



SUBJECT:

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION: PUBLIC COMMENT DURING THIS PORTION OF THE AGENDA MUST BE LIMITED TO MATTERS WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL. NO SUBJECT MAY BE VOTED UPON BY THE CITY COUNCIL UNLESS THAT SUBJECT IS ON THE AGENDA AND IS SCHEDULED FOR ACTION. IF YOU WISH TO BE HEARD, COME TO THE PODIUM AND GIVE YOUR NAME FOR THE RECORD. THE AMOUNT OF DISCUSSION ON ANY SINGLE SUBJECT, AS WELL AS THE AMOUNT OF TIME ANY SINGLE SPEAKER IS ALLOWED, MAY BE LIMITED

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Submitted at Meeting Photos by Anthony Hodges

Minutes:

GENE COLLINS raised a great concern with the World Market Center and the new City Hall. It is wrong to blame everything on COUNCILMAN ROSS. He wanted to speak in the Councilmans defense. COUNCILMAN ROSS expressed his appreciation.

MARGARET COLEMAN, homeless victim, addressed Item 44 regarding the Resolution to augment the City's 2010 budget. She has been in Las Vegas for 30 years, standing up for numerous people, organizations and industries on behalf of the City and State. She suffers from arsenic poisoning and has spoken at the federal level. She is working on two pills to correct the poisoning coming from the dust off coins. MAYOR GOODMAN referred her to a homeless advocate.

DEANN WIESNER outlined the documentation that the Council has not assisted her and its criminal neglect is being reported in the Las Vegas Tribune. Other newspapers are now becoming aware and interested in the story as well as specific allegations against MAYOR GOODMAN and COUNCILMEN BARLOW and ANTHONY.

CARLTON FUTRELLE wished the Council happy holidays. It is difficult to follow the last speaker. MAYOR GOODMAN stressed the benefit and a preference for this system of government.

COUNCILMAN BARLOW thanked MR. FUTRELLE for the wonderful holiday CD.

HAROLD KLEIN, 33-year resident in Las Vegas, summarized his difficulties with a parking ticket. Everyone at the City was helpful and competent. But because it was paid, he no longer has any recourse to the further delinquent charges. CITY ATTORNEY BRAD JERBIC stated that his office has no control over parking enforcement, but would speak with MR. KLEIN. CITY MANAGER ELIZABETH FRETWELL took MR. KLEIN'S information.

ANTHONY HODGES presented various photos to demonstrate his title as the only one for various things he has done. Again, he urged MAYOR GOODMAN to contact his wife.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: DECEMBER 16, 2009

TODD FARLOW questioned if meetings would be held on Item 34. He expressed concern with lawsuits filed against the City for billboards, especially since the industry was told at the beginning that they were only being approved pending completion of the development of the Springs Preserves. COUNCILWOMAN TARKANIAN verified MR. FARLOWS comments.

MAYOR GOODMAN acknowledged COUNCILMAN BARLOWS 10th anniversary working with the City of Las Vegas, starting as the Council liaison for Ward 5 and then elected in his own right. COUNCILMAN BARLOW thanked him for the acknowledgement.

