

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the purpose of National Music Week is "to focus attention on the dynamic influence of Music as an effective method of communication and understanding between all peoples; and

WHEREAS, the performance of and the attendance at musical functions by all members of our community will enrich their lives and bring the spiritualizing force of Music to the inner life of our community and nation; and

WHEREAS, music affords a means of creative motivity, a release from tensions, a means of social contact, and promotes a sense of unity among nations as well as individuals."

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Oran K. Gragson, Mayor, of the City of Las Vegas join with the National Federation of Music Clubs in endorsing NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK and do hereby proclaim May 5, to 12, 1963 to be observed as NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK in the City of Las Vegas and urge all interested citizens and musical organizations to participate in and to attend the many musical performances and observances of Music Week to be held during this week.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Las Vegas to be affixed this 17th day of April, 1963.

ORAN K. GRAGSON, Mayor

ATTEST:



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SIGRID DODGSON, Acting City Clerk