

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the concern for the youth of Las Vegas is a matter of paramount importance; and

WHEREAS, the Lions Clubs of Southern Nevada have united to organize civic clubs for young men and women, to be known as Leo Clubs; and

WHEREAS, Leo Clubs are being organized by Lion Club members throughout the world and this will be the first such organization in Las Vegas; and

WHEREAS, the Lions Clubs of the Las Vegas area desire to undertake a drive for Leo Club organizations in Las Vegas during the next two weeks, to culminate in the organization of six Leo Clubs on Sunday, February 1, 1970; and

WHEREAS, in the organization of six Leo Clubs in this area on February 1, 1970 and the organization of a Leo Club District of six clubs on this same date, Las Vegas will be honored and recognized as the first city in the world where a District of Leo Clubs shall have been organized;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ORAN K. GRAGSON, Mayor of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, do hereby declare the period January 22, 1970, to February 1, 1970, as:

LEO CLUB DAYS

and do further urge all citizens, schools, churches, civic groups and communications media to cooperate in the drive for organization of LEO CLUBS, the letters of LEO signifying LEADERSHIP, EXPERIENCE AND OPPORTUNITY.

DATED THIS _____ Day of January, 1970

ORAN K. GRAGSON, Mayor

