are vulnerable to abuse, neglect and exploitation; and,

**WHEREAS**, HSA provides an array of protective and supportive services to families and individuals to enhance their quality of life by ensuring they are optimizing their self-reliance and self-sufficiency, as we strive to have a strengthened, safe, and thriving community; and,

**WHEREAS**, HSA will be purchasing grocery store gift cards to provide to community members most affected by job loss during the Covid 19 pandemic; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, by the Board of Commissioners of Washoe County that:

- 1. The Board hereby grants to Washoe County Human Services Agency, a government entity, a grant for fiscal year 2019-2020 in the amount of \$1,000.
- 2. The Board finds that in making this grant a substantial benefit will be provided to the inhabitants of the County by supporting the purchase of gift cards for community members affected by job loss during the Covid 19 pandemic.
- 3. The funds shall not be used to purchase of tickets to special events.

ADOPTED this 14 <sup>th</sup> day of April, 2020	
	Bob Lucey, Chair
ATTEST:	Washoe County Commission
County Clerk	