

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the City of Fallon celebrates our small businesses and the contribution they make to our community through creating jobs, boosting our local economy and preserving our neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, according to the United States Small Business Administration, there are currently 30.2 million small businesses in the United States; they represent 99.7 percent of all businesses with employees in the United States; they are responsible for 65.9 percent of net new jobs created from 2000 to 2017; and they employ 47.5 percent of the employees in the private sector in the United States; and

WHEREAS, advocacy groups as well as public and private organizations across the country have endorsed the Saturday after Thanksgiving as Small Business Saturday; and

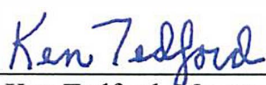
WHEREAS, 90 percent of consumers in the United States say Small Business Saturday has had a positive impact on their community; 89 percent of consumers said the day encourages them to “shop small” all year long; and 64 percent of consumers shop and dine at small, independently owned businesses on Small Business Saturday to support their local community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ken Tedford, Mayor of the City of Fallon, Nevada do hereby proclaim November 24, 2018, as

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY

and urge the residents of our community, and communities across the country, to support small businesses and merchants on Small Business Saturday and throughout the year.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City of Fallon this 14th day of November 2018.



Ken Tedford, Mayor

Attest: 

Gary C. Cordes, City Clerk

