

## MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Senior Citizens, Veterans and Adults  
With Special Needs (*Nevada Revised Statutes 218E.750*)

Date and Time of Meeting: Tuesday, April 13, 2010  
9 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building  
Room 4401  
555 East Washington Avenue  
Las Vegas, 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

Assemblywoman Kathy McClain, Chair

\*II. Approval of the "Summary Minutes and Action Report" of the Meeting Held on March 10, 2010, in Las Vegas

\*III. Presentations Relating to the Prevention of the Abuse, Neglect, Isolation, and Exploitation of Senior Citizens and Adults With Special Needs in Nevada

A. Overview of Demographics Relating to Crimes Against Senior Citizens in Nevada  
Pam Gallion, Director, Cannon Survey Center, University of Nevada,  
Las Vegas

B. Presentation on Senior Protection Investigations and Prosecutions, and Related Efforts by the Office of the Attorney General  
Brett Kandt, Executive Director, Nevada Prosecution Advisory Council, and  
Special Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General

C. Presentation Relating to Identifying and Responding to Elder Abuse  
Lu Torres, Executive Director, The Rape Crisis Center, Las Vegas

- D. Update Relating to the Licensing of Residential Care Facilities, Assisted Living Facilities, Homes for Individual Residential Care, Personal Care Agencies, and Administrators of Residential Care Facilities to Support Prevention  
Wendy Simons, Assisted Living Consultant

\*IV. Presentations Relating to Veterans in Nevada

- A. Presentation Relating to Nevada's Office of Veterans' Services' (NOVS) Legislative Symposium  
Tim Tetz, Executive Director, NOVS
- B. Presentation Relating to Women Veterans in Nevada  
Carole L. Turner, Deputy Executive Director, NOVS
- C. Presentation Relating to the Veterans Court Calendar in the Drug Court Program, Eighth Judicial District Court of Nevada, Clark County  
Steven Roll, Specialty Courts Manager, Eighth Judicial District Court of Nevada, Clark County
- D. Presentation Relating to the Work of the Veterans Court, Second Judicial District Court of Nevada, Washoe County  
The Honorable Peter I. Breen, Senior Judge
- E. Presentation Relating to Veterans Who Have Contact With the Justice System  
Terrance P. Hubert, National Chair, Veterans Incarcerated Committee, Vietnam Veterans of America

\*V. Presentations Relating to Adults With Special Needs in Nevada

- A. Presentation Relating to the Services in Nevada for Adults With Physical Disabilities  
Carol Sala, Administrator, Aging and Disability Services Division, Nevada's Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)
- B. Presentation Relating to Adults With Developmental Disabilities  
Sherry Manning, Executive Director, Nevada Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities, DHHS

- \*VI. Summary of Key Provisions Relating to Senior Citizens, Veterans, and Adults With Special Needs in Recent Federal Health Care Reforms  
Amber J. Joiner, Senior Research Analyst, Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau

VII. 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.)**

VIII. Adjournment

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