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City of Carson City Agenda Report

Date Submitted: Nov 10, 2009		Agenda Date Requested: Nov 19, 2009 Time Requested: Consent			
To:	Mayor and Supervisors				
From:	Robert L. Crowell, Mayor				
Subject Title: Action to appoint Susan Swenson as the Carson City Public Guardian for a four year term expiring December 2013 at a salary equivalent UNC grade 23.					
Staff Summary: Susan Swenson was appointed by the Board of Supervisors as the Carson City Public Guardian for a term which expires on November 26, 2009. This action would reappoint Susan Swenson for another four year term expiring December 2013.					
Type of Action Requested: (check one) () Resolution () Ordinance (X) Formal Action/Motion () Other (Specify)					
Does This Action Require A Business Impact Statement: () Yes (X) No					
Recommended Board Action: I move to appoint Susan Swenson as the Carson City Public Guardian for a four year term expiring December 2013 at a salary equivalent UNC grade 23.					
Explanation for Recommended Board Action: See Staff Summary.					
Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation: NRS 253.150					
Fiscal Impac	t :				
Explanation of Impact: Salary in FY 09-10 budget. Salary at a grade UNC 23 is \$71,977					
Funding Source: Clerk's Budget 101-0212					
Alternatives:					
Supporting Material: NRS 253.150					

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Reviewed By	(Department Head) (City Manager) (District Attorney) (Finance Director)	t.	Date:)
Board Action	ı Taken:			
Motion:		1)2)		Aye/Nay
(Vote Reco	orded By)			

PUBLIC GUARDIANS

NRS 253.150 Establishment of office by county commissioners; appointment, designation or contract; compensation.

1. The board of county commissioners of each county shall establish the office of public guardian.

2. The board of county commissioners shall:

(a) Appoint a public guardian, who serves at the pleasure of the board, for a term of 4 years from the day of appointment;

(b) Designate an elected or appointed county officer as ex officio public guardian;

(c) Except in a county whose population is 100,000 or more, contract with a private professional guardian to act as public guardian; or (d) Contract with the board of county commissioners of a neighboring county in the same judicial district to designate as public

guardian the public guardian of the neighboring county.

- 3. The compensation of a public guardian appointed or designated pursuant to subsection 2 must be fixed by the board of county commissioners and paid out of the county general fund.
- 4. As used in this section, "private professional guardian" means a person who receives compensation for services as a guardian to three or more wards who are not related to the person by blood or marriage. The term does not include:

(a) A governmental agency.

(b) A banking corporation, as defined in NRS 657,016, or an organization permitted to act as fiduciary pursuant to NRS 662,245 if it is appointed as guardian of an estate only.

(c) A trust company, as defined in NRS 669.070.
(d) A court-appointed attorney licensed to practice law in this State. (Added to NRS by 1977, 486; A 1989, 1041; 2003, 804; 2007, 2489)