

Same-sex marriage became legal in Nevada. (It was 11 years after Massachusetts became the first state to legalize it and eight months before the U.S. Supreme Court legalized it in all 50.)

NRS 193 passed, allowing Nevadans to legally claim the gender that they express, even if it's different from the one they were assigned at birth.

After seven years in development, Our Center opened, offering resources, events and a meeting place for LGBTQ seniors, teens and everyone in between.

2014

2015

2016

In June 2015, hundreds gathered at the Washoe County Courthouse to celebrate the U. S. Supreme Court's decision making same-sex marriage legal in every state. PHOTO: COURTESY DEVON REESE



2019

Nevada joined several states and countries in legally recognizing people who are non-binary when the Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles implemented gender-neutral IDs.



2019

Attorney Devon Reese became Reno's first openly gay Reno City Councilmember.

2019

On June 3, the Nevada Senate passed Joint Resolution 8, colloquially known as the "Equality Act," prohibiting discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity in education, employment, housing, credit, jury service, public accommodations and the use of federal funds. It will appear on the ballot in 2020.



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