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Interim Chancellor Patty Charlton
Nevada System of Higher Education
Via email: pcharlton@nshe.nevada.edu

Chair Amy J. Carvalho
Board of Regents
Nevada System of Higher Education
Via email: acarvalho@nshe.nevada.edu

RE: Joyce Helens

Dear Interim Chancellor Charlton and Chair Carvalho:

I am writing to express my strong support for granting Emeritus Status to retired Great Basin College President Joyce Helens in recognition of her exceptional contributions to the college and the State of Nevada. President Helens dedicated her career to serving the citizens of rural Nevada, tirelessly working to build healthy, vibrant communities and empowering individuals to achieve the American Dream. Her unwavering commitment to fostering educational opportunities and improving the lives of rural Nevadans makes her truly deserving of this recognition.

Thank you for considering this well-earned recognition.

Sincerely,

Joe Lombardo
Governor