REVISED MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Public Lands

(Nevada Revised Statutes 218.5363)

Date and Time of Meeting: Thursday, March 18, 2010

9 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Legislative Building, Room 3137

401 South Carson Street Carson City, Nevada

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AGENDA

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
- *II. Approval of the "Summary Minutes and Action Report" of the Meeting Held on January 22, 2010, in Las Vegas, Nevada
- *III. Update on the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Programs and Activities in Western Nevada

Doran Sanchez, Chief, Office of Communications, BLM, Nevada

*IV. Update on the United States Forest Service (USFS) Programs and Activities in Western Nevada and Surrounding Areas

Rene Mabe, Acting District Ranger, Carson Ranger District, USFS Grace G. Newell, Acting District Ranger, Bridgeport Ranger District, USFS

- *V. Overview of Programs and Activities Relating to Wildfires on Public Lands and in the Urban Interface
 - A. Nevada's Division of Forestry (NDF), State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (SDCNR)

Pete Anderson, State Forester, NDF, SDCNR

B. Nevada Fire Safe Council (NFSC)

Andrew List, Executive Director, NFSC

- *VI. Presentation on Issues and Programs Relating to Noxious Weeds
 - A. State Department of Agriculture (SDA)

Scott Marsh, Program Coordinator, Plant Industry Division, SDA Tina Mudd, Special Programs Coordinator, Plant Industry Division, SDA

B. Tri-County Weed Group

Betsy Macfarlan, Executive Director, Eastern Nevada Landscape Coalition

- *VII. Overview of Programs and Issues Related to Sage Grouse in Nevada
 - A. U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS)

Bob Williams, State Supervisor, Nevada Fish and Wildlife Office, USFWS

B. Nevada's Department of Wildlife (NDOW)

Kenneth E. Mayer, M.S., Director, NDOW

- *VIII. Presentation on Activities of Water Districts in Western Nevada
 - A. Truckee-Carson Irrigation District (TCID)

Ernest C. Schank, President, Board of Directors, TCID

B. Carson Water Subconservancy District (CWSD)

Edwin James, General Manager, CWSD

C. Gardnerville Ranchos Improvement District (GRID)

Bob Spellburg, District Manager, GRID

*IX Overview of Activities of the Division of Water Resources, SDCNR

Allen Biaggi, Director, SDCNR

Jason King, Acting State Engineer, Division of Water Resources, SDCNR

*X. Overview of the Activities of the Great Basin Water Network (GBWN) Simeon Herskovits, Member, Board of Directors, GBWN

*XI. Presentation on Walker Basin Restoration Program (WBRP)

David Yardas, Senior Advisor, Western Water Programs, Interim Director, WBRP, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation

- *XII. Overview of Public Lands and Natural Resource Issues, Including Programs and Activities of Municipal Water Districts in the Following Counties
 - A. Carson City

Ken Arnold, Deputy Public Works Director, Carson City

Lee Plemel, AICP, Planning Director, Carson City

Roger Moellendorf, Parks and Recreation Director, Carson City

B. Churchill County

Representative(s), Churchill County

C. Lyon County

Mike Workman, Utilities Director, Lyon County

D. Pershing County

Representative(s), Pershing County

- XIII. Public Comment
- XIV. Adjournment

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