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**NEVADA FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA ANNOUNCES
NEW STATE CONFERENCE VENUE**

Reno's Grand Sierra Resort selected to host State Business Leadership Conference.

Reno, NV—Nevada Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) has selected Grand Sierra Resort as the site of its annual State Business Leadership Conference. Nevada FBLA signed for Grand Sierra to host 4 out of the next 5 state conferences. The 2008 State Business Leadership Conference will be held April 20-23, 2008 and will host an estimated 500 high school students, teachers, business partners, and community leaders.

"We are very impressed with the new vision, management, and attention to service at the Grand Sierra Resort," said FBLA Executive Director Ryan Underwood. "The resort amenities, convention space, and affordable excellence made it an easy decision for us. And with the strong support of business and education from Reno/Tahoe community, we're excited to be at Grand Sierra for four out of the next five years."

During the 3 day conference the future business leaders will participate in over 50 competitive events testing their knowledge in business, entrepreneurship and technology. Top winners will go on to represent Nevada FBLA at the 2008 FBLA National Leadership Conference in Atlanta, Georgia June 2008. In addition to the competitive events program, Nevada FBLA will conduct state business, elect new

officers to the State Executive Council, offer leadership and career development workshops, and participate in a March of Dimes Mini WalkAmerica.

FBLA is nonprofit 501(c)3 and the premier organization for student leaders preparing for careers in business, management, entrepreneurship, and technology. For more than 60 years FBLA has been the place where 10 million students have found the keys to unlocking the doors to career success, personal achievement, and business leadership. Along with the Middle Level and Collegiate Division, FBLA is the place where business and education comes to life for students! Through FBLA's motto of SERVICE, EDUCATION, and PROGRESS more than 250,000 students participate in innovative leadership and career development programs that bring together members on the local, regional, state, national, and international levels.

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