

1 **NYE COUNTY PROCLAMATION NO. P2019-08**

2 **A PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 30, 2019 AS SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY**  
3 **IN NYE COUNTY**

4 WHEREAS, the government of Nye County, Nevada celebrates our local small businesses and  
5 the contributions they make to our local economy and community; according to the United States Small  
6 Business Administration, there are 30.7 million small businesses in the United States, they represent  
7 99.7 percent of all firms with paid employees in the United States, are responsible for 64.9 percent of net  
8 new jobs created from 2000 to 2018; and

9 WHEREAS, small businesses employ 47.3 percent of the employees in the private sector in the  
10 United States; and

11 WHEREAS, 94% of consumers in the United States value the contributions small businesses  
12 make in their community; and

13 WHEREAS, 96% of consumers who plan to shop on Small Business Saturday® said the day  
14 inspires them to go to small, independently-owned retailers or restaurants that they have not been to  
15 before, or would not have otherwise tried; and

16 WHEREAS, 92% of companies planning promotions on Small Business Saturday said the day  
17 helps their business stand out during the busy holiday shopping season; and

18 WHEREAS, 59% of small business owners said Small Business Saturday contributes  
19 significantly to their holiday sales each year; and

20 WHEREAS, Nye County, Nevada supports our local businesses that create jobs, boost our local  
21 economy and preserve our communities; and

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

24 NOW, THEREFORE, WE, the Nye County Board of County Commissioners, do hereby  
25 proclaim November 30, 2019, to be SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY in Nye County, Nevada and urge

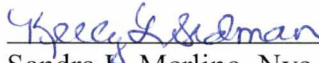
1 the residents of our community, and communities across the country, to support small businesses and  
2 merchants on Small Business Saturday and throughout the year.

3 APPROVED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019.

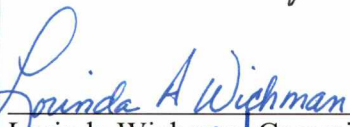
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5 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

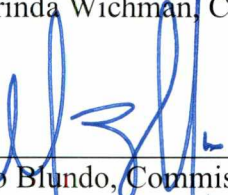
ATTEST:

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8 John Koenig, Chairman

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11 Sandra E. Merlino, Nye County Clerk  
12 And Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board

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15 Debra Strickland, Vice Chairman

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18 Lorinda Wichman, Commissioner

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21 Leo Blundo, Commissioner

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24 Donna Cox, Commissioner