

Proclamation

CITY OF HENDERSON, NEVADA

WHEREAS, *energy efficiency continues to be the cheapest, quickest, and cleanest way to continue to meet our energy needs and reduce utility bills for residential, business, and industrial customers; and,*

WHEREAS, *cutting energy waste saves U.S. consumers billions of dollars on utility bills every year and energy efficiency can make our homes and workspaces healthier, safer, and more comfortable; and,*

WHEREAS, *smarter energy use reduces the amount of electricity needed to power our lives, helping to reduce emissions that harm our health, pollute the air and warm our climate; and,*

WHEREAS, *implementing energy efficiency and other clean energy policies and programs helps boost economic opportunities and job creation and supports a more sustainable future; and,*

WHEREAS, *more than 2.4 million Americans were working in the energy efficiency sector prior to the pandemic in local, good-paying, clean energy jobs that couldn't be outsourced and boosting our efficiency efforts will sustain and create more of these jobs; and,*

WHEREAS, *improved energy codes for homes and commercial buildings can significantly reduce utility costs and create new jobs, and Henderson has integrated increasing levels of efficiency for new buildings through adoption of a improved building codes; and,*

WHEREAS, *for cities and states working to reduce air emissions, energy efficiency initiatives can help them achieve significant progress in emissions reductions and operational costs, both of which benefit their constituents; and,*

WHEREAS, *a nationwide network of energy efficiency groups and partners has designated the first Wednesday in October as national annual Energy Efficiency Day; and,*

WHEREAS, *together with the residents of Henderson we can meet our community's energy needs more sustainably and reduce our energy costs by learning more about energy efficiency and practicing smarter energy use; and,*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Debra March, as Mayor of the City of Henderson, Nevada, do hereby proclaim October 6, 2021, as

ENERGY EFFICIENCY DAY

and urge our residents to join us in moving towards higher levels of energy efficiency and achieving our clean energy goals.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Henderson, Nevada, to be affixed this fifth day of October 2021.



Debra March

DEBRA MARCH
Mayor, City of Henderson

ATTEST:

Jose Luis Valdez
JOSE LUIS VALDEZ, CMC
City Clerk