

Washoe County, Nevada

~PROCLAMATION~

WHEREAS, National Preparedness Month creates an important opportunity for every resident of Washoe County to prepare their families, homes, businesses and communities for any type of emergency from natural to man-made disasters; and

WHEREAS, Investing in the preparedness of ourselves, our families, businesses and communities can reduce fatalities and economic devastation in our communities and in our nation; and

WHEREAS, The Washoe County Emergency Management and Homeland Security Program and other state, local awareness in preparing for emergencies and to educate individuals on how to take action; and

WHEREAS, Emergency preparedness is the responsibility of every citizen of Washoe County and all citizens are urged to make preparedness a priority and work together to ensure that individuals, families and communities are prepared to disasters and emergencies of any type; and

WHEREAS, All citizens of Washoe County are encouraged to participate in citizen preparedness activities and are asked to visit www.ReadyWashoe.com to learn more about the three steps to preparedness: 1. Make a plan, including a communication plan. 2. Assemble a kit with enough supplies for a minimum of 3 days. 3. Stay informed about the types of emergencies and related emergency actions that can occur in your local community;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Washoe County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim September, 2022 as

~National Preparedness Month ~

Dated this 23rd day of August 2022.

Vaughn Hartung, Chair
Washoe County Commission