

PROCLAMATION

Whereas; November is recognized as National Lung Cancer Awareness Month in order to raise awareness for lung cancer and lung cancer screenings; and

Whereas; Lung cancer is the deadliest cancer in the United States and the world; and

Whereas; Only 5.7% of high-risk individuals are currently getting screened, which means thousands of lives are lost every year simply due to a lack of awareness; and

Whereas; By sharing the early warning signs of lung cancer, there is an increased chance for early detection and treatment of the disease before it becomes life threatening; and now

Therefore; I, The Mayor of the City of Mesquite, County of Clark, State of Nevada, hereby proudly proclaim November 1, 2023 as;

LUNG CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

In the City of Mesquite and ask all residents and visitors to recognize Lung Cancer Awareness Month. We support the American Lung Cancer Screening Initiative and its commitment to lung cancer education with the goal of increasing lung screening rates in our valley in order to save lives.

In witness whereof; By the power granted to me, I have hereunto set my hand And caused the seal of the City of Mesquite to be affixed This 1st day of November 2023

Allan S. Litman, Mayor