

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41—ASSEMBLYMEN EVANS, ANDERSON, ANGLE, ARBERRY, BACHE, BEERS, BERMAN, BROWER, BUCKLEY, CARPENTER, CEGAVSKE, CHOWNING, CLABORN, COLLINS, DE BRAGA, DINI, FREEMAN, GIBBONS, GIUNCHIGLIANI, GOLDWATER, GUSTAVSON, HETTRICK, HUMKE, KOIVISTO, LEE, LESLIE, MANENDO, MARVEL, MCCLAIN, MORTENSON, NEIGHBORS, NOLAN, OHRENSCHALL, PARKS, PARNELL, PERKINS, PRICE, SEGERBLUM, THOMAS, TIFFANY, VON TOBEL AND WILLIAMS

MARCH 31, 1999

JOINT SPONSORS: SENATORS RAGGIO, RAWSON, AMODEI, CARE, CARLTON, COFFIN, JACOBSEN, JAMES, MATHEWS, MCGINNESS, NEAL, O'CONNELL, O'DONNELL, PORTER, RHOADS, SCHNEIDER, SHAFFER, TITUS, TOWNSEND, WASHINGTON AND WIENER

Read and Adopted

SUMMARY—Congratulates University of Nevada School of Medicine on its 30th Anniversary and commends Dean Robert M. Daugherty, Jr. for leadership and guidance he has provided to its students. (BDR R-1698)

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EXPLANATION – Matter in ***bolded italics*** is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

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- 1 WHEREAS, Through the recommendation of the Board of Regents of the
- 2 University of Nevada and the encouragement, vision and generosity of the
- 3 late Howard R. Hughes, and other friends such as Dr. Fred Anderson and
- 4 H. Edward Manville, the University of Nevada School of Medicine was
- 5 established by the Nevada Legislature in 1969; and
- 6 WHEREAS, The University of Nevada School of Medicine has become a
- 7 medical school for the entire state, with training programs in Las Vegas,
- 8 Reno, Henderson, Elko, North Las Vegas, Carson City and Sparks, using

1 the assistance of six community hospitals and more than 900 community
2 physicians throughout Nevada to provide patient care in person and via
3 telemedicine; and

4 WHEREAS, Every year approximately 208 students from Nevada are
5 given the opportunity to pursue a medical education, and, today, more than
6 1,000 students trained in Nevada have graduated from the University of
7 Nevada School of Medicine, including 900 resident physicians who have
8 been trained in family practice, internal medicine, pediatrics, psychiatry,
9 surgery, and obstetrics and gynecology; and

10 WHEREAS, The University of Nevada School of Medicine strives to
11 improve the delivery of health care to rural areas by placing physicians in
12 nearly every rural community within this state and staffing Area Health
13 Education Centers with qualified and knowledgeable professionals in health
14 care to make the latest information on health care available to persons
15 living in rural areas; and

16 WHEREAS, Regardless of a patient's ability to pay, the physicians from
17 the University of Nevada School of Medicine continue to deliver quality
18 health care to any person in need of health care; and

19 WHEREAS, In addition to the University of Nevada School of
20 Medicine's delivery of health care, vital research is conducted by
21 researchers from the School of Medicine in such important medical
22 subjects as cancer, heart disease, gastrointestinal disorders, nutrition,
23 diabetes and women's health issues, bringing more than \$9 million in
24 research funding to the State of Nevada each year; and

25 WHEREAS, Dean Robert M. Daugherty, Jr., M.D., Ph.D., has served as
26 Dean of the University of Nevada School of Medicine for 18 years, the
27 second longest tenure of all current deans, during which he has built a
28 program that is respected not only in Nevada, but also nationally because of
29 the caliber of its faculty, students and programs; and

30 WHEREAS, Dean Daugherty has brought recognition to the State of
31 Nevada through his leadership roles in the American Medical Association
32 and the Association of American Medical Colleges as an advocate for all
33 physicians to preserve the doctor/patient relationship and create leadership
34 role models for physicians; now, therefore, be it

35 RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE
36 CONCURRING, That the members of the 70th session of the Nevada
37 Legislature congratulate the University of Nevada School of Medicine on
38 its 30th Anniversary and commend the school for the vital service it
39 provides to the people of the State of Nevada; and be it further

40 RESOLVED, That this legislative body pays special tribute, to Dean
41 Robert M. Daugherty, Jr., M.D., Ph.D., on the occasion of being named
42 Dean Emeritus, for his 18 years of service and leadership; and be it further

- 1 RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit a
- 2 copy of this resolution to the University of Nevada School of Medicine and
- 3 Dean Robert M. Daugherty, Jr.

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