

SUMMERLIN JEWELERS

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VIA FACSIMILE AND
FIRST CLASS MAIL

City of Las Vegas
Planning & Development Department
Development Services Center
731 South Fourth Street
Las Vegas, NV 89101

Re: Special Use Permit Application #SUP 36571
Justification Letter

Dear Sir/Madame:

Summerlin Enterprises, Inc., dba Summerlin Jewelers is a third-generation retail jewelry store established in October 1994. We sell and repair all types of jewelry including gold, platinum, silver and costume jewelry, along with precious and semi-precious gemstones. We also design custom jewelry. We are proud members of the Las Vegas Better Business Bureau, Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce, and IJO (Independent Jewelers Organization).

Request/Intended Use of the Property: In addition to selling and repairing jewelry, we respectfully request permission to accept jewelry on consignment from our customers, and to buy all types of used jewelry from the public. This requires a Special Use Permit/Class 3 Second-Hand Dealers Privileged License.

Number of Employees: We currently employ eight (8) employees.

Officers/Owners of the Corporation: Lawrence and Diana Minden
Goldsmith: Alejandro Meza
Bookkeeper: Amy Goodroad
Sales Manager: Steven Goodroad
Sales Associates: Nancy Jorgenson, Melissa Goodroad, and Lyndsey Ritchie

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Hours of Operation: Our regular hours of operation are Monday through Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. During the Christmas holiday, we extend our hours as needed.

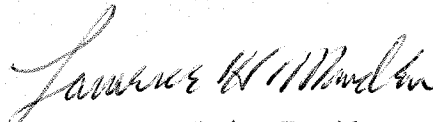
Existing Similar Uses Owned or Operated by the Application: None

Any Required State Licenses Specific to the Use Requested: None

Findings: A Special Use Permit allowing Summerlin Jewelers to accept consignment jewelry from its customers, and permitting the purchase of used jewelry will not disturb the existing surrounding land uses or future surrounding land uses. Our store is physically suitable for this type of special use. Streets providing access to the property are adequate to meet the requirements of our proposed use. Approval of a Special Use Permit will not be inconsistent with or compromise the public health, safety, and welfare of the overall objective.

Respectfully submitted,

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Lawrence H. Minden, President

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