

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Public Lands
(*Nevada Revised Statutes 218E.510*)

Date and Time of Meeting: Friday, May 7, 2010
8:30 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Tonopah Convention Center
301 West Brougher Avenue
Tonopah, Nevada

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A G E N D A

Note: Items on this agenda may be taken in a different order than listed.

*Denotes items on which the Committee may take action.

I. Opening Remarks
Senator Dean A. Rhoads, Chair

*II. Approval of Minutes of the March 18, 2010, Meeting Held in Carson City, Nevada

*III. Update on Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Programs and Activities in Nevada
Tom Seley, Field Manager, Tonopah Field Office, BLM
Doran Sanchez, Chief, Office of Communications, BLM, Nevada

*IV. Update on United States Forest Service (USFS) Activities and Planning Efforts in Nevada
Steven Williams, District Ranger, Austin and Tonopah Ranger Districts, USFS

*V. Presentation on the Programs and Activities of the Central Nevada Regional Water Authority (CNRWA)
Steve Bradhurst, Executive Director, CNRWA
Joni Eastley, Chair, Board of Directors, CNRWA
Brad Goetsch, Member, Board of Directors, CNRWA

*VI. Overview of Public Lands and Natural Resource Issues, Including Programs and Activities of Municipal Water Districts

A. Esmeralda County

Nancy Boland, Chair, Board of County Commissioners, Esmeralda County

B. Mineral County

Jerrie Tipton, Chair, Board of County Commissioners, Mineral County

C. Nye County

Representative, Nye County

*VII. Presentation on Lithium Mining in Esmeralda County

Kevin Keck, Administrative Manager, Chemetall Foote Corporation, Silver Peak Operations

*VIII. Presentation on Solar Energy Projects in Nevada

A. Solar Millennium, LLC

Jason Higgins, Director of Project Development, Solar Millennium, LLC

B. SolarReserve

Andrew Wang, Director of Development, Tonopah Solar Energy, SolarReserve

Henrik Christensen, Senior Environmental Project Manager, HDR Engineering

*IX. Update on Current Water Rights Litigation in Nevada

Kelvin Hickenbottom, P.E., Deputy State Engineer, Division of Water Resources, State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (SDCNR)

*X. Update on National Park Service (NPS) Reconnaissance Survey on Goldfield, Nevada, May 2009

*XI. Proclamation for Allen Biaggi, Director, SDCNR, Upon His Retirement

*XII. Solicitation of Recommendations for Consideration by the Legislative Committee on Public Lands at Its Work Session at the July 30, 2010, Meeting in Ely, Nevada

XIII. Public Comment

(Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker may be limited, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers.)

XIV. Adjournment

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