

February 3, 2022

Honorable US Senator Jacky Rosen 713 Hart Senate Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510

Honorable US Senator Roger Wicker 555 Dirksen Senate Office Bldg. Washington, DC, 20510

RE: Support for Omnibus Travel and Tourism Act of 2021 (S. 3375)

Dear Senator Rosen and Senator Wicker,

For nearly 80 years, the Henderson Chamber of Commerce (Chamber) has been dedicated to the growth and progress of our business community. Today, we serve as the essential voice of business to our more than 1700 members and the more than 180,000 Nevadans they employ throughout Southern Nevada. A large part of our work as one of the state's largest chamber business organizations, is to strengthen and empower businesses, enhance economic development efforts, and work with elected officials and residents to create a flourishing business community.

We want to thank you for leading the Omnibus Travel and Tourism Act of 2021 and offer our support for this bill. Our community relies heavily on the success of our travel and tourism industry – from our large gaming properties to the countless, local small businesses who provide products and services larger companies need to succeed. In fact, our small businesses who operate within this industry continue to struggle through this COVID-19 pandemic – from our local artisan food producers, event staffing services, small venue operators/hotels/taverns, to convention display manufacturers. These chamber businesses, and more, stand to gain the support they need to continue serving their communities and those that come to visit our great state.

The Henderson Chamber is pleased to see that the Omnibus Travel and Tourism Act of 2021 has passed out of the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. We encourage swift passage of this legislation out of the Senate and full Congress.

Please contact me at astidham@hendersonchamber.com or 702-565-8951 if you have questions or would like additional information.

Sincerely,

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