

WHEREAS, Excel Christian School has a strong Academic Olympic Team and has competed at the Nevada State meet for three years; and

WHEREAS, Academic Olympics is a competition between teams of students from local schools where students answer questions about topics like mathematics, science, literature, politics, current events, and pop culture. Students prepare for competitions by meeting regularly to study and share their knowledge with one another. Each student has a "niche" of proficiency which makes the team very diverse and successful; and

WHEREAS, in 2019, Excel Christian School won the 1A Academic Olympic State Championship, earning the first State Championship in the school's history.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RONALD E. SMITH, Mayor of the City of Sparks, do hereby join with the City Council in commending Excel Christian School for their historic win this year - we are proud of your hard work and dedication!

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Sparks, Nevada to be affixed this 9th day of March, 2020.

RONALD E. SMITH, Mayor

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ATTEST:

LISA HUNDERMAN, City Clerk

