

Board of County Commissioners

PROCLAMATION



Whereas, October 8 is recognized in the United States as National Hero Day, honoring those who rise above and beyond what is expected; and

Whereas, the actions of heroes inspire members of the community to be the best we can be, helping others in times of need and volunteering to put others before self; and

Whereas, real-life heroes come in many forms, from first responders and members of the armed forces to teachers and friends, heroes guide those they have touched to live by their outstanding example; and

Whereas, on this day, Washoe County recognizes a local hero, Mr. Don Pelt, Fire Chief of the Pyramid Lake Fire and Rescue emergency response team, who has gone to great lengths to improve the safety, security and protection of those around him; and

Whereas, Don Pelt is a rare leader, advocate, arbiter, and peacemaker between entities and people, for the sole purpose of creating change for the betterment of the communities he serves;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Washoe County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim October 11, 2022 as

National Hero Day in honor of Don Pelt

Dated this 11th day of October, 2022.

Vaughn Hartung, Chair
Washoe County Commission

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