SENATE RESOLUTION—Expressing appreciation to the Senate staff for their service during the 33rd Special Session of the Nevada Legislature.

WHEREAS, An extraordinary occasion, resulting from the global COVID-19 pandemic, caused a delay in the completion of the 2020 decennial census; and

WHEREAS, Due to the disruption caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, the United States Census Bureau did not release the 2020 Census Redistricting Data until August 2021, after the adjournment of the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature; and

WHEREAS, The Governor called the 33rd Special Session of the Nevada Legislature on November 12, 2021, to consider matters of redistricting and reapportionment; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary of the Senate Claire J. Clift, Assistant Secretary of the Senate Sherry Rodriguez and a small number of the able and dedicated staff of the Senate quickly prepared for this special session; and

WHEREAS, Applying their incredible work ethic, proficiency and ability to overcome obstacles, the Senate staff were able to meet the demands of the special session to redistrict both legislative houses, the congressional districts and the districts of the State Board of Education and the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, The Senate staff provided services eagerly and professionally, regardless of the time of day or number of hours required to ensure that legislative duties be completed in a timely and efficient manner; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That the members of the Senate do hereby express their sincere appreciation to the outstanding officers and employees of the Senate and commend their dedication, cooperation, excellent work and willingness to serve the State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the Senate prepare and retain a copy of this resolution on behalf of the Senate staff; and be it further
RESOLVED, That this resolution becomes effective upon adoption.