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SENATE BILL NO. 296—SENATOR WASHINGTON

MARCH 17, 2003

Referred to Committee on Finance

**SUMMARY**—Makes appropriation for preparation of plans and federal and private funding requests for conversion of historic machine shop located in City of Sparks into regional science center, Amtrak station and tourist information center. (BDR S-51)

**FISCAL NOTE:** Effect on Local Government: No.  
Effect on the State: Contains Appropriation not included in Executive Budget.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

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**AN ACT** making an appropriation for the preparation of plans and federal and private funding requests for the conversion of a historic machine shop located in the City of Sparks into a regional science center, Amtrak station and tourist information center; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- 1     **Section 1.** There is hereby appropriated from the State General
- 2 Fund to the City of Sparks the sum of \$300,000 for the preparation
- 3 of environmental, engineering and business plans for the conversion
- 4 of the historic railroad machine shop located in the City of Sparks
- 5 into a regional science center, Amtrak station and tourist
- 6 information center.
- 7     **Sec. 2.** Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by
- 8 section 1 of this act must not be committed for expenditure after
- 9 June 30, 2005, and reverts to the State General Fund as soon as all
- 10 payments of money committed have been made.
- 11     **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2003.

