

NSEA SUPPORT FOR AB92

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To: Assembly Committee on Education Re: AB92—English Mastery Council

The Nevada State Education Association represents teachers and education support professionals across the state. We believe that every Nevada student deserves a high-quality public education.

NSEA supports Assembly Bill 92, extending and expanding the scope of the English Mastery Council.

As a community of educators, NSEA has taken a strong interest in improving the quality of education for English learners in Nevada. We have been engaged with the English Mastery Council from its creation in 2013 and support the extension of the work through 2022. This work will be particularly important as the Nevada Plan is transitioned to create more equity in education. Meanwhile, the inclusion of students struggling with English Language Arts who are not English learners is important to make the work of the Council more equitable and inclusive.