

Office of The Mayor  
City of Reno, Nevada

# Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** family and domestic violence continues to be prevalent as a social problem; and

**WHEREAS,** the problems of domestic violence are not confined to any group or groups of people, but cross all economic, racial, affectional preference, and societal barriers, and are supported by societal indifference; and

**WHEREAS,** the crime of domestic violence violates an individual's privacy, dignity, security, and humanity, due to systematic use of physical, emotional, sexual, psychological and economic control and/or abuse; and

**WHEREAS,** the impact of domestic violence is wide ranging, directly affecting society as a whole; and

**WHEREAS,** it is battered victims and survivors themselves who have been in the forefront of efforts to bring peace and equity to the home; and

**WHEREAS,** the *Safe & Healthy Homes Fair* will be on April 19, 2014, at the California Building in Idlewild Park, starting at 8 a.m., with a 10K and 5K River Run/Walk starting at 9 a.m.; and

**WHEREAS,** the public is encouraged to attend this fun fair and collaborative effort among local agencies to enhance community awareness of local programs and resources.

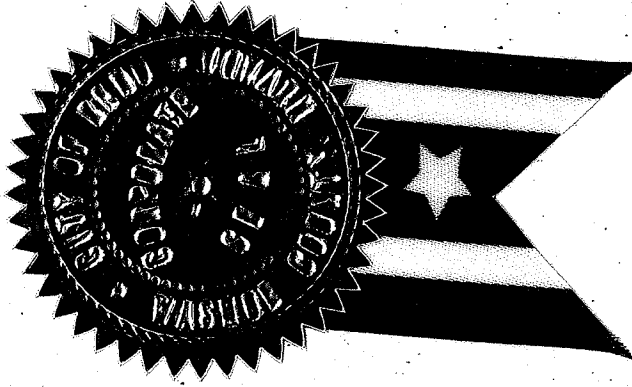
**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Robert A. Cashell, Sr., Mayor of the City of Reno, Nevada, do hereby proclaim

**Saturday, April 19, 2014, as**

# **SAFE AND HEALTHY HOMES DAY**

**(A subcommittee of the Washoe County Domestic Violence Task Force)**

In and for the City of Reno, and encourage all citizens to actively participate in activities and programs that work toward the elimination of violence against all persons.



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Reno, Nevada, to be affixed this sixteenth day of April 2014.

*Robert A. Cashell*

Robert A. Cashell, Sr., Mayor  
City of Reno

*Lynnette Jones*

ATTEST: Lynnette Jones, Clerk  
City of Reno