

# PROCLAMATION

## In Recognition of The Comstock Sports Organization

**WHEREAS**, The Comstock Sports Organization, a local 501(c)3 non-profit charity, annually runs the Comstock Shootout soccer tournament, staffed entirely by volunteers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Comstock Shootout soccer tournament is an open invitational tournament for boys and girls divisions from U10 through U19 in a variety of game formats and competitive divisions; and

**WHEREAS**, the Comstock Shootout, started in 1994, is Nevada's oldest soccer tournament. This year, for the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary tournament, 152 teams participated and 748 referee slots were covered by volunteers for the two tournament weekends; and

**WHEREAS**, the Comstock Shootout soccer tournament has a tremendous annual economic impact on Carson City and, with the support of The Comstock Sports Organization, all proceeds from the event are used to support scholarships, training, and education of coaches, referees, youth sports activities and facility improvements.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Robert L. Crowell, Mayor of Carson City, Nevada on behalf of the Board of Supervisors, do hereby extend this proclamation and our sincerest appreciation to The Comstock Sports Organization for the incredible work and support that they have provided over the years not only for our local youth but the youth of our state.



Dated this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May 2013.

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Robert L. Crowell, Mayor