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Program Updates

- Trade & Economic Development
 - Hosted a virtual trade mission on February 7, with buyers from Hong Kong with a consumer-oriented focus
 - Three Nevada companies participated
 - Attended Gulfood Trade Show (largest annual food and beverage show) in Dubai,
 UAE February 10-18 with one Nevada company
 - Nevada Craft Beverage Passport launched February 25, with 37 establishments participating from all areas of the state
- Communications, Promotions & News
 - o News
 - NDA seeking Summer Food Service Program partners
 - News4
 - Nevada business selected as Good Food Award recipient
 - Nevada Appeal
 - NDA announces 2022 USDA Child and Adult Care Food Program partners
 - Whole milk voluntarily recalled in Nevada
 - KLAS (8 News Now)
 - KVVU (Fox 5 Las Vegas)
 - This is Reno
 - Nevada Appeal
 - Nevada State News
 - Annual Cattlemen's Update in Gardnerville (Record Courier)
 - Green industry training offered for landscapers and nursery workers (Nevada Today)
 - <u>Nevada ranchers hopeful for future beef demand</u> (Northern Nevada Business Weekly)
 - City, NDOT to discuss Virginia Range horses at upcoming community meeting (This is Reno)
 - State approves first in a series of grants to nonprofits for community recovery (Nevada Current)
 - Virginia Range Feral Horses
 - Sand Hill Dairy whole milk recall
 - General Nevada agriculture
 - Food Insecurity programs
 - The communications team continues to implement four concurrent communications plans with tactics including:
 - Monthly newsletters
 - Industry Updates
 - Sent the following regulation notices:
 - NAC 587

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- NAC 590
- NAC 552
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- Since December, staff have fielded 19 public record requests, of which 11 have been completed
- Staff have completed educational and promotional materials, including:
 - Edible Reno-Tahoe advertisements promoting local food
 - Livestock Fee Changes letter and addendum
 - Nevada Craft Beverage Passport
 - <u>Lunch and Learn</u> save the dates
 - Nevada Food and Agriculture Trade Report 2021 Q3
 - Nevada Native Seed Forum invitations