

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE **CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: MAY 21, 2008**

DEPARTMENT: OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS
DIRECTOR: DAVID RIGGLEMAN

SUBJECT:

RECOGNITION OF THE WINNERS OF THE BOLDEN AREA COMMAND ART AND SAFETY CONTEST

Minutes:

No motion required. A presentation was made.

COUNCILMAN BARLOW introduced the winners of the Six Village Arts and Safety Contest. In unison with the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (Metro) and the City of Las Vegas Neighborhood Services Department, students attending four selected elementary schools were each asked to create a picture portraying what peace and safety meant to them. COUNCILMAN BARLOW stated that the Mission of Operation Lasting Peace was to build stronger communities by reducing violence through unique methods.

COUNCILMAN BARLOW recognized the following winners from the following schools: KWANISHA PRICE - Wendell Williams Elementary, ANZIE MORRIS - Matt Kelley Elementary, DESTINY KING - Permit R. Booker Elementary, and LEDWIKO RAMIREZ-CAMPOS - Kit Carson Elementary. COUNCILMAN BARLOW also acknowledged and gave thanks to the principals and the staff who mentored the children.

COUNCILMAN BARLOW recognized representatives of Metro and members of his staff, including YDOLEENA YTURRALDE and TANYA WILKER, as well as acknowledged LISA CAMPBELL, all of whom actively participated in the joint effort to eradicate violence in the neighborhoods and reduce crime. COUNCILMAN BARLOW called forward LIEUTENANT BRUCE MIYAMA, SERGEANT DAN NEWBERRY and OFFICER JASON HINSON and acknowledged OFFICER RYAN EVANS, who was unable to attend. CAPTAIN PATRICK NEVILLE, speaking on behalf of Metro, thanked the City of Las Vegas and the Clark County School District. He expressed gratitude to everyone, particularly the children who participated in the contest, for their awareness and supportive efforts to make the streets safe once again.