

P R O C L A M A T I O N

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2 WHEREAS, the Post Office Department is starting its
3 National Improved Mail Service on July 19 in 300 of the largest
4 cities in the United States, and

5 WHEREAS, the program calls for the cooperation and support
6 of the large mailers in all cities to schedule their mailings to
7 eliminate the 5:00 P.M. rush that is now hitting all post offices,
8 and

9 WHEREAS, in Las Vegas, 72% of the out-going mail is
10 "dumped" on the local post office after the close of the business
11 day at 5:00 P.M., and

12 WHEREAS, the "after five depositing of mail" can be
13 corrected through a massive effort in cooperation with Las Vegas
14 business firms who are requested to send priority mail as soon as
15 ready, but to hold non-priority mail such as bills, insurance
16 premium notices, solicitations, etc., until the next morning, and

17 WHEREAS, the late evening glut of non-priority mail removed,
18 priority mail can be handled and dispatched faster at the local
19 post office, thus greatly aiding local business organizations.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, I, Oran K. Gragson, Mayor of the City of Las
21 Vegas, Nevada, do hereby proclaim the above and foregoing program
22 to be in the best interests of all the residents of the City of
23 Las Vegas, Nevada and request that they co-operate with postal
24 authorities in observing this program.

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26 ORAN K. GRAGSON, MAYOR

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29 EDWYNA M. COLE, CITY CLERK



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