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

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, are vitally interested in our youth and recognize the importance of adult participation in matters pertaining to the welfare of our children; and

WHEREAS, one of the principal tasks facing our nation and our community today is the building of our youth into useful and honorable citizens; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we make every effort to keep all children from being prey to any form of delinquency and to foster all good and proper endeavors aimed at helping our youth to achieve the benefits offered by the American way of life; and

WHEREAS, through the joint efforts of Kiwanis International and the local Kiwanis clubs, a day has been set aside to focus attention upon the problems and the accomplishments of youth throughout the forty-nine states at both a national and community level; said day to be identified with the objective slogan: "Boys and Girls - Our Greatest Resource"; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the day is to provide worthwhile experiences for all youth and to raise funds which will be expended locally to the betterment of all concerned;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ORAN K. GRAGSON, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, do hereby designate Saturday, September 26, 1959, as

"KIDS' DAY"

in Las Vegas, Nevada, and do call upon all citizens to support the objectives of this day and to cooperate to the best of their abilities in making the event a success.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, to be affixed this ____ day of September in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Nine.

ORAN K. GRAGSON, Mayor



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