

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE **CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: NOVEMBER 3, 2010**

DEPARTMENT: OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

DIRECTOR: DAVID RIGGLEMAN

SUBJECT:

RECOGNITION OF THE SAVE A LIFE PROGRAM

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Submitted at Meeting Copy of Proclamation for Save a Life Week

Minutes:

MAYOR GOODMAN invited CHIEF MIKE MYERS, Fire Services; KATHY SILVER, University Medical Center (UMC); and MIKE LUBBE, YMCA of Southern Nevada, to the podium. The City of Las Vegas has joined with UMC and the YMCA of Southern Nevada to provide the community a great opportunity to learn CPR free of charge. MAYOR GOODMAN thanked those involved for putting on this event to educate the community. This is the ideal opportunity for everyone to learn something vital and be prepared to assist fellow citizens. He presented CHIEF MYERS, MS. SILVER and MR. LUBBE with proclamations declaring November 13th through November 20th as Save a Life Week.

CHIEF MYERS invited ABBY RUDEMA, UMC; DAVE SPATTERY, Fire and Rescue, and TARA MARAS, YMCA of Southern Nevada, to the podium as well and thanked them for their involvement. He expressed excitement for this partnership and their goal is to train at least 3,000 individuals in CPR during this event. He gave additional information on the CPR training and the event locations. MR. LUBBE and MS. SILVER echoed CHIEF MYERS' comments.

COUNCILMAN REESE recalled his personal experience regarding an individual who saved his life and had just completed the CPR training. He urged the community to seek education on CPR and to participate in this event.