

## **Sense of the Senate Honoring Former Regent Thalia Dondero**

Sense of the Senate Resolution - September 13, 2016:

Be it resolved that We, the Faculty Senate of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, wish on this day, September 13, 2016, to honor the life of Thalia Sperry Dondero, who devoted so much of her energy, wisdom, and generous spirit to the benefit of the citizens of Nevada; for being a tireless advocate for improving education in our county and state; for breaking gender barriers by being the first woman ever to be elected to the Clark County Commission and to have served as its chair; and for her twelve years of invaluable contributions to higher education by serving on the Nevada Board of Regents; for all of this and more, the UNLV faculty express our enduring admiration and gratitude. Thank you, Regent Dondero, for your life of such devoted service to our state and our community.

*Approved unanimously by Senate 9/13/2016 – chair William J. Robinson*