

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

Roy Lewis
September 26, 2023

The County of Nevada Board of Supervisors takes great pleasure in recognizing and thanking Roy Lewis for his bravery and heroic efforts in helping prevent the spread of the newly sparked Reader Fire on August 17, 2023.

On August 17, 2023, the quick-thinking actions and heroic efforts of Roy Lewis directly helped curtail the spread of the newly started Reader Fire, minimizing the destruction to the local community.

Roy, a driver for UPS, was in the middle of his normal delivery route when he noticed a fire along Highway 49, just south of North San Juan. Without hesitation, Roy pulled over and took out his fire extinguisher to work together with another local citizen to damper the flames. Just as the fire retardant in the extinguishers was running out, the fire department arrived to further attack the spread of the fire.

The quick response of Roy directly assisted in putting out four spot fires and ultimately mitigating the spread of the Reader Fire.

Therefore, the County of Nevada Board of Supervisors takes great pleasure in recognizing and thanking Roy Lewis for his extraordinary acts of bravery and selflessness which ultimately helped curtail the spread of a newly sparked wildfire and minimize the destruction to the local community.

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