Washoe County, Nevada ~PROCLAMATION~

- WHEREAS, National Recovery Month is recognized around the nation as a time to promote addiction treatment and recovery practices, to highlight the emergence of a resilient recovery community, and to honor the dedication of service providers and community members who make recovery possible; and
- WHEREAS, Tens of thousands of prevention, treatment, and recovery programs and facilitates across the country share success stories throughout September to increase awareness and foster a greater understanding about substance abuse disorders; and
- **WHEREAS**, National Recovery Month acknowledges that after substance abuse that recovery has the power to transform lives, and that with strength, support, and hope, that recovery is possible; and
- **WHEREAS,** The 2021 National Recovery Month theme is "Recovery is for Everyone: Every Person, Every Family, Every Community," reminding people in recovery that no one is alone in the journey through recovery; and
- WHEREAS, National Recovery Month sends a strong message of support for those suffering from a substance use disorder to acknowledge they are loved and valued; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the Washoe County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim September 2021 as

~National Recovery Month ~

Dated this 28 th day of September 2021.	
	Bob Lucey, Chai Washoe County Commission