## **Board of County Commissioners**

## **PROCLAMATION**



- Whereas, National Apprenticeship Week is celebrating its 8th anniversary of raising awareness of the vital role Registered Apprenticeships provide in creating opportunities by allowing apprentices to earn while they learn and preparing a pathway to good, quality jobs and well-paying careers; and
- Whereas, Registered Apprenticeship programs enable employers to develop and train their future workforce while offering career seekers affordable paths to secure, high-paying jobs; and
- Whereas, Registered Apprenticeships expand opportunities in our workforce that are inclusive of individuals who have been historically underserved, marginalized, and adversely affected by persistent poverty and inequality, thus providing a path for all qualified individuals to become apprentices and contribute to America's industries; and
- Whereas, Apprenticeship is a proven and industry-driven training model, training our workforce and building a pipeline into good, quality jobs in order to address our nation's pressing workforce challenges such as rebuilding our country's infrastructure, addressing critical supply chain demands, supporting a clean energy workforce, modernizing our cybersecurity response, and responding to care economy issues; and
- Whereas, the Northern Nevada Building and Construction Trades union and associated contractors invite community members to visit their joint apprenticeship training centers to see the great opportunities and programs available right here in Washoe County;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Washoe County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim November 14 - 20, 2022 as

## **National Apprenticeship Week**

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> of November, 2022.

Vaughn Hartung, Chair Washoe County Commission

**Washoe County**