

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Nevada's Legislative Committee on Public Lands
(*Nevada Revised Statutes* 218.5363)

Date and Time of Meeting: Friday, December 7, 2001
9 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Pioche Town Hall
Hinman and Main Streets
Pioche, Nevada

A G E N D A

I. Opening Remarks and Introductions

*II. Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting Held on September 28, 2001, in Las Vegas, Nevada

*III. Reports to the Committee

- A. Update of Public Lands Issues in Lincoln and White Pine Counties
Dan Frehner or Tim Perkins, Members, Lincoln County Board of Commissioners
Member, White Pine County Board of Commissioners
Jeff Weeks, Assistant Field Manager, Nonrenewable Resources, Ely Field Office, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), United States Department of the Interior
Jim Perkins, Assistant Field Manager, Renewable Resources, Ely Field Office, BLM
Jerry Green, Ely District Ranger, U.S. Forest Service (USFS), Department of Agriculture
- B. Presentation of the Pinion-Juniper Harvest Project in Lincoln County
John McClain, Principal, Resource Concepts, Inc.
- C. Briefing of Vidler Water Company and Nevada Land and Resource Company Projects in Lincoln and White Pine Counties
Dorothy Timian-Palmer, Chief Operating Officer, Vidler Water, and Nevada Land and Resource Companies
Steve Hartman, General Counsel
- D. Status of the Lincoln County Land Act of 2000 (*Public Law* 106-298)
Doug Carriger, Lincoln County Manager
Jeff Weeks, Assistant Field Manager, Nonrenewable Resources, Ely Field Office, BLM
Gene Drais, Lincoln County Lands Act Project Manager, Ely Field Office, BLM
- E. Update of Activities of the Southern Nevada Water Authority: Cooperative Water Resources Project, Rural County Partnership, and Experiences with Endangered Species Habitat Planning in Clark County
Julie Wilcox, Director of Public Services, Southern Nevada Water Authority
- F. Status of Grazing Activities in Lincoln and White Pine Counties
Merlin Flake, Chairman, N-4 State Grazing Board

- G. Briefing of the Great Basin Restoration Initiative
 - Betsy Mcfarlan, Eastern Nevada Landscape Coalition
 - Jeff Weeks, Assistant Field Manager, Nonrenewable Resources, Ely Field Office, BLM
 - Gary Medlyn, Soils Specialist, Ely Field Office, BLM

- H. Status of the Construction of a Fence Along a Portion of U.S. Highway 319 Between Panaca and the Nevada-Utah State Line
 - Fred Fisher, Natural Resources Supervisor, Ely Field Office, BLM
 - Phil Boucher, Nevada's Department of Transportation

- I. Status of the "Land in Lieu of PILT" (Payment in Lieu of Taxes) Proposal
 - Linda Eissmann, Senior Research Analyst, Legislative Counsel Bureau

IV. Public Comment

*V. Possible Work Session on Preceding Agenda Items

- *Denotes items on which the committee may take action.

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