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July 18,2025 Nevada Interagency Advisory Council on Homelessness to Housing Technical Assistance Committee c/o DWSS DWSSH2H@dwss.nv.gov

Dear ICHHTA Committee Members, ICHHTA Members,

I am writing to express my strong interest in joining the Technical Assistance Committee of the Nevada Interagency Advisory Council on Homelessness to Housing. As the CEO of Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth (NPHY), I bring nearly two decades of experience in youth homelessness services, systems advocacy, and cross-sector leadership-both locally and nationally.

At NPHY, I've led efforts to design and scale effective wraparound housing and homelessness prevention programs tailored to the needs of unaccompanied youth, while championing systems-level strategies to drive long-term change. I launched the Movement to End Youth Homelessness in Southern Nevada, which has grown into a statewide model of collaborative planning and policy innovation. My leadership has contributed to the passage of key legislation supporting youth experiencing homelessness and has helped shape community-wide strategic plans, including through my service on the Southern Nevada Homelessness Continuum of Care Board.

My work has always emphasized cross-system coordination-particularly in integrating behavioral health, education, and housing supports. I currently serve on the National Network for Youth Board of Directors and the Advisory Board of National Safe Place, which keeps me connected to national best practices. I have also collaborated with state and local leaders to align data systems, close service gaps, and elevate youth voice in strategic planning.

I am deeply committed to strengthening Nevada's statewide response to homelessness and would be honored to contribute my expertise in housing models, systems integration, and policy advocacy to the TA Committee. I welcome the opportunity to support the Council's mission, especially as we address critical intersections across housing, health, and opportunity.

Thank you for your consideration, and for your leadership in shaping a more equitable and coordinated statewide strategy to end homelessness. I look forward to the possibility of contributing to this important work.

Warmly,

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