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HENDERSON CITY COUNCILWOMAN WARD 2

MAY 2025 NEWSLETTER

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

I want to thank you for coming out to my Human Trafficking Awareness Seminar. We had a great turnout, and we heard from a variety of specialists.

If you missed it, I will be presenting a few different variations in the fall so be sure to stay tuned.

There were many exciting happenings in Ward 2 this month. We had a fire station opening at 2000 Via Centro. Also, the police substation front counter is now open and we look forward to adding to that staff later in the year.

Summer is coming so be sure to enjoy this spring!

See you around,

Monica



MORNING MEET-UP

My latest Morning Meet-Up at Almond and Oat gave me the incredible opportunity to connect with many residents. It is always a pleasure getting to know my fellow Ward 2 neighbors. Be sure to follow me on all my social media platforms to be informed about my next meet-up.



BETTER BUZZ GROUNDBREAKING

Good news for coffee aficionados! Better Buzz Coffee Roasters has officially broken ground at the intersection of East Lake Mead and Water Street. It's a fantastic location, and I look forward to seeing them thrive.

CORAL ACADEMY TEACHER APPRECIATION CEREMONY

I had the privilege to attend Coral Academy of Science Las Vegas' (CASLV) Teacher Appreciation Ceremony. It was incredible to see the impact CASLV teachers have on our community and across southern Nevada's education system.



HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND CHILD EXPLOITATION SEMINAR

My recent event on human trafficking and child exploitation was a powerful evening focused on how we can work together to protect and save some of the most vulnerable members throughout our community. I am grateful to everyone who attended, which included residents and colleagues from several child welfare groups in the valley.



STATION 92 GRAND OPENING

Great things are happening in West Henderson! I, along with some of my fellow Council members and Henderson Fire Fighters, recently celebrated the grand opening of Fire Station 92. This long anticipated and essential service is greatly appreciated in Ward 2. If you would like to explore the new station, don't miss the open house event on June 14, from 10:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.



ALL IN AVIATION CEREMONY

What an honor it was to attend the ribbon cutting ceremony for All in Aviation's flight school expansion at Henderson Executive Airport. By expanding, the school is better positioned to meet the existing demand for professionals within the aviation sector nationwide.



LAS VEGAS STATE OF THE CITY ADDRESS

I had the pleasure of attending the Las Vegas State of the City address by Mayor Shelley Berkley. It was very well received and made me excited for future collaborations and partnerships with our neighboring city. Thank you Mayor Berkley for the invitation.



POLICE CITIZENS ACADEMY

I am a recent graduate of our incredible Police Citizens Academy. The 12-week program is designed to give residents a unique insight into the life of a Henderson Police Department officer. I learned so much and highly encourage you all to consider joining the next program.



SAFE POOLS RULE! 2025

We have officially kicked off Summer 2025 with the important Safe Pools Rule! public safety campaign. The summer-long initiative focuses on water safety and drowning prevention. The kick-off event focused on raising awareness as we strap in for a long and hot summer by the pool. The Henderson Fire Department staged a mock drowning and rescue, demonstrating the lifesaving efforts they perform. Pool safety is a top priority, so make sure to practice the 3 P's: Patrol, Protect, and Prepare.



Upcoming Events

MEMORIAL DAY – FIELD OF HONOR

Please join me, Mayor Romero, City Council and community partners for the annual Field of Honor Ceremony on Monday, May 26, at 9:00 a.m. Over 500 American flags will be on display at Cornerstone Park throughout Memorial Day Weekend.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES REGISTRATION

The 2024/2025 school year is coming to an end soon so be sure to sign the entire family up for a variety of summer activities with the City of Henderson. From swimming lessons to summer camps and classes, there is something for everyone.

JUNETEENTH FESTIVAL

The City of Henderson will be commemorating Juneteenth, a significant day in American history that honors African American freedom. The free festival will feature performances by renowned artists on the Water Street Plaza on June 19 from 6:00-9:00 p.m.

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