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Dear Members of the Nevada Sheriffs' and Chiefs' Association:

I am writing in light of recent attacks on Jewish communities worldwide, which understandably raise concerns as we approach the holiday season. While there are no known or specific threats to Nevada at this time, these incidents underscore the need for heightened awareness, vigilance, and ongoing preparedness.

I ask that your agencies remain alert to potential risks and maintain close communication with state, local, and federal partners, particularly around synagogues, Jewish community centers, schools, and events associated with Hanukkah observances, as well as other holiday gatherings that may draw larger crowds. Proactive engagement and visible presence can play an important role in both prevention and public reassurance.

Nevada is home to a rich diversity of faiths, cultures, and traditions, and our Jewish community, like all communities, has the right to gather, worship, and celebrate safely and without fear. In the coming weeks, I ask that you remain vigilant in supporting the safety and security of synagogues, community centers, schools, and public gatherings, while maintaining close coordination with state, federal, and local partners.

I am grateful for your ongoing commitment to public safety and for the professionalism and dedication you and your officers demonstrate every day. Your presence and preparedness play a critical role in maintaining public confidence and ensuring the safety of our communities.

Thank you for your continued service, leadership, and collaboration. Please do not hesitate to reach out if my office can be of assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Lombardo".

Joe Lombardo
Governor