



RESOLUTION No. 21-114

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING APRIL 2021, AND EVERY APRIL THEREAFTER, AS ARTS, CULTURE, AND CREATIVITY MONTH IN NEVADA COUNTY IN COORDINATION WITH CALIFORNIA'S DESIGNATION PER SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33

WHEREAS, arts are not only an impressive and important agent for economic development, but also impact societal issues that include health, corrections, housing, immigration, veterans, transportation, and education; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative for all children and youth in Nevada County to have access to arts education in their schools; and

WHEREAS, California is the fifth largest economy in the world, with a creative economy of approximately \$650 billion in 2020 according to the *2020 Otis Report on the Creative Economy*; and

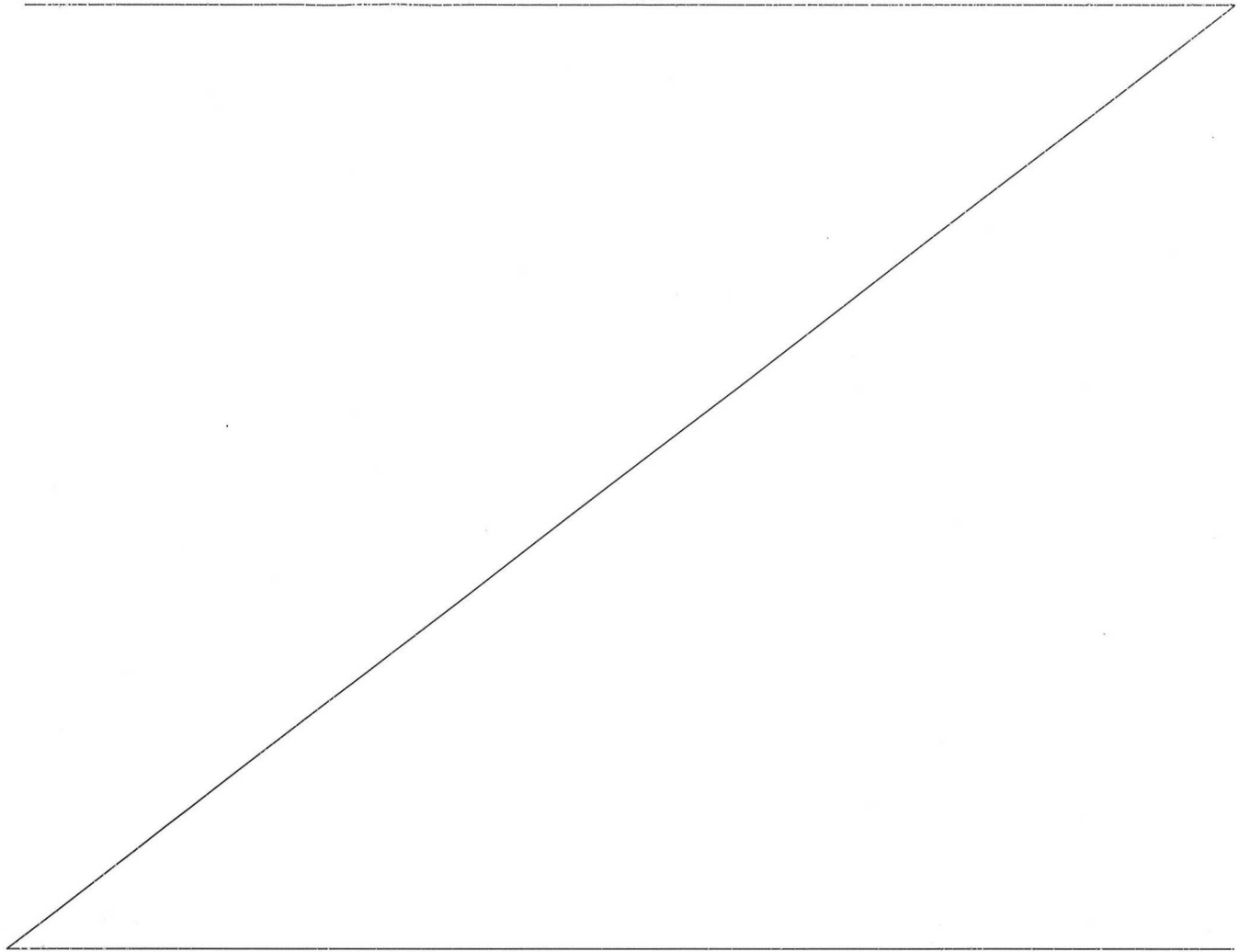
WHEREAS, Nevada County's own creative sector, according to *Arts & Economic Prosperity in Nevada County*, a study by Americans for the Arts in 2019, generated \$46.9 million in total economic activity in annual spending, supported 869 full-time equivalent jobs, generated \$20.9 million in household income to local residents, and delivered \$5.1 million in local and state government revenue; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 33 on April 25, 2019 proclaiming April 2019, and every April thereafter, as Arts, Culture, and Creativity Month; and

WHEREAS, in Nevada County the arts serve to give voice to our many communities, spark individual creativity, foster empathy and understanding, spur civic engagement, and serve as a continual source of personal enrichment, inspiration, and growth; and

WHEREAS, Nevada County's support for the arts, arts education, and cultural institutions is crucial to achieve equitable access to the arts throughout Nevada County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada hereby proclaims April 2021, and every April thereafter, as Arts, Culture, and Creativity Month in Nevada County as a significant time to recognize and celebrate the arts, culture, and creativity of all peoples in Nevada County in coordination with California's designation per Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 33.



PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada at a regular meeting of said Board, held on the 13th day of April, 2021, by the following vote of said Board:

Ayes: Supervisors Heidi Hall, Edward Scofield, Dan Miller, Susan K. Hoek and Hardy Bullock.

Noes: None.

Absent: None.

Abstain: None.

ATTEST:

JULIE PATTERSON HUNTER
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____

Dan Miller, Chair

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