

City of Sparks

Commendation

WHEREAS, High Sierra Industries, founded in 1977, is an organization that helps people with disabilities throughout the Truckee Meadows in northern Nevada; and

WHEREAS, a critical segment of High Sierra Industries' program is the Supervised Living Arrangement, where 24-hour homes provide the caring setting for supported individuals to live supervised and productive lives; and

WHEREAS, one such 24-hour care home utilizes the devoted services of 7-year HSI employee, Mr. Emeka Ani, and 2-year HSI employee, Ms. Patricia MacDonald to oversee and champion the daily activities of four supported individuals; and

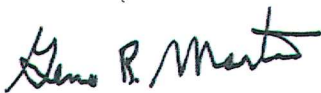
WHEREAS, on March 14, 2015, one of the supported individuals suffered a cardiac arrest and required life-saving CPR in the home; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ani and Ms. MacDonald performed 2-person CPR on the cardiac arrest victim and continued CPR until his life returned and medical professionals arrived on the scene; and

WHEREAS, Ms. MacDonald and Mr. Ani are recognized for their speedy and meritorious actions that resulted in saving a life.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GENO R. MARTINI, Mayor of the City of Sparks Nevada, join with the City Council to commend Mr. Emeka Ani and Ms. Patricia MacDonald for the dedication and lifesaving skills they persistently employed to save the life of another.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Sparks, Nevada to be affixed this 7th day of May, 2015.



GENO R. MARTINI, Mayor

ATTEST:



TERESA GARDNER, City Clerk

