



## **Sash and the slowpokes from *Survival of the Slowest* can't get enough of Reno**

*The Discovery's limited-time exhibition will extend its stay in the Biggest Little City until Jan. 22*

**RENO, Nev. (Jan. 6, 2022 )** – Sash the two-toed sloth and her squad of slow-moving friends are in no hurry to leave Reno. *Survival of the Slowest*, the world-class educational exhibition at the Terry Lee Wells Discovery Museum (The Discovery), will extend its stay until Sunday, Jan. 22.

“This exhibition has generated a lot of interest and we’re excited to have it for two additional weeks,” said Mat Sinclair, President/CEO of The Discovery. “Exhibitions like *Survival of the Slowest* are a key way the museum engages with people of all ages and inspires them to explore science.”

*Survival of the Slowest* explores the often-overlooked species that have used their disadvantages to help them survive – and even thrive – in a world where large, strong and fast animals are often at the top of the food chain.

At 10,000 square-feet, *Survival of the Slowest* is The Discovery’s largest exhibition to date and features 19 habitats populated by nature’s most notorious slowpokes, including a red-footed tortoise, green iguana, four-toed hedgehog, bearded dragon, ball python – and the undeniable star of the show – Sash, a two-year-old, female two-toed sloth who acts as the unofficial representative for glacially-paced creatures across the globe.

Visitors of all ages can get up close and personal with these unhurried animals during daily feedings and demonstrations presented by Little Ray’s Nature Centre. Meet the cast of curious critters and learn how they use adaptations to fuel survival in competitive ecosystems.

*Survival of the Slowest* will run through Jan. 22, 2023. The exhibition is included with museum admission. Visit [nvdm.org](http://nvdm.org) for more information.

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### **About The Discovery**

The Discovery creates interest and engagement in science for all. Through unique, hands-on programs, exhibitions and events, The Discovery creates learning experiences that range from simple curiosity to deep understanding, empowering a community of critical thinkers. The Discovery is a locally founded nonprofit 501(c)3 organization. To learn more about The Discovery and how you can help support the museum’s mission, visit [www.nvdm.org](http://www.nvdm.org).