

## Carson Rifle and Pistol Range – milestones

### 1977

- Resolution is passed to authorize Carson City Public Works to make application to BLM for lease of approximately 160 acres for the.
- Rifle Range next to golf course (Centennial Softball fields) is closed by recommendation from Board of Supervisors. Recommendation is because of safety concerns of location next to golf course.
- Recommendation is made to look at land behind landfill where Sheriff has a pistol bay for training as possible site for new range location.
- Rifle Range Committee is appointed to establish the requirements for a public shooting range in Carson City, plan its physical development, investigate the overall costs and determine the priority of its construction (Primary purpose of developing a public shooting range in Carson City is to provide a safe shooting facility for its citizens. Safety should be the number one consideration. Joint Committee for Rifle and Pistol Range Development April 7, 1977

### 1980

- Carson City receives first lease of BLM property for Recreation and Public Purpose for approximately 200 acres.
- Carson City enters an agreement with Nevada Department of Wildlife regarding construction, maintenance, and utilization of a rifle and pistol range situated on land owned by Carson City.

### 1981

- Public Works contracts project 1980-038 Rifle & Pistol Range Road. Project is to construct 1 mile of road for the range. Funding from Residential Construction Tax. Funds spent will be reimbursed on a 3 to 1 basis from the Pittman-Roberts Federal Hunter Safety Program per 1980 agreement. Project completed Jan. 14, 1982.
- Carson Rifle and Pistol Club completes construction of 10 concrete shooting tables at pistol range. Materials were donated and club constructed tables.

### 1982

- Carson Rifle and Pistol Club completes the foundation and backwall system for roof structure to cover the rifle range firing line. Club enters into a contract with Steve McGrath for completion of roof structure.

1987 First Master Plan developed

1994 City contracts dirt work and range improvements from Pittman-Robertson Grant with matching funds from Residential Construction Tax funds

### 1999

- Second Master Plan approved March 4, 1999
- City contracts additional dirt work and range improvements. Funding sources include Residential Construction Tax, Pittman Robertson Grant, community donations, and Quality of Life funds.

### 2016

- Installation of 1 solar power security gate on Rifle Range Road; Installation of 5 swing bar metal gates on multiple 2 track roads that give random access to range from multi-directions; Installation of boulders to close of 2 track roads Funded from NDOW Grant, Sheriff's Office, and Question 18 funds.

## 2018

- Rifle and Pistol Range Safety Improvements including contractual services for work provided by Public Works Department, raise berms in the private shooting bays, redo floor and side berm of Short Range (Pistol Line); extend the length of private shooting bay #1 to match the others; remove deteriorated 25 yd target line in short range. Funded by NDOW Grant, Question 18, Carson Rifle and Pistol Club, Northern Nevada IDPA, Foundation For Carson City Parks, Ladies Gun Club and other club/community donations.
- Rifle and Pistol Range Restroom Project including preparation, purchase and installation of a precast vault restroom facility and handicap parking concrete pad. Funded by NDOW Grant, Question 18 funds and Carson City General fund (park maintenance).
- Rifle Range Signage update (Current Project) includes purchase and installation of directional, information, regulatory and safety signage including an informational kiosk; Installation of new Monument sign at entrance. Funded by NRA Foundation Grant with staff providing support for location and installation no matching funds required from City.