

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 Bob Lucey for District 2, has determined that \$5,700.00 will be granted to the Adopt A Vet Dental Program -- a nonprofit organization created for charitable, religious, or educational purposes -- to provide free critical and life-saving dental care to impoverished veterans in Nevada; and

WHEREAS, the vision of the Adopt A Vet Dental Program is to get veterans out of pain, give them their smile back, and get them back into the community by working or volunteering; and

WHEREAS, to-date, nearly 1,500 veterans have been served by the program, by 135 dental providers; and

WHEREAS, together, we can change a veterans' life with a smile; now, therefore, be it

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

1. The Board hereby grants to the Adopt A Vet Dental Program, a grant for fiscal year 2021-2022 in the amount of \$5,700.00.
2. The Board finds that in making this grant a substantial benefit will be provided to the residents in Washoe County by providing free critical and life-saving dental care to impoverished veterans in Nevada. The vision of the program is to get veterans out of pain, give them their smile back, and get them back into the community by working or volunteering.
3. The funds shall not be used to purchase tickets to special events.

ADOPTED this 8th day of March, 2022.

Vaughn Hartung, Chair
Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:

County Clerk