

# Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** originally founded in 1852, the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) is the oldest national engineering society in the United States with more than 147,000 national and international members today; and,

**WHEREAS,** ASCE's vision is to position engineers as global leaders building a better quality of life, with educational activities extended to college campuses to help future engineers become better prepared for their careers; and,

**WHEREAS,** in 2008, the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) Howard R. Hughes College of Engineering and UNLV's ASCE student chapter were selected as the 2010 Pacific Southwest Regional Competition Host, an honor that occurs only every 15 years and the result of the hard work of a sixteen-member committee; and,

**WHEREAS,** seventeen teams from the southwestern United States and Hawaii will participate in a three-day series of competitions involving steel and concrete construction as well as other engineering-related skills, including the Concrete Canoe, Steel Bridge and Geotechnical events; and,

**WHEREAS,** the events allow the student teams to apply their classroom knowledge to design, construct and solve a variety of engineering problems through participating in this competition;

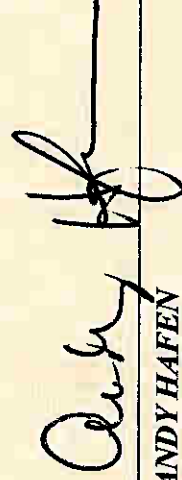
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Andy Hafen, as Mayor of the City of Henderson, Nevada do hereby proclaim**  
April 8 – 10, 2010 as


## **2010 ASCE PACIFIC SOUTHWEST REGIONAL COMPETITION DAYS**

in the City of Henderson and ask all citizens to recognize the hard work and dedication of ASCE student chapters and the 2010 competition teams.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Henderson, Nevada, to be affixed this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2010.



  
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**ANDY HAFEN**  
Mayor, City of Henderson

**ATTEST:**  
  
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**MONICA MARTINEZ SIMMONS, MMC**  
City Clerk