



AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: JULY 6, 2011

SUBJECT:

CITIZENS 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: Correspondence and Internet Article by Ric Besmanoff

Minutes:

DOROTHY BARNES, Las Vegas resident, stated her concerns with governmental programs that infringe on her rights as a citizen.

RIC BESMANOFF, Las Vegas resident and military veteran, submitted a copy of a press release highlighting concerns with the delays in building a Veterans Memorial Monument.

CHRIS CHRISTOFF, Las Vegas resident, also voiced his concerns with the Veterans Memorial Monument and identified potential locations available within the City limits. COUNCILMAN WOLFSON stated that he would request an update. COUNCILMAN COFFIN wants to be kept abreast of developments affecting parks in his Ward and would not be against a Veterans Memorial within the City. CITY MANAGER FRETWELL suggested adding this as a briefing item and COUNCILMAN WOLFSON stated that he is not against holding a public update. COUNCILWOMAN TARKANIAN is unclear on the status of monies raised, who is holding the money and where it is being held.

ANTHONY HODGES, Las Vegas resident, congratulated the newly elected members of City Council. He also stated that the Veterans Memorial is long overdue and wants to see it built reasonably soon.

TODD FARLOW, Las Vegas resident, asked which councilmembers were on the Housing Authority Board and was informed by COUNCILMAN BARLOW that there were no elected officials on the new Regional Board. COUNCILMEN ROSS further clarified that FATHER DAVE CASALEGGIO and BRENDA WILLIAMS represent the City on the board. MR. FARLOW also stated his displeasure with the way banks are handling foreclosures and profiting from citizens.