

# Did You Know FEBRUARY

1. Did you know? **ECAR is a 2018 Presidents Cup Winner!!!** Both Elko County Association of Realtors and the State of Nevada received this high honor and were recognized in Washington DC in 2017 for their achievements and will be recognized again for 2018. Keep Up The Good Work By Investing in Your Business and protecting your rights!  
The President's Cup recognizes the hard work state and local REALTOR® leaders and association staff perform to advance the REALTOR® Party. This high honor continues as REALTOR® leaders and state and local associations are urged to achieve especially important advocacy and RPAC goals. The President's Cup is presented annually in May at the REALTORS® Legislative Meeting & Trade Expo to states who meet all advocacy and RPAC goals.
2. Did You Know? Incline Village received the **RPAC Traveling Trophy** by significantly beating Elko in their goals and actual RPAC investment and response to calls to action from their association- Elko would like to have the trophy come back home this year, time to step up your investment.
3. Did You Know? **Mobile Text Alerts are the free,** simple and effective way for you to lend your voice to important REALTOR® issues. Here's how you sign up. First, **text the word REALTORS to 30644.** Next, **hit SEND.** Give it a shot, whether you think you are already signed up or not.
4. Did You Know? **Good News for All Nevada REALTORS® Members** Hometown Health and Nevada REALTORS® have joined together to offer the **Nevada REALTORS® Health Plan** just for our Nevada REALTORS® members! Exciting Benefits of Enrolling in a NVR Plan: Members can save up to 26% on premiums by switching to the Nevada REALTORS® Health Plan from the individual market. Call Hometown Health for more details and rates.
5. Did You Know? In **2019 REALTOR Benefits** have been updated. Check Out [www.nar.realtor/realtor-benefits-program](http://www.nar.realtor/realtor-benefits-program) to see what has been added or changed.
6. Did You Know? If you need to discontinue your Elko County Association membership for any reason, you must **give written notice to the ECAR Office** (Association Executive), otherwise you are financially responsible for recurring membership and MLS dues.
7. Did You Know? Upon your **disassociation with ECAR a copy of your 505 Termination Form** from your broker needs to be given to the ECAR office or Association Executive so that the proper protocol may be followed in discontinuing your membership privileges with the local, state and national associations.
8. Did You Know? That the Elko County Association of REALTORS is looking at **purchasing versus leasing.** Have an opinion about the best avenue or alternative route. Think leasing is luxurious or buying is better **give us your opinion!** – please contact Marissa Lostra for the next meeting to discuss options and idea.
9. Did You Know? We are having **Quarterly Broker Meetings-** the next one will be **March 7<sup>th</sup> 9:00am** at the ECAR office –BROKERS Please Join Us!
10. Did You Know? There are local **education opportunities** coming up in March! **March 4<sup>th</sup> at 10am** the Nevada Rural Housing will be hosting a class at the Chamber of Commerce to inform and certify REALTORS in their **HOME AT LAST Program.** Please contact Tiffany Taylor of First Colony Mortgage to RSVP and for more information. **March 13<sup>th</sup>-There is a Valuing A Business Class** offered from 1:0pm-4:00pm Please Contact Denise Taylor at the ECAR office for more information.

**\*\* Denise will be out of the office for training in Austin, Texas (OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED) February 27<sup>th</sup>-March 1<sup>st</sup>**