

PROCLAMATION

Supporting Operation Green Light for Veterans

November 7-13, 2022

WHEREAS, the residents of Carson City have great respect, admiration, and the utmost gratitude for all of the men and women who have selflessly served our country and this community in the Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, the contributions and sacrifices of the men and women who served in the Armed Forces have been vital in maintaining the freedoms and way of life enjoyed by our residents; and

WHEREAS, Carson City seeks to honor these individuals who have paid the high price for freedom by placing themselves in harm's way for the good of all; and

WHEREAS, Veterans, service members, and their families continue to serve our community in the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Vietnam Veterans of America, Marine Corps League, Navy League of the United States, Fleet Reserve Association, Military Officers Association of America, and other organizations within our community to help former and active service members; and

WHEREAS, Approximately 5,500 veterans currently reside in Carson City; and

WHEREAS, studies indicate that 44-72 percent of service members experience high levels of stress during transition from military to civilian life; and

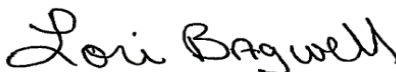
WHEREAS, Active Military Service Members transitioning from military service are at a high risk for suicide during their first year after military service; and

WHEREAS, Carson City appreciates the sacrifices of our United States Military Personnel and believes specific recognition should be granted; and

WHEREAS, that in observance of Veterans Day and Operation Green Light, Carson City encourages its citizens in patriotic tradition to recognize the importance of honoring all those who made immeasurable sacrifices to preserve freedom by displaying a green light in a window or outside of their place of business or residence.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lori Bagwell, Mayor of Carson City, Nevada on behalf of the Board of Supervisors, do hereby proclaim November 7, 2022 through November 13, 2022, a time to salute and honor the service and sacrifice of our men and women in uniform transitioning from Active Service.

Dated this 3rd day of November 2022.



Lori Bagwell, Mayor