OPEN SPACE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE:

June 18, 2012

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER:

3B

STAFF:

Juan F. Guzman, Open Space Manager

REQUEST:

For possible action to approve a cleanup activity to be conducted by Katie McGibbon on Sunday, June 24, 2012, from Deer Run

Road Bridge to Sedge Road.

GENERAL DISCUSSION:

Staff is pleased to inform the Committee that Katie McGibbon, probably our youngest volunteer, has arranged for a cleanup activity to take place on Sunday, June 24, 2012, from 9:00 a.m. to midday. The activity consists of gathering people through notices and her network of friends in the community to assemble in the vicinity of the Ambrose Natural Area where staff will be present with the Public Land Cleanup Trailer, which was prepared as a Boy Scout Eagle project in the past.

Katie and her family will organize the attendants with plastic bags, gloves, and after a safety discussion and general comments about the Open Space Program, we will engage in cleaning up the area within the right-of-way from Deer Run Road Bridge in the north up the hill to Sedge Drive in the south. The cleanup trailer contains plastic bags, gloves, and water that will be made available to the participants. The trash collected will be bagged and placed along the edge of the right-of-way for subsequent pickup by the Parks staff. We have also arranged for the placement of a porta-potty facility.

This activity was planned for Sunday, June 24th, in order to join another cleaning effort by the Pinenut Mountains Trail Association which will include cleaning public lands along the Carson River in both Douglas County and Carson and potentially Carson City.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: I move approve a cleanup activity to be conducted by Katie McGibbon on Sunday, June 24, 2012, from Deer Run Road Bridge to Sedge Road.

Deer Run Road Clean Up

Volunteer to help clean up Deer Run Road!!!!



Date: Sunday, June 24, 2012

Time: 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

Where: Meet us at Ambrose Natural Area

This is a project to clean up a part of our neighborhood, and we invite you to come and help. We are cleaning from the bridge on Deer Run to Sedge which is 1.9 miles.

SO COME AND HELP US!!!!!!

What to wear: Long pants and sturdy shoes. Sunscreen is recommended. What to bring: The Parks and Recreation Department will provide a Clean Up Trailer with some gloves, plastic bags, brooms, and shovels. However, you may be more comfortable using your own gloves.

A porta-potti will be available.

If you would like to help please call Dee at 315-0515 or email us at tommyboyracing@charter.net