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## Office of the Governor

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Dear Nevada Board of Examiners for Social Workers:

It is my honor to take this opportunity to recognize the Board of Examiners for Social Workers (BOES) and their 35<sup>th</sup> year of commitment to the well-being of Nevadans.

Since its creation in 1987, the Nevada Board of Examiners for Social Workers (BOESW) has issued over 10,000 Nevada social worker licenses and as of today, there are more than 4,000 individuals holding current Nevada licenses. In addition, the Nevada Board of Examiners for Social Workers has issued 850 Licensed Master Social Workers licenses after legislation was implemented for this new licensing category on July 1, 2021. Social Workers work in all facets of our society to improve human well-being and enhance the basic needs of all people no matter their circumstances. They work hard to empower people to meet their fullest potential.

As Governor of the great State of Nevada, I applaud the Nevada Board of Examiners for Social Workers for their steadfast commitment to our state and wish them continued success as they help our communities. Again, I am grateful for the vision and commitment of the Nevada Board of Examiners for Social Workers, and I am honored to wish you all a Happy 35th Anniversary.

Sincerely

Governor Steve Sisolak

State of Nevada