



April 29, 2025

Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections
401 S. Carson Street
Carson City, NV 89701

Re: Testimony in Support for Assembly Bill 306

Dear Chair Ohrenschall and Members of the Committee:

I am writing on behalf of Native Voters Alliance Nevada in support of AB306. On paper, that three-day window between the last day of early voting and Election Day might look insignificant, but in real life, it can be the difference between a vote cast and a voice silenced.

Not every Nevadan has control over their schedule. People across this state work overnight shifts, juggle two jobs, care for children or elders, or, like my husband, a first responder, work 48 hours straight with no guarantee they'll be free when voting hours align.

Things happen. Emergencies arise. Life doesn't stop for our elections and a functioning democracy doesn't expect it to.

At its heart, this bill is about designing an election system that reflects how people actually live, not how we wish they did. These voters aren't careless. They're busy, stretched thin, and doing their best.

If we're serious about protecting the integrity of our elections, the answer isn't restricting access, it's designing a system that includes every single eligible voter and reflects the realities of how Nevadans live and work. Trust is built when voters see a system that works for them, not just for those with flexible schedules and free time.

We urge your support.

A hui hou,

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About Native Voters Alliance Nevada: A rising powerhouse in the Nevada political landscape, Native Voters Alliance Nevada (NVAN) is dedicated to forging a dynamic Native ecosystem and fostering political strength within Indigenous communities. We serve as a resonating platform for urban and Tribal Nation voices, guiding elections, molding legislation, and championing Tribal sovereignty. Join us in our empowering journey and learn more at <https://nativevotesnv.org/>.