



Commendation

WHEREAS, "Sandy's Book Nook" is part of the "Little Free Library," the world's largest book-sharing movement, and was made possible by the Burke-Dailey Family in honor of their late wife and mother, Sandra Jean Burke. Sandy's husband Mike Burke built the library, it was placed on the Diedrichsen Elementary School campus and will be dedicated on December 20, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Sandra Jean Burke was a long-time volunteer in the school library at Diedrichsen Elementary School in Sparks, Nevada. She also volunteered at the Bud Beasley Library while her grandchildren were students there. In addition, she and her husband Mike Burke volunteered at the Fernley Public Library where they lived until her passing; and

WHEREAS, Sandra loved to read - there was never a time that you saw her without a book close-by. She loved to see kids in the library getting excited about books and she read to her grandkids every chance she got! She would be very proud of her Little Library, and we are quite sure she looks down on it from Heaven, keeping it safe for all you who open its doors.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RONALD E. SMITH, Mayor of the City of Sparks, Nevada, do hereby join with the City Council in commending the Burke-Dailey Family: Mike Burke, Marci Burke, Laura Burke, Morgan Dailey, Conner Dailey and Lillian Dailey for keeping Sandra's memory alive and bringing such a wonderful memorial to the children of our city.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Sparks, Nevada to be affixed this 21st day of November, 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ronald E. Smith".

RONALD E. SMITH, Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lisa Hunderman".

LISA HUNDERMAN, City Clerk

