



Dear ***We the People*** Supporter,

The State Bar of Nevada has phased out support for elementary and middle school civics programming, and may eventually also relinquish control over the high school *We the People: The Citizen & the Constitution* program. To maintain this vital civics-education asset, a group of *We the People* teachers, judges, mentors, and coordinators formed a 501c3 non-profit corporation in November 2016.

The Nevada Center for Civic Engagement (www.nvcce.org) (EIN # 81-3948081) was established to support Nevada's elementary and middle school *We the People: the Citizen & the Constitution* programs. (See, also, www.civiced.org) We need your support especially in these building years.

We anticipate being the sole managing authority over the *We the People* program by the summer of 2018. Between now and then, however, fundraising is a top priority, and we are currently searching for supporters of the program who would like to take on an additional role in the organization helping us to fundraise \$50,000-\$100,000 to keep the programs up and running through the 2018-2019 school year. We are also working to secure grant funding and have found some success. However, many foundations require a five year financial record prior to consideration of a grant application.

Each of us happily participates in and volunteers for the *We the People* program because we believe in its mission of promoting civics education and engagement. Today we are asking you to consider supporting *We the People* with a financial donation or a contribution of your time and skills in fundraising.

Civics education is important for every child,

The Nevada Center for Civic Engagement

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