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**JUSTIFICATION LETTER**

CITY OF LAS VEGAS  
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

**PROJECT: GOLD AND SILVER PAWN SHOP**

LOCATION: 709 / 713 LAS VEGAS BLVD.SOUTH

A.P.N. - 139-34-410-178 / 179

**APPLICATION: SPECIAL USE PERMIT**

It is our understanding that a Special Use Permit exists for this project. It is also our understanding that since the proposed addition is greater than 10% of the existing building, a new Special Use Permit is required.

This application is submitted to allow for the construction of a new storage building in conjunction with an existing pawn shop. The proposed storage building will be 48' x 62' in size (2976 s.f.) on the ground level ,with future plans to construct a second story for office space. The first phase (single story building) will be 25 feet in height with stucco finished walls to match the existing building. The height of the future second story will add an additional 10 ft. to the building for a total height of 35 ft. The new storage building will be constructed to match the existing buildings and finishes.

The proposed storage building will be located in the rear (northeast) portion of the 709 Las Vegas Blvd. S. parcel that is currently being used to store merchandise in an outside enclosure. The construction of the new storage building will allow the owners to expand the existing sales area which is very much needed. Relocating existing outdoor storage to the new indoor storage area will be a benifit to the neighborhood.

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