

CARSON CITY ADVISORY BOARD TO MANAGE WILDLIFE

PUBLIC NOTICE

The CARSON CITY ADVISORY BOARD TO MANAGE WILDLIFE will hold a public meeting at **5:30 p.m. on Monday, March 17, 2014, in the BUSINESS RESOURCE INNOVATION CENTER (“BRIC”) CONFERENCE ROOM A, 108 EAST PROCTOR STREET, CARSON CITY, NEVADA.**

AGENDA

1. **CALL TO ORDER, DETERMINATION OF QUORUM**
2. **PUBLIC COMMENT**** - The public is invited, at this time, to comment on and discuss any topic that is relevant to or within the authority of the Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife.
3. **For possible action: APPROVAL OF MINUTES - January 27, 2014**
4. **For possible action: ADOPTION OF AGENDA**
5. **Informational Item: DISCLOSURES.** Any member of the advisory board who may wish to explain any contact with the public regarding an item on the agenda or business of the advisory board.
6. **Informational Item: REPORT AND DISCUSSION OF POINTS OF INTEREST FROM THE MOST RECENT NEVADA WILDLIFE COMMISSION MEETING**
7. **Informational and Possible Action:** Nevada Wildlife Commission Informational Reports agenda items: The items addressed hereunder are informational items of the Nevada Wildlife Commission and typically require no action. These items are on the next Nevada Wildlife Commission agenda scheduled for March 21 and 22, 2014, as informational committee and / or wildlife department reports. These items do not require action by the Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife. However, occasionally, one or more members may have a desire to discuss these items and such discussion may result in an action in the form of advice or a recommendation by this advisory board to the Nevada Wildlife Commission. There is no public comment unless action will be taken on an item.
 - 7-A. **TRADITIONAL RANCHING IN NEVADA - BOYD SPRATLING, DVM**
 - 7-B. **TAG ALLOCATION AND APPLICATION HUNT COMMITTEE - WILDLIFE COMMISSION CHAIRMAN ROBB**
 - 7-C. **OVERVIEW OF WILDLIFE HARASSMENT LAWS - CHIEF GAME WARDEN ROB BUONAMICI**
 - 7-D. **DROUGHT CONDITION UPDATE AND EXPECTED IMPACTS ON FISHERIES - CHIEF JON SJÖBERG**
 - 7-E. **SAGE GROUSE UPDATE - WILDLIFE COMMISSION SECRETARY TONY WASLEY**

7-F. NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE ACTIVITY REPORT - WILDLIFE COMMISSION SECRETARY TONY WASLEY

7-G. TRAPPING COMMITTEE REPORT - WILDLIFE COMMISSIONER DAVID McNINCH

7-H. LITIGATION REPORT - DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL HARRY WARD

7-I. BIGHORN SHEEP MANAGEMENT CHALLENGES - GAME DIVISION STAFF SPECIALIST MIKE COX AND DR. PEREGRINE WOLFF

8. For Possible Action: Nevada Wildlife Commission Proposed Regulations, Consent Agenda items: The items addressed hereunder are consent agenda items. They are considered routine and may be acted upon by the advisory board with one action and without extensive hearing. Although a member of the advisory board or a citizen may request an item be pulled for separate discussion and action, the Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife Chair retains discretion in deciding whether or not to pull an item from the consent agenda. There will be no public comment unless the item is pulled as an action item.

8-A. For Possible Action: COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 416, SHED ANTLERS, LCB FILE NO. R155-12 - CHIEF GAME WARDEN ROB BUONAMICI. The commission will consider the adoption of a regulation relating to shed antlers; requiring a hunting license for the taking of shed antlers from the field; providing for a shed antler collection season; and providing other matters properly relating thereto. *Note: See Wildlife Commission agenda item #10A for support material.*

8-B. For Possible Action: COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 430, GUIDE LICENSE CHANGES, LCB FILE NO. R053-13 - CHIEF GAME WARDEN ROB BUONAMICI. The commission will consider guides; revising provisions relating to the issuance and renewal of a license as a master guide or subguide; permitting a master guide to use the services of another master guide or a subguide licensed under another master guide in certain circumstances; removing territorial limitations imposed by the state on the operation of master guides; revising the grounds for denying an application for a license or for revoking or suspending a license; extending the period within which a master guide must notify the Department of Wildlife after terminating the employment of a subguide; revising provisions governing the licensure of habitual violators and the submission of records relating to the clients of a master guide; expanding the circumstances under which a client must physically accompany the master guide or subguide during the entire pursuit and taking of an animal; and providing other matters properly related thereto. *Note: See Wildlife Commission agenda item 10B for support material.*

The need for the guide regulation is to update the existing guide regulations that were requested by the Nevada Outfitters and Guides Association. The changes are designed to streamline the guide license application process and address other changes requested by the Nevada Outfitters and Guides Board.

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9. For Possible Action: DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING THE CARSON CITY ADVISORY BOARD TO MANAGE WILDLIFE BUDGET

10. For Possible Action: DISCUSSION REGARDING ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER COMMITMENTS TO UPCOMING WILDLIFE COMMISSION MEETINGS

11. Informational Item: NEXT CCABMW MEETING. The next meeting of the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners is scheduled for May 9 and 10, 2014. The next meeting of the Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife is, therefore, tentatively scheduled for Monday, May 5, 2014.

12. Informational Item: STATUS REPORTS FROM STAFF

13. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

14. PUBLIC COMMENT** - The public is invited, at this time, to comment on any matter that is not specifically included on the agenda as an action item. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda.

15. For Possible Action: ACTION ON ADJOURNMENT

*** PUBLIC COMMENT LIMITATIONS - The Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife will provide at least two public comment periods in compliance with the minimum requirements of the Nevada Open Meeting Law prior to adjournment. In addition, it is the advisory board's aspirational goal to also provide for item-specific public comment as follows: In order for members of the public to participate in the public body's consideration of an agenda item, the public is strongly encouraged to comment on an agenda item when called for by the chair during the item itself. No action may be taken on a matter raised under public comment unless the item has been specifically included on the agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. The chair also retains discretion to only provide for the Open Meeting Law's minimum public comment and not call for or allow additional individual-item public comment at the time of the body's consideration of an item when: (1) it is deemed necessary by the chair to the orderly conduct of the meeting; (2) it involves an off-site non-action facility tour agenda item; or (3) it involves any person's or entity's due process appeal or hearing rights provided by statute or the Carson City Municipal Code.*

AGENDA MANAGEMENT NOTICE: Items on the agenda may be taken out of order; the public body may combine two or more agenda items for consideration; and the public body may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time.

The agenda is available on the City's website at www.carson.org/agendas; the agenda and backup materials are available at the Recording Secretaries Division of the Carson City Clerk's Office, 201 North Carson Street, Suite 1, Carson City, Nevada; 775-283-7412.

NOTICES: The Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for any citizen who wishes to attend this meeting. If special arrangements are necessary, please contact Kathy King at 775-283-7412 or, in writing, at 201 North Carson Street, Suite 1, Carson City, Nevada 89701, as soon as possible.

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In accordance with NRS 241.020, this agenda closes three days prior to the meeting day and has been posted before 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 12, 2014 at the following locations: **Carson City Hall, Carson City Courthouse, Carson City Library, Carson City Community Center, Carson City Planning Division, and on the City's website: www.carson.org**

On some occasions, three or more members of this Advisory Board will be in attendance at Nevada Wildlife Commission meetings, which are publicly noticed. These are informational meetings and no action will be taken by the Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife on those occasions. Information obtained at the Wildlife Commission meetings may be agendized and acted upon at the next regular meeting of the Advisory Board.