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Announcement of Nevada Hero of the Day, May 4, 2020

Stacy Smith is the CEO of Nye Communities Coalition, or NyECC, a nonprofit founded in 2002 to build various advocacy and partnership coalitions in Nye, Esmerelda and Lincoln counties. Since the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, NyECC assisted people filing for unemployment, coordinated warehouse food donation and distribution, while still holding weekly, virtual community meetings. According to her nominator, Stacy's ability to obtain grants and continue vital programs through the pandemic is making a difference in the lives of many central Nevada citizens. Thank you, Stacy, for all you've done over the past two decades and your efforts during the pandemic.



During challenging times, it's important to recognize the good we see. Every day, heroes among us are taking care of their neighbors, showing up to work at their essential jobs, working on the front line, saving lives, or just staying home for Nevada. Thank them when you see them. Nominate your hero by sending their name, photo and a brief description to NevadaHero@gmail.com. Heroes will be highlighted on the Nevada Health Response [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), and [Instagram](#) accounts.

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