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CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF NOVEMBER 7, 2007

DEPARTMENT: OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
DIRECTOR: CHRISTOPHER KNIGHT

Consent **Discussion**

SUBJECT:
RESOLUTION:

R-77-2007 - Approval of a Resolution supporting alternative 1 of the preliminary alternatives for the Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) regarding the Upper Las Vegas Wash Conservation Transfer Area, All Wards

Fiscal Impact

No Impact **Augmentation Required**
 Budget Funds Available

Amount:
Funding Source:
Dept./Division:

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

At its regular meeting on October 3, 2007, the Las Vegas City Council directed staff to prepare a resolution related to the Supplement Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) for the proposed Conservation Transfer Area (CTA) in the Upper Las Vegas Wash. Staff presented the preliminary alternatives associated with SEIS for the CTA at that meeting.

The resolution, as written, supports alternative 1 of the preliminary SEIS alternatives, requests the Bureau of Land Management to consider alternative 1 as the preferred alternative, expresses Council support for a balance between the growth and development of the City and the preservation of the Upper Las Vegas Wash, and urges the City of North Las Vegas and Clark County to work cooperatively with the City to address issues related to the proposed CTA.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval of the resolution

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Resolution No. R-77-2007

Motion made by STEVEN D. ROSS to Approve amending and adopting R-77-2007 with the following amendments: The title shall read, resolutions supporting Alternatives One and Six of the preliminary alternatives for the supplemental environmental impact statement regarding the Upper Las Vegas Wash Conservation Transfer Area; amend Paragraphs 4 and 5 of the Council Resolution Section to read, Number 4 - express support of either Preliminary Alternative One or Alternative Six of the current SEIS process for a version that otherwise provides for the sustained future growth and development of the City of Las Vegas and protection of the Upper

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Las Vegas Wash; Number 5 - urge the local field office of the Bureau of Land Management to strongly consider the alternative described in Paragraph 4 as the preferred alternatives of the SEIS

Passed For: 6; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 1

RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, LARRY BROWN, GARY REESE, STEVE WOLFSON, STEVEN D. ROSS; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-OSCAR B. GOODMAN)

Minutes:

Under Item 10, COUNCILMAN ROSS requested Item 59 be pulled from the Consent Agenda for discussion.

COUNCILMAN ROSS outlined the amendments

MAYOR PRO TEM commented that the Council members were thoroughly briefed on this matter, and they are in support of Alternatives One and Two

