

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 Mariluz Garcia for District 3, has determined that \$5,000 will be granted to Shades of Queening to support their upcoming community workshops that will promote mental health awareness and inter-generational dialogue; and

WHEREAS, Shades of Queening is a non-profit organization that is focused on uplifting, empowering, and supporting Black women of all ages, from young to wise, in the northern Nevada community; and

WHEREAS, Shades of Queening takes pride in advocating for the progression of the Black community and working to overcome the lack of resources within the community; now, therefore, be it

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

1. The Board hereby grant to Shades of Queening, a grant for fiscal year 2022-2023 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.

ADOPTED this 9th day of May, 2023.

Alexis Hill, Chair
Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:

County Clerk