

Lyon County School District Board Memo

Date: June 23, 2026

To: Board of School Trustees

From: Rachel Stewart, Executive Director of Special Services

Re: Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) -Special Olympics Nevada, Inc.

Recommendation:

That the LCSD Board of Trustees approve the MOU with Special Olympics Nevada, Inc. and LCSD.

Background Information:

In 2021, the LCSD Board of Trustees approved the position of an Adaptive PE teacher to assist in supporting students with disabilities. Since this time, LCSD has been participating in the Unified Champion Schools Program (UCS) through Special Olympics Nevada, Inc. Each year students with and without disabilities have participated in the UCS Basketball Tournament in the winter as well as the LCSD Track and Field Meet in the spring. In the 2025-2026 school year, the LCSD was able to hold several basketball tournaments between our schools at school sites as well as a Bowling event with funding from Special Olympics Nevada.

Budget Considerations:

This agreement allows for the LCSD to defray costs incurred in implementing the UCS Program.

Discussed at Previous Meeting:

N/A

Attachment(s):

Special Olympics MOU 2026-2027

***Mission Statement** Lyon County School District fosters learning for life, empowers connected learners, promotes student ownership, and encourages discovery learning for success in a rapidly evolving world.*