

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Assemblymen Parnell, Allen, Anderson, Angle, Arberry Jr., Atkinson, Buckley, Carpenter, Christensen, Claborn, Conklin, Denis, Gansert, Gerhardt, Giunchigliani, Goicoechea, Grady, Hardy, Hettrick, Hogan, Holcomb, Horne, Kirkpatrick, Koivisto, Leslie, Mabey, Manendo, Marvel, McClain, McCleary, Mortenson, Munford, Ocegüera, Ohrenschall, Parks, Perkins, Pierce, Seale, Sherer, Sibley, Smith and Weber

Joint Sponsors: Senators Wiener, Amodei, Beers, Care, Carlton, Cegavske, Coffin, Hardy, Heck, Horsford, Lee, Mathews, McGinness, Nolan, Raggio, Rhoads, Schneider, Tiffany, Titus, Townsend and Washington

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ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Commemorating the 85th anniversary of the League of Women Voters as a national organization.

WHEREAS, The League of Women Voters was first established in Nevada in 1919, due in large part to the inspiration of Carrie Chapman Catt, a national leader in the battle to obtain the right to vote for all women; and

WHEREAS, The League of Women Voters was established as a national organization in 1920; and

WHEREAS, The League of Women Voters worked tirelessly to ensure that Amendment XIX of the Constitution of the United States, prohibiting the denial of the right to vote on account of sex, was proposed by Congress and ratified by the states; and

WHEREAS, Since 1920, the League of Women Voters has flourished throughout the State of Nevada, with units in Ely, Elko, Lovelock, Winnemucca, Carson City, Reno and Las Vegas; and

WHEREAS, In 1974, the League of Women Voters began accepting men as full voting members and now works for the informed and active participation of all citizens in government; and

WHEREAS, The League of Women Voters provides a valuable resource to the residents of Nevada by preparing and distributing nonpartisan information on candidates and issues, thereby allowing the residents of Nevada to learn about the issues of an election without partisan influence; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That the members of the 73rd Session of the Nevada Legislature hereby commemorate the 85th anniversary of the League of Women Voters as a national organization; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the League of Women Voters is hereby commended for its dedication and perseverance as it continues to encourage active participation in government, both at the local and national levels; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to Mary Lee, President of the League of Women Voters of Nevada, and Kay Maxwell, President of the League of Women Voters of the United States.