~P R O C L A M A T I O N~

WHEREAS, Clark County is home to many waterways that are critical to a healthy environment and beloved by residents; and

WHEREAS, stormwater runoff becomes polluted with fertilizers, pesticides, pet waste, sediment, tire particles and vehicle fluids as it flows over roads, sidewalks, parking lots, roofs and lawns; and

WHEREAS, untreated stormwater runoff flows into storm drains that empty into waterways of Clark County, representing the largest source of water pollution; and

WHEREAS, plants, soil and green infrastructure such as permeable pavements, rain gardens, stormwater ponds, filter cartridges and other best management practices help absorb stormwater runoff and reduce pollution; and

WHEREAS, Clark County residents and businesses can make small changes in their daily activities to reduce stormwater pollution; and

WHEREAS, Stormwater Awareness Week is an opportunity for the Clark County community to recognize the importance of stormwater pollution prevention and green infrastructure in protecting our waterways.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Clark County Council, do hereby proclaim the week of November 16 – 21, 2026 as

~Stormwater Awareness Week~

and call upon residents and businesses to protect our waterways by participating in stormwater awareness events and activities.

Signed on this the 17th day of November 2026.

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