



## Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, It is the mission of Passport Day in the USA to reach out to U.S. Citizens across the United States with an annual, nationally coordinated event that provides convenient and valuable passport services to our customers; and

**WHEREAS**, In honor of National Passport Day, the City of Sparks Customer Service Desk will be open Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013 between the hours of 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. for U.S. Citizens to apply for or renew their passport book or passport card, no appointment necessary; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Sparks Customer Service Division is a “participatory facility” for passport acceptance and has six certified acceptance agents; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Sparks has processed over 8,000 passport applications over the last five years; and

**WHEREAS**, The Customer Service Division believes that providing this service is a convenience and benefit to the citizens of Sparks and neighboring communities; and

**WHEREAS**, In a recent compliance visit, it was reported that “this acceptance facility is a good example of how an facility can be run effortlessly and in full compliance due to good work practices and responsible performance; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, GENO R. MARTINI**, Mayor of the City of Sparks, Nevada, do hereby proclaim Saturday, March 9, 2013 as:

### “Passport Day - Focusing on Family Travel”

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Sparks, Nevada to be affixed this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2013.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Geno R. Martini".

GENO R. MARTINI, Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Teresa Gardner".

TERESA GARDNER, City Clerk

