



# WASHOE COUNTY

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## STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: March 10, 2026

**DATE:** Friday, March 06, 2026

**TO:** Board of County Commissioners

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**THROUGH:** Alicia Lerud, Court Administrator/Clerk of Court

**SUBJECT:** Retroactively acknowledge one-time gift card donations at a value of [\$900.00] from Tru Vista accepted by Second Judicial District Court (SJDC) in support of Minor Guardianship Program during FY 2026. District Court. (All Commission Districts.)

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### **SUMMARY**

The Second Judicial District Court accepted 60 Walmart gift cards in the amount of \$15 each, at a value of \$900.00 from Tru Vista in support of the Minor Guardianship Program during FY 2026. The gift cards are provided to the minors or their guardians at the hearings, or mailed to the minor for hearings that take place via Zoom.

**Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item:** Vulnerable Populations

### **PREVIOUS ACTION**

On March 11, 2025, the Board of County Commissioners acknowledged item 6A1, the Second Judicial District Court's request to accept \$900.00 from Tru Vista in support of the Minor Guardianship Program during FY 2025.

### **BACKGROUND**

The Second Judicial District Court developed the Reading Room project with the intent of providing a friendlier and warmer space for children and families attending court and to provide a book to each child who comes to court. The Reno Rodeo Foundation provides ongoing donations of books to ensure each child who comes to court can leave with a book. Tru Vista contacted the Second Judicial District Court to expand the Reading Room Project to include holiday gift giving, and to offer gift cards to children who had a minor guardianship hearing at the Second Judicial District Court during the 2026 holiday season.

AGENDA ITEM # \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Donor</b>	<b>Item(s)</b>	<b>Approximate Value</b>	<b>Program supported by donation</b>
Tru Vista	Walmart gift cards	\$900.00	Children in the Minor Guardianship Program

**FISCAL IMPACT**

No fiscal impact.

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners retroactively acknowledge one-time gift card donations at a value of [\$900.00] from Tru Vista accepted by Second Judicial District Court (SJDC) in support of Minor Guardianship Program during FY 2026.

**POSSIBLE MOTION**

Should the Board agree with staff’s recommendation, a possible motion would be “retroactively acknowledge one-time gift card donations at a value of [\$900.00] from Tru Vista accepted by Second Judicial District Court (SJDC) in support of Minor Guardianship Program during FY 2026.”