

Proclamation

From the office of the Mayor

Whereas; for more than 80 years, the Red Cross in Southern Nevada has been the place where citizens join together, and the generosity and compassion of the American people finds purpose; and

Whereas; this past year when hurricanes pounded the East Coast, damaging flooding in Overton and Mesquite, and a deadly tsunami struck our neighbors in Asia and Africa, Las Vegas residents responded swiftly and generously and turned their caring into action with the help of the Red Cross; and

Whereas; through a statewide initiative, Hometown Response-Ready...Prepare Nevada, the American Red Cross Southern Nevada Chapter is leading the way in empowering Nevada citizens and families to protect themselves. With five simple steps – make a plan, build a kit, get trained, volunteer, and give blood – the Southern Nevada Chapter and Americans from coast to coast will help make their communities safer; and

Whereas; Community involvement is critical for programs that prepare individuals, families, and neighborhoods for emergencies. Through its presence in the Southern Nevada community, the American Red Cross is the leader in empowering people in this neighborhood to be ready and prepared for the unexpected; now


Therefore; I, THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, COUNTY OF CLARK, STATE OF NEVADA, HEREBY PROUDLY PROCLAIM MARCH, 2005, TO BE:

American Red Cross Month

IN THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS AND ASK ALL CITIZENS TO BECOME PARTNERS IN PREPAREDNESS WITH THEIR LOCAL AMERICAN RED CROSS CHAPTER AND TO BECOME ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS IN ADVANCING THE NOBLE MISSION OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS.



In Witness Whereof:
BY THE POWERS GRANTED TO ME,
I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND
AND CAUSED THE SEAL OF THE
CITY OF LAS VEGAS TO BE AFFIXED
THIS 1ST DAY OF MARCH, 2005.


HONORABLE OSCAR B. GOODMAN
MAYOR, CITY OF LAS VEGAS



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