

Dear Nevada family:

Saving for higher education is one of the most important things we can do for our own families and for the future of Nevada. That's why we are pleased to partner with groups around the state for **Walk Into My Future.** 

## WALK INTO MY FUTURE IS A PLEDGE EVENT LIKE NO OTHER:

- Children take part in a sponsored event (like walking 5.29k).
- They ask family and friends to pledge money for their future higher education.
- All of the pledges go into a SSgA Upromise 529 account that you've set up for the student in your life.

**Walk Into My Future** will encourage our children to take pride in their potential. It will also give them control over their future by taking an active role in saving for their higher education. You will be receiving details about the actual event from the sponsoring organization.

The SSgA Upromise 529 was designed to help families like yours start saving now for tomorrow's higher education. It offers tax advantages<sup>1</sup>, professional investment management, and more ways to save, like the Silver State Matching Grant Program. The initial contribution requirement if you choose to open an account for Walk pledges.

## HERE ARE A FEW RESOURCES:

- To learn more about or to enroll in the SSgA Upromise 529, visit nevadas529.com.
- For an easy way to invite family and friends to pledge, consider "Ugift<sup>®</sup>-Give College Savings"; information about this innovative program is available at **nevadas529.com.**
- To learn more about the Walk and how to participate, visit **intomyfuture529.com.**

Thank you for your help in making this great event a success.

## Sincerely, SSgA Upromise 529 Plan

<sup>1</sup> The availability of tax and other benefits may be contingent on meeting other requirements.



"I encourage you to save for college, **'one step at a time.'** We all want to help Nevada children attain the best education possible. This is a wonderful way to provide them with a gift that will last a lifetime higher education."



– Kate Marshall, Nevada State Treasurer



For more information about the SSgA Upromise 529 Plan call I-800-587-7305 or visit www.ssga.upromise529.com to obtain a Plan Description and Participation Agreement. Investment objectives, risks, charges, expenses, and other important information are included in the Plan Description; read and consider it carefully before investing. Upromise Investments, Inc., Distributor.

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