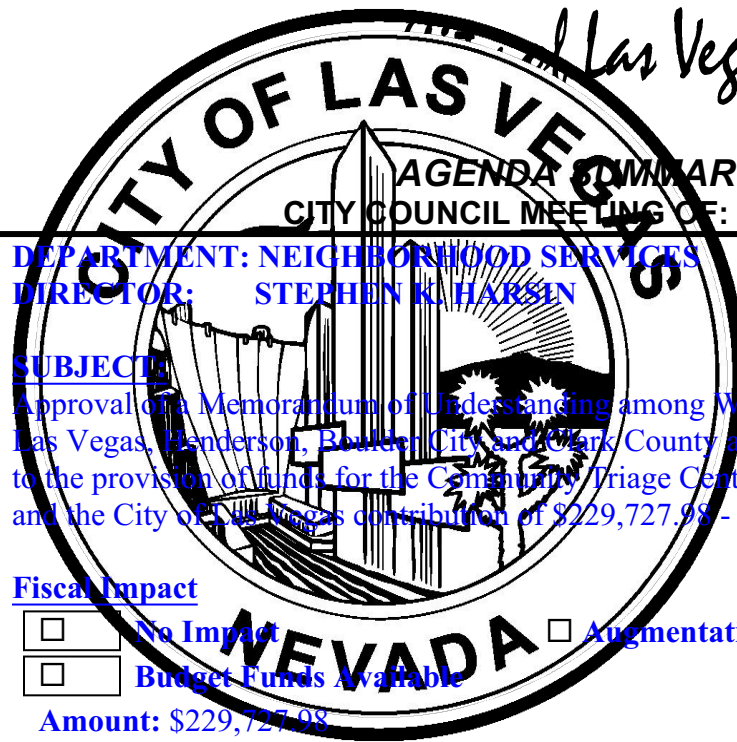




Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 37.

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: AUGUST 4, 2010

DEPARTMENT: NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES
DIRECTOR: STEPHEN K. HARSIN

☒ **Consent** ☐ **Discussion**

SUBJECT:

Approval of a Memorandum of Understanding among WestCare Inc., cities of Las Vegas, North Las Vegas, Henderson, Boulder City and Clark County and Southern Nevada Hospitals relating to the provision of funds for the Community Triage Center (CTC) located at 930 North 4th Street and the City of Las Vegas contribution of \$229,727.98 - Ward 5 (Barlow)

Fiscal Impact

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No Impact

Budget Funds Available

☐ **Augmentation Required**

Amount: \$229,727.98

Funding Source: General Fund

Dept./Division: City Manager's Office

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

In 2004, the Southern Nevada Regional Planning Coalition (SNRPC) recognized a report that a significant number of chronic inebriated and mentally ill persons were being held in emergency rooms for long periods of time due to an insufficient availability of mental health beds and other alternative detoxification facilities. In 2005, the SNRPC agreed to create a centrally located Community Triage Center (CTC) for those mentally ill persons and chronic inebriates who are not in need of emergency room care. WestCare agreed to operate the CTC through their facility. For the past five (5) years, this center has been funded by the State of Nevada, local governments and area hospitals.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of Memorandum of Understanding and authorizes the Mayor to execute any and all agreements upon approval as to form by the City Attorney.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Agenda Memo
2. Memorandum of Understanding among Westcare Nevada Inc., Local Governments within Clark County and Southern Nevada Hospitals Relating To The Provision of Funds For The Community Triage Center
3. WestCare Community Triage Center (CTC) FY 2010-11 Interlocal Budget

Motion made by GARY REESE to Approve the Consent Agenda except Item 29

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

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