

**A PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR
IN RECOGNITION OF
THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 14 – 20, 2020
NEVADA FLOOD AWARENESS WEEK**

WHEREAS, Elko recognizes the significant threat flooding poses to residents, the City and our local economy; and

WHEREAS, Elko has endured repeated flood events from our watershed in the Humboldt River Basin; and

WHEREAS, Elko is at particular risk of flooding, from slow rising riverine flooding in the winter and swift flash flooding in the summer; and

WHEREAS, during Nevada Flood Awareness Week, local, state and federal agencies across the state are working together to inform the public about the dangers of flooding, how to protect their homes and families from a flood, and plan for recovery; and

WHEREAS, Nevada Flood Awareness Week 2020 will be held statewide the week of November 14-20; and

WHEREAS, the theme for Nevada Flood Awareness Week 2020 is “Nevada Floods. Are You Prepared?” and the corresponding website is www.NevadaFloods.org

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, ELKO will participate in Nevada Flood Awareness Week, and supports increased public awareness of flood threats, and encourages all city residents to take action.

Dated this 10th day of November, 2020



**Reece Keener, Mayor
Elko, Nevada**