

City of Las Vegas

**RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE MEETING
CITY HALL, 400 STEWART AVENUE
CITY MANAGER'S EIGHTH FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM
CITY OF LAS VEGAS INTERNET ADDRESS: www.lasvegasnevada.gov
MAY 3, 2011
9:00 A.M.**

THE RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE WILL RECEIVE PUBLIC INPUT ON EACH ITEM OF LEGISLATION BEING CONSIDERED. THE RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE MAY, THEREAFTER, CONTINUE THE HEARING TO A FUTURE DATE OR FORMULATE A RECOMMENDATION TO THE CITY COUNCIL FOR PASSAGE, REJECTION OR AMENDMENT OF THE PROPOSED BILL. ANY MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL MAY SUBSTITUTE FOR A MEMBER OF THE RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE AT ANY TIME.

DUPLICATE AUDIO CDS MAY BE AVAILABLE AT A COST OF \$5.00 EACH THROUGH THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ANNOUNCEMENT RE: COMPLIANCE WITH OPEN MEETING LAW
3. Bill No. 2011-21 Levies Assessment for Special Improvement District No. 1485 - Alta Drive (Rancho Drive to approximately 275 feet west of Lacy Lane) (Landscape Maintenance FY2012) Proposed by: Jorge Cervantes, Director of Public Works
4. Bill No. 2011-22 Levies Assessment for Special Improvement District No. 1516 – Fremont Street Maintenance District (Las Vegas Boulevard to 8th Street) Proposed by: Jorge Cervantes, Director of Public Works
5. Bill No. 2011-23 – Updates the Land Use and Rural Neighborhoods Preservation Element of the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan to be consistent with the City's new Unified Development Code. Proposed by: Flinn Fagg, Acting Director of Planning
6. CITIZENS PARTICIPATION: Public comment during this portion of the agenda must be limited to matters within the jurisdiction of the committee. No subject may be acted upon by the committee 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
7. ADJOURNMENT

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND: Copies of the above Bills may be obtained through the Office of the City Clerk, Monday through Thursday, 7:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

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City of Las Vegas

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City Clerk's Bulletin Board, City Hall Plaza, 2nd Floor Skybridge

Bulletin Board, City Hall Plaza, (next door to Metro Records)

Las Vegas Library, 833 Las Vegas Boulevard North

Clark County Government Center, 500 S. Grand Central Parkway

Grant Sawyer Building, 555 E. Washington Avenue

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DEPARTMENT: CITY CLERK

DIRECTOR: BEVERLY K. BRIDGES

SUBJECT:
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RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE MEETING OF: MAY 3, 2011

DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY

DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC

☐ Consent ☒ Discussion

SUBJECT:

Bill No. 2011-21 Levies Assessment for Special Improvement District No. 1485 - Alta Drive (Rancho Drive to approximately 275 feet west of Lacy Lane) (Landscape Maintenance FY2012)
Proposed by: Jorge Cervantes, Director of Public Works

Fiscal Impact

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No Impact

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Augmentation Required

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Budget Funds Available

Amount: \$62,800

Funding Source: Capital Projects Fund - Special Assessments

Dept./Division: Public Works/SID

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

Levies the assessment for the annual maintenance costs of street beautification improvements along Alta Drive from Rancho Drive to approximately 275 feet west of Lacy Lane. The fiscal amount reflects the estimated maintenance costs from July, 2011 through June, 2012.

RECOMMENDATION:

This bill should be submitted to a Recommending Committee for review, hearing and recommendation to the City Council for final action.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Bill No. 2011-21

BILL NO. 2011-21

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1485 – ALTA DRIVE (LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE FY2012); PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF MAINTAINING STREET BEAUTIFICATION IMPROVEMENTS; ASSESSING THE COST OF MAINTENANCE AGAINST THE ASSESSABLE LOTS, TRACTS, AND PARCELS OF LAND BENEFITED BY SAID MAINTENANCE; RATIFYING, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING ALL ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN; PRESCRIBING DETAILS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

Summary: Levy Ordinance

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Las Vegas (hereinafter the "City Council" and "City", respectively) in the County of Clark and State of Nevada, has heretofore, pursuant to the requisite preliminary proceedings, created Las Vegas, Nevada, Special Improvement District No. 1485 – Alta Drive (Landscape Maintenance) (hereinafter the "District"), to defray the annual maintenance costs of a street beautification project within the District (hereinafter the "Maintenance Project") as defined in Chapter 271, Nevada Revised Statutes and has provided that the entire cost and expense of the Maintenance Project shall be paid by special assessments, according to benefits, levied against the benefited lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District; and

WHEREAS, the District has been properly created by an ordinance heretofore adopted under the provisions of the Consolidated Local Improvement Law; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has heretofore determined that the entire cost and expense of the Maintenance Project is to be paid by special assessments levied against the benefited lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District which the City Council has determined will receive special benefits (and corresponding market value increases) from the Maintenance Project; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with NRS 271.360 and NRS 271.378, the City Council has heretofore determined, and does hereby declare, that the net cost of the Maintenance Project for FY2012 (including all necessary incidentals which either have been or will be incurred in connection with the District) is \$62,800.00, of which, \$0.00 is available from other sources and of which \$62,800.00 is to be assessed upon the benefited lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District which the City Council has determined will receive special benefits (and corresponding market value increases) from the Maintenance Project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, by resolution heretofore adopted and directed the Director of Public Works with the assistance of the City Engineer Division (hereinafter the "Engineer") to make out a final assessment roll; and

WHEREAS, after a determination of the costs of such work to be paid by the property specially benefited, the City Council, together with the Engineer made out a final assessment roll containing, among other things, the names and addresses of the last known owners of the property to be assessed, a description of each lot, tract, or parcel of land to be assessed, and the amount of the assessment thereon; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer has reported the final assessment roll to the City Council and has filed the final assessment roll with the City Clerk; and

WHEREAS, the City Council thereupon fixed a time and place, to wit: Wednesday, April 6, 2011, at 1:00 p.m., at the Las Vegas City Council Chambers, 400 Stewart Avenue, in Las Vegas, Nevada, when all complaints, protests and objections to the final assessment roll, to the amount of the assessments, and to the regularity of the proceedings in making such assessments, by the owners of the property specially benefited by, and proposed to be assessed for, the Maintenance Project in the District, by any person interested, and by any parties aggrieved by such assessments, would be heard and considered by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer has, in accordance with the provisions of law relating thereto, given the requisite legal notice by both mail and publication that complaints, protests and objections to assessments for the Maintenance Project in the District should be filed with the City Clerk, and that the City Council would hear and consider any and all complaints, protests or objections on Wednesday, April 6, 2011, at 1:00 p.m., at the Las Vegas City Council Chambers, 400 Stewart Avenue, in Las Vegas, Nevada; and

WHEREAS, the City Council caused the final assessment roll ("Tabulation of Parcels") to be filed in the records of the office of the City Clerk on March 2, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk, by publication and by mail, gave the requisite notice of the time and place of such hearing on April 6, 2011, of the filing of the final assessment roll in her office, of the date of filing the same, and of the right of any such person to object specifically in writing and of the waiver of any objection in the absence of such objection; and

WHEREAS, at the time and place so designated, the City Council met to hear and determine all objections filed or made orally by any interested party; and

WHEREAS, all complaints, protests and objections, both written and oral, were found to be without sufficient merit and overruled, except as provided in the District No. 1485 (FY2012) Assessment Protest Resolution; and

WHEREAS, by the District No. 1485 (FY2012) Assessment Protest Resolution, the City Council modified, corrected and revised the final assessment roll and modified, corrected, revised and confirmed the final assessment roll to be in final form; and

WHEREAS, the assessments do not exceed the benefits to the property assessed nor the total cost of the Maintenance Project payable from assessments as heretofore determined; and

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon the City Council to provide when said assessments shall become due and penalties payable after any delinquency; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined, and does hereby determine, that the City shall pay the costs of the Maintenance Project, with funds completely derived from the levy of assessments.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. This Ordinance shall be known as, and may be cited by, the short title "District No. 1485 (FY2012) Levy Ordinance" (hereinafter the "Ordinance").

Section 2. The City Council has heretofore determined, and does hereby declare, that each and every complaint, protest and objection made in connection with the District is without sufficient merit and the same be, and the same hereby is, overruled, and finally passed on by the City Council, except as provided in the District No. 1485 (FY2012) Assessment Protest Resolution.

Section 3. All actions, proceedings, matters and things heretofore taken, had and done by the City and the officers thereof (not inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance) concerning Special Improvement District No. 1485 – Alta Drive (Landscape Maintenance FY2012) including, but not limited to, the creation of the District, the amount of the maintenance contract, the levy of assessments for those purposes, the determination that the tracts in the District will receive special benefits and market value

increases, and the validation and confirmation of the final assessment roll and the assessments therein, be, and the same hereby is, ratified, approved and confirmed.

Section 4. For the purpose of paying the costs and expenses of the Maintenance Project, the amounts and assessments shown in the final assessment roll (as so filed, modified and confirmed) are hereby levied and assessed against the lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District (being all those specially benefited by the Maintenance Project) and described in the final assessment roll for the District, as filed in the office of the City Clerk on March 2, 2011, and as modified and confirmed by the District No. 1485 (FY2012) Assessment Protest Resolution duly adopted by the City Council on April 20, 2011.

Section 5. The assessments shall be due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer within 30 days after this Ordinance becomes effective, without interest and without demand; provided that all or any part of such assessments may, at the election of the owner, be paid in installments, as hereinafter provided. Failure to pay the whole assessment within said period of 30 days shall be conclusively considered and held an election on the part of all persons interested, whether under disability or otherwise, to pay in installments the amount of the assessment then unpaid. In case of such election to pay in installments, the unpaid assessments shall be payable in four (4) substantially equal quarterly installments of principal until paid in full, without interest, payable at the office of the City Treasurer on July 1, 2011, October 1, 2011, January 1, 2012 and April 1, 2012. Failure to pay any installment when due shall cause the whole amount of the unpaid principal to become due and payable immediately, at the option of the City, the exercise of said option to be indicated by the commencement of foreclosure proceedings by the City; and the whole amount of the unpaid principal shall, after such delinquency, whether said option is or is not exercised, bear penalty interest at the rate of two percent (2%) (or at any higher rate authorized by statute, or any lower rate, which may be zero percent, for such period as determined by the City Treasurer) per month (not prorated for any portion of the month) on the unpaid balance of the assessment and accrued interest until the day of sale or until paid, but at any time prior to the date of the sale the owner may pay the amount of all delinquent installments originally becoming due on or before the date of said payment, and all penalty interest accrued, and shall thereupon be restored to the right thereafter to pay in installments in the same manner as if default had not been suffered. The

owner of any property assessed and not in default as to any installment or payment may, at any time (at the option of such owner), pay the whole or any installment of the unpaid principal.

Pursuant to NRS 271.357 and NRS 271.360, any assessment against property for which an application for Hardship Determination has been approved by the City Council shall be postponed. The assessment shall remain postponed until the earlier of the following occurrences: (a) the property is sold or transferred to a person other than one to whom a Hardship Determination has been granted; (b) the property owner's application for renewal of the Hardship Determination is disapproved; or (c) the property owner pays all previous and current assessments. The property owner shall file an application for renewal of the Hardship Determination each year when the Maintenance Project is levied. The owner shall also be subject to the lien as provided in Section 6 hereof.

Section 6. The amounts assessed shall be a lien upon the owner's lots, tracts and parcels of land from the effective date of this Ordinance (i.e. May 22, 2011) until paid. The lien shall be co-equal with the latest lien thereon to secure the payment of general taxes and prior and superior to all other liens, claims, encumbrances and titles (other than the liens of assessments and general taxes). The sale of any such lot, tract or parcel of land for general or other taxes shall not relieve such lot, tract or parcel of land from such assessment or the lien therefor. Such amounts shall continue to be a lien upon the lots, tracts and parcels of land assessed until paid in full (including all principal, penalties, and collection costs).

Section 7. Should any lot, tract or parcel of land within the District be divided after the effective date of this Ordinance and before the collection of all the assessment installments, or if any property in the District makes a request to do so, the City Council may require the City Treasurer to apportion, combine or reapportion the uncollected amounts upon the several parts of land so divided or combined in accordance with the provisions of NRS 271.425. The report of such an apportionment, combination or reapportionment, when approved, shall be conclusive on all the parties, and all assessments thereafter made upon the tracts shall thereafter be according to the subdivision. The report, when approved, shall be recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Clark County, Nevada, together with a statement that the current payment status of any of the assessments may be obtained from the City Treasurer. Neither the failure to record the report, nor any defect in the report as recorded, shall affect the validity of the assessments, the lien for the payment thereof or the priority of that lien.

Section 8. In case any lot, tract or parcel of land so assessed is delinquent in the payment of the assessment or any installment of principal, the City Council shall forthwith cause the owner of such delinquent property, if known, to be immediately notified in writing of such delinquency, by first-class mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the addressee's last known address. If such delinquency is not paid within 10 days after such notice was given by deposit in the United States mail, then said assessment shall be enforced by the City Treasurer and other officers of the City, as provided in NRS 271.545 to NRS 271.625. Nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the City, at the direction of the governing body, from collecting any assessment by suit in the name of the governing body. The final assessment roll and the certified copy of this Ordinance shall be prima facie evidence of the regularity of the proceedings in making the assessment and of the right to recover judgment therefor.

Section 9. The City Clerk is hereby directed to deliver to the City Treasurer a copy of the final assessment roll containing a description of the lots, tracts and parcels of land being assessed, with the amount of the assessment levied upon each and the name and address of the owner or owners against whom the assessment was made. The final assessment roll is to be recorded in the office of the County Recorder together with the statement that the current payment status of any assessment may be obtained from the City Treasurer. The City Treasurer is additionally directed to collect the several sums so assessed as a tax upon the several tracts to which they were assessed.

Section 10. In accordance with NRS 271.405(7) the City Clerk shall give notice by publication in the Las Vegas Review-Journal, a newspaper of general circulation in the City, and such notice to be published at least once a week, for three consecutive publications, by three weekly insertions, the first such publication to be at least 15 days prior to the end of the 30-day period stating that said assessments have been levied and are due and payable and the last day for their payment. It shall not be necessary that the notice be published on the same day of the week, but not less than 14 days shall intervene between the first publication and the last publication. Service by publication shall be verified by the affidavit of the publisher or his designee and filed with the City Clerk of the City. In accordance with NRS 271.390(2) the City Clerk or Deputy City Clerk shall also give written notice of the levying of the assessments by mailing a copy of such notice, postage prepaid, at least 20 days prior to the end of said 30-day period, to the owner or owners of all property upon which the assessment was levied at his or her

last known address or addresses. Proof of such mailing shall be made by the affidavit of the City Clerk or Deputy City Clerk and such proof shall be filed with the City Clerk. Failure to mail any such notice or notices shall not invalidate any assessment or any other proceedings concerning the District. Proof of the publication and proof of the mailing shall be maintained in the permanent records of the office of the City Clerk until all special assessments have been paid in full or until any claim is barred by an appropriate statute of limitations. The City Council hereby determines that the manner of giving notice herein provided by publication and by mail is reasonably calculated to inform the parties of the proceedings concerning the District and the levy of assessments which may directly and adversely affect their legally protected interests.

Section 11. The notice provided for in NRS 271.390(2) and NRS 271.405(7) and in Section 10 of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the following form:

(Form of Notice)

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE LEVY OF ASSESSMENTS FOR
BOUNDARIES OF DISTRICT IN CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA SPECIAL
IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1485 – ALTA DRIVE (LANDSCAPE
MAINTENANCE FY2012)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the owners of all property upon which an assessment has been levied, and other interested persons, that District No. 1485 (FY2012) Levy Ordinance (hereinafter the "Levy Ordinance") was duly passed, adopted, signed and approved on May 18, 2011. The Levy Ordinance levied and assessed the cost and expense of Boundaries of District against the lots, tracts and parcels of land specially benefited by the maintenance in what is commonly designated as "City of Las Vegas, Nevada, Special Improvement District No. 1485 – Alta Drive (Landscape Maintenance)," (said lots, tracts and parcels of land being more specifically described in the final assessment roll designated in the ordinance).

Assessments are due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in Las Vegas, Nevada, on or before June 21, 2011, being 30 days after the effective date of the Levy Ordinance, without interest and without demand, provided that all, or any part of such assessments may, at the election of the owner, be paid in installments, without interest as hereinafter provided. Failure to pay the whole assessment within the 30-day period will be conclusively considered and held an election on the part of all persons interested, whether under disability or otherwise, to pay the unpaid assessment in installments. In case of such election to pay in installments, the unpaid assessments will be payable in four (4) substantially equal quarterly installments of principal until paid in full, being payable at the office of the City Treasurer in Las Vegas, Nevada, on July 1, 2011, October 1, 2011, January 1, 2012, and April 1, 2012. Failure to pay any assessment installment when due will cause the whole of the unpaid principal of such assessment to become due and payable immediately at the City's option, and the whole amount of the unpaid principal will, after such delinquency, whether the City's option is or is not exercised, bear penalty interest at the rate of two percent (2%) (or at any higher rate authorized by statute, or any lower rate, which may be zero percent, for such period as determined by the City Treasurer) per month (not prorated for any portion of the month) on the unpaid balance of the assessment and accrued interest, until the day of sale or until paid, but at any time prior to the date of the sale, the owner may pay the amount of all delinquent

installments originally becoming due on or before the date of payment, and all penalty interest accrued, and will thereupon be restored to the right thereafter to pay in installments in the same manner as if default had not been suffered. The owner of any property not in default as to any assessment installment or payment may, at any time, pay the whole or any installment of the unpaid principal.

Pursuant to NRS 271.357 and NRS 271.360, any assessment against property for which an application for Hardship Determination has been approved by the City Council shall be postponed. The assessment shall remain postponed until the earlier of the following occurrences: (a) the property is sold or transferred to a person other than one to whom a Hardship Determination has been granted; (b) the property owner's application for renewal of the Hardship Determination is disapproved; or (c) the property owner pays all previous and current assessments. The property owner shall file an application for renewal of the Hardship Determination each year when the Maintenance Project is levied. The owner shall also be subject to the lien as provided in Section 6 hereof.

Pursuant to NRS 271.395, within 15 days after the effective date of the Levy Ordinance, any person who has filed a complaint, protest or objection in writing, pursuant to NRS 271.380, shall have the right to commence an action or suit in any court of competent jurisdiction to correct or set aside such determination. Thereafter, all actions or suits attacking the regularity, validity and correctness of the proceedings, of the final assessment roll, of each assessment contained therein, of the amount of special benefits and market value increases, and of the amount thereof levied on each tract, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the defense of confiscation shall be perpetually barred.

The amounts assessed as aforesaid constitute a lien upon said lots, tracts and parcels of land from May 22, 2011, (i.e., the effective date of the Levy Ordinance), which lien shall be co-equal with the latest lien thereon to secure the payment of general taxes and prior and superior to all other liens, claims, encumbrances and titles (other than the liens of assessments and general taxes). The sale of any such lot, tract or parcel of land for general taxes shall not relieve such lot, tract or parcel of land from such assessment or the lien therefor.

Dated this May 18, 2011.

BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC
City Clerk

(End of Form of Notice)

Section 12. The officers of the City be, and they hereby are, authorized and directed to take all action necessary and appropriate to effectuate the provisions of this Ordinance, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the preparation of all necessary documents, legal proceedings, the recording of the final assessment roll, and other items necessary or desirable for the completion of the levying of the assessments of the District.

Section 13. All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent only of such inconsistency. This repealer shall not be construed to revive any ordinance or resolution, or part thereof, heretofore repealed.

Section 14. That in accordance with Section 2.110 of the City Charter, this Ordinance when first proposed is to be read by title to the City Council, immediately after which an adequate number of copies of the proposed Ordinance are to be deposited with the office of the City Clerk for public examination and distribution upon request; thereafter, the City Clerk is authorized and directed to give notice of the deposit together with the title of the Ordinance by publication at least once in the Las Vegas Review-Journal, i.e., a newspaper published and having general circulation in the City, at least ten (10) days before the adoption of the Ordinance, i.e., at least ten (10) days before May 18, 2011, such publication to be in substantially the following form:

(FORM OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF DEPOSIT OF AN ORDINANCE)

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1485 ALTA DRIVE (LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE FY2012) PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF MAINTAINING STREET BEAUTIFICATION IMPROVEMENTS; ASSESSING THE COST OF MAINTENANCE AGAINST THE ASSESSABLE LOTS, TRACTS, AND PARCELS OF LAND BENEFITED BY SAID MAINTENANCE; RATIFYING, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING ALL ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN; PRESCRIBING DETAILS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an adequate number of typewritten copies of the above-entitled proposed Ordinance were filed with and are available for public inspection and distribution at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Las Vegas, 400 Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada, and that such ordinance was proposed on the 20th of April, 2011, and will be considered for adoption at the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Las Vegas on the 18th of May, 2011.

/s/ Beverly K. Bridges
City Clerk

(End of Form)

Section 15. That this Ordinance shall be in effect on the day after its publication, as hereinafter provided. After this Ordinance is signed by the Mayor and attested and sealed by the City Clerk, this Ordinance shall be published by title only, together with the names of the City Council voting for or against its passage, and with a statement that typewritten copies of said Ordinance are available for inspection by all interested parties at the office of the City Clerk, such publication to be made in the Las Vegas Review-Journal, a newspaper published and having general circulation in the City, at least once, pursuant to Section 2.110 of the Charter and all laws thereunto enabling, such publication is to be in substantially the following form:

(Form for Publication After Final Adoption of Ordinance)

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1485 - ALTA DRIVE (LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE FY2012); PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF MAINTAINING STREET BEAUTIFICATION IMPROVEMENTS; ASSESSING THE COST OF MAINTENANCE AGAINST THE ASSESSABLE LOTS, TRACTS, AND PARCELS OF LAND BENEFITED BY SAID MAINTENANCE; RATIFYING, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING ALL ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN; PRESCRIBING DETAILS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above Ordinance was proposed on April 20, 2011, and was passed at a regular meeting held on May 18, 2011, by the following vote of the City Council of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada:

Those Voting Aye:

Oscar B. Goodman
Gary Reese
Steve Wolfson
Lois Tarkanian
Steven D. Ross
Ricki Y. Barlow
Stavros S. Anthony

Those Voting Nay:

Those Absent:

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after May 22, 2011, i.e., the day after its publication by title only.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City Council of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, has caused this Ordinance to be published by title only.

This 18th of May, 2011.

/s/ OSCAR B. GOODMAN
Mayor
City of Las Vegas, Nevada

(SEAL)

Attest:
/s/ BEVERLY K. BRIDGES
City Clerk

Section 16. That if any section, paragraph, clause or other provision of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or other provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance.

Introduced April 20, 2011, PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED May 18, 2011.

OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

Attest:

BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC
City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

4/5/11 _____
Date Assistant City Attorney

STATE OF NEVADA)
)
COUNTY OF CLARK) ss
)
CITY OF LAS VEGAS)

I, Beverly K. Bridges, MMC, the duly chosen, qualified City Clerk of the City of Las Vegas (hereinafter the "City"), in the State of Nevada, do hereby certify:

1. The foregoing pages constitute a true, correct, complete and compared copy of an ordinance which was introduced at the meeting of the City Council on April 20, 2011, and finally adopted and approved on May 18, 2011.

2. The following members of the City Council were present at the April 20, 2011, Council meeting:

Mayor:	Oscar B. Goodman
Councilmembers:	Gary Reese
	Steve Wolfson
	Lois Tarkanian
	Steven D. Ross
	Ricki Y. Barlow
	Stavros S. Anthony

3. The foregoing Ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on April 20, 2011, and referred to a committee composed of _____ and _____ for recommendation; thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said Ordinance on May 18, 2011, which was a regular meeting of said City Council; that at said regular meeting, the proposed Ordinance was again read by title to the City Council and adopted. The following members of the City Council were present at the May 18, 2011, meeting and voted upon the adoption of the Ordinance as follows:

Those Voting Aye:	Oscar B. Goodman
	Gary Reese
	Steve Wolfson
	Lois Tarkanian
	Steven D. Ross
	Ricki Y. Barlow
	Stavros S. Anthony

Those Voting Nay:	_____

Those Absent:	_____

4. The original of the Ordinance has been approved and authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor of the City and myself, as Clerk of the City, and sealed with the seal of the City, and has been recorded in the journal of the City Council kept for that purpose in my office, which record has been duly signed by such officers and properly sealed.

5. All members of the City Council were given due and proper notice of the meetings held on April 20, 2011, and May 18, 2011. Pursuant to § 241.020, Nevada Revised Statutes, written notice of the meetings was given no later than 9:00 a.m. on the third working day before the meetings, including in the notice the time, place, location, and agenda of the meeting:

(a) By posting a copy of the notice by 9:00 a.m. at least three (3) working days before the meetings at the principal office of the City Council, or if there is no principal office, at the building in which the meeting is to be held, and at least three (3) other separate, prominent places within the jurisdiction of the City Council, to wit:

- (i) City Clerk's Bulletin Board
City Hall Plaza
2nd Floor Skybridge
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (ii) Bulletin Board
City Hall Plaza (next door to Metro Records)
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (iii) Las Vegas Library
833 Las Vegas Boulevard North
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (iv) Clark County Government Center
500 South Grand Central Parkway
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (v) Grant Sawyer Building
555 E. Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (vi) City of Las Vegas website

(b) By mailing a copy of the notice by 9:00 a.m. no later than three (3) working days before the meetings to each person, if any, who has requested notice of the meetings of the City Council in the same manner in which notice is required to be mailed to a member of the City Council.

6. A copy of such notice so given of the meeting of the City Council on April 20, 2011, is attached to this certificate as Exhibit A and a copy of the notice so given of the meeting of the City Council on May 18, 2011, is attached to this certificate as Exhibit B.

7. A copy of the affidavit of publication of notice of deposit is attached to this certificate as Exhibit C. A copy of the affidavit of publication of adoption of the ordinance is attached to this certificate as Exhibit D.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this May 18, 2011.

BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC
City Clerk

(SEAL)

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AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE MEETING OF: MAY 3, 2011

DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY**DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC**☐ **Consent** ☒ **Discussion****SUBJECT:**

Bill No. 2011-22 Levies Assessment for Special Improvement District No. 1516 – Fremont Street Maintenance District (Las Vegas Boulevard to 8th Street) Proposed by: Jorge Cervantes, Director of Public Works

Fiscal Impact☐**No Impact**☐**Augmentation Required**☒**Budget Funds Available****Amount:** \$252,402**Funding Source:** Capital Projects Fund - Special Assessments**Dept./Division:** Public Works/SID**PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:**

The District provides annual funding for the maintenance of the Fremont Street Commercial Area Vitalization Project. The estimated budget includes landscape maintenance, security, utilities, advertising, marketing and promotional activities within the district. The property owners will be billed in four (4) quarterly installments without interest. The fiscal amount reflects the estimated costs of SID 1516 from July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012. The maintenance of the Commercial Area Vitalization Project is funded 100% by the property owners through this SID.

RECOMMENDATION:

This bill should be submitted to a Recommending Committee for review, hearing, and recommendation to the City Council for final action.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Bill No. 2011-22

BILL NO. 2011-22

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1516 – FREMONT STREET MAINTENANCE DISTRICT (LAS VEGAS BOULEVARD TO 8TH STREET) PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF A COMMERCIAL AREA VITALIZATION PROJECT; ASSESSING THE COST OF THE PROJECT AGAINST THE ASSESSABLE LOTS, TRACTS, AND PARCELS OF LAND BENEFITED BY SAID IMPROVEMENTS; RATIFYING, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING ALL ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN; PRESCRIBING DETAILS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

Summary: Levy Ordinance

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Las Vegas (the "City Council" and "City," respectively) in the County of Clark and State of Nevada (the "State"), has heretofore, pursuant to the requisite preliminary proceedings, created Las Vegas, Nevada, Special Improvement District No. 1516 - Fremont Street Maintenance District (Las Vegas Boulevard to 8th Street) (the "District"), for the purpose of acquiring, improving and maintaining a Commercial Area Vitalization Project (the "Project"), as defined in Nevada Revised Statutes ("NRS") 271.063, and has provided that the cost and expense of the Project shall be paid by special assessments, according to benefits, levied against the benefited lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District; and

WHEREAS, the District has been properly created by an ordinance heretofore adopted under the provisions of NRS Chapter 271; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has heretofore determined that the cost and expense of the Project is to be paid by special assessments levied against the benefited lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District which the City Council has determined will receive special benefits (and corresponding market value increases) from the Project; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with NRS 271.360 and 271.377, the City Council has heretofore determined, and does hereby declare, that the net cost of the Project (including all necessary incidentals which either have been or will be incurred in connection with the District) is \$252,402.00, of which \$0 is available from other sources and \$252,402.00 is to be assessed upon the benefited lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District which the City Council has determined will receive special benefits (and corresponding market value increases) from the Project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, by resolution heretofore adopted, directed the City's Director of Public Works, together with the City Engineer Division of the City and certain consulting engineers (collectively, the "City Engineer") to make out a final assessment roll for the District; and

WHEREAS, after a determination of the portion of the costs of such work to be paid by the property specially benefited, the City Council, together with the City Engineer made out a final assessment roll for the District containing, among other things, the names and addresses of the last

known owners of the property to be assessed, a description of each lot, tract, or parcel of land to be assessed, and the amount of the assessment thereon. The City Engineer has reported the final assessment roll to the City Council and the City Engineer has filed the final assessment roll with the City Clerk of the City (the "City Clerk"); and

WHEREAS, the City Council thereupon fixed a time and place, to wit: Wednesday, April 6, 2011, at 1:00 p.m., at the Las Vegas City Council Chambers, 400 Stewart Avenue, in Las Vegas, Nevada, when all complaints, protests and objections to the final assessment roll, to the amount of the assessments, and to the regularity of the proceedings in making such assessments, by the owners of the property specially benefited by, and proposed to be assessed for, the Project, by any person interested, and by any parties aggrieved by such assessments, would be heard and considered by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City Engineer has, in accordance with the provisions of law relating thereto, given the requisite legal notice by both mail and publication that complaints, protests and objections to assessments for the Project should be filed with the City Clerk, and that the City Council would hear and consider any and all complaints, protests or objections on Wednesday, April 6, 2011, at 1:00 p.m., at the Las Vegas City Council Chambers, 400 Stewart Avenue, in Las Vegas, Nevada; and

WHEREAS, the City Council caused the final assessment roll for the District to be filed in the records of the office of the City Clerk on March 2, 2011. The City Clerk, by publication and by mail, gave the requisite notice of the time and place of such hearing, of the filing of the final assessment roll in her office, of the date of filing the same, and of the right of any such person to object specifically in writing and of the waiver of any objection in the absence of such objection; and

WHEREAS, at the time and place so designated, the City Council met to hear and determine all objections filed or made orally by any interested party; and

WHEREAS, all complaints, protests and objections, both written and oral, were found to be without sufficient merit and overruled, except as provided in the District No. 1516 Assessment Protest Resolution; and

WHEREAS, by the District No. 1516 Assessment Protest Resolution, the City Council modified, corrected and revised the final assessment roll and modified, corrected, revised and confirmed the final assessment roll to be in final form; and

WHEREAS, the assessments do not exceed the benefits to the property assessed nor that portion of the total cost of the Project payable from assessments as heretofore determined; and

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon the City Council to provide when said assessments shall become due and penalties payable after any delinquency.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. This Ordinance shall be known as, and may be cited by, the short title "District No. 1516 Levy Ordinance" (the "Ordinance").

Section 2. The City Council has heretofore determined, and does hereby declare, that each and every complaint, protest and objection made in connection with the District and the Project is without sufficient merit and the same be, and hereby is, overruled, and finally passed on by the City Council, except as provided in the District No. 1516 Assessment Protest Resolution.

Section 3. All actions, proceedings, matters and things heretofore taken, had and done by the City and the officers thereof (not inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance) concerning the District, including, but not limited to, the creation of the District, the acquisition of the Project, the amount of the construction contract, the levy of assessments for those purposes, the determination that the tracts in the District will receive special benefits and market value increases, and the validation and confirmation of the final assessment roll and the assessments therein, be, and the same hereby is, ratified, approved and confirmed.

Section 4. For the purpose of paying a portion of the costs and expenses of the Project, the amounts and assessments shown in the final assessment roll (as so filed, modified and confirmed) are hereby levied and assessed against the lots, tracts and parcels of land in the District (being all those specially benefited by the Project) and described in the final assessment roll for the District, as filed in the office of the City Clerk on March 2, 2011, and as modified and confirmed by the District No. 1516 Assessment Protest Resolution duly adopted by the City Council on April 20, 2011.

Section 5. The assessments shall be due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in four (4) substantially equal quarterly installments of principal until paid in full, without interest, principal on such assessments being payable quarterly on July 1, 2011, October 1, 2011, January 1, 2012 and April 1, 2012. Failure to pay any installment when due shall cause the whole amount of the unpaid principal to become due and payable immediately, at the option of the City, the exercise of said option to be indicated by the commencement of foreclosure proceedings by the City; and the whole amount of the unpaid principal shall, after such delinquency, whether said option is or is not exercised, bear penalty interest at the rate of two percent (2%) (or at any higher rate authorized by statute, or any lower rate, which may be zero percent, for such period as determined by the City Treasurer) per month (not prorated for any portion of the month) on the unpaid balance of the assessment and accrued interest until the day of sale or until paid, but at any time prior to the date of the sale the owner may pay the amount of all delinquent installments originally becoming due on or before the date of said payment, and all penalty interest accrued, and shall thereupon be restored to the right thereafter to pay in installments in the same manner as if default had not been suffered. The owner of any property assessed and not in default as to any installment or payment may, at any time (at the option of such owner), pay the whole or any quarterly installment of the unpaid principal of such owner's assessment.

Pursuant to NRS 271.357 and NRS 271.360, any assessment against property for which an application for Hardship Determination has been approved by the City Council shall be postponed, but the owner shall make payments of interest on the unpaid balance of previous and current assessments at the same rate and terms as are established for other assessments in the manner provided. The assessment shall remain postponed until the earlier of the following occurrences: (a) the property is sold

or transferred to a person other than one to whom a Hardship Determination has been granted; (b) the term of the bonds expire; (c) the property owner's application for renewal of the Hardship Determination is disapproved; (d) the property owner fails to pay interest on the unpaid balance of assessments in a timely manner; or (e) the property owner pays all previous and current assessments. The owner shall also be subject to the lien as provided in Section 6 hereof.

Section 6. The amounts assessed shall be a lien upon the owner's lots, tracts and parcels of land from the effective date of this Ordinance (i.e. May 22, 2011) until paid. The lien shall be co-equal with the latest lien thereon to secure the payment of general taxes and prior and superior to all other liens, claims, encumbrances and titles (other than the liens of assessments and general taxes). The sale of any such lot, tract or parcel of land for general or other taxes shall not relieve such lot, tract or parcel of land from such assessment or the lien therefor. Such amounts shall continue to be a lien upon the lots, tracts and parcels of land assessed until paid in full (including all principal and the interest thereon, and any penalties and collection costs).

Section 7. Should any lot, tract or parcel of land within the District be divided after the effective date of this Ordinance and before the collection of all the assessment installments, or if any property in the District makes a request to do so, the City Treasurer may apportion, combine or reapportion the uncollected amounts upon the several parts of land so divided or combined in accordance with the provisions of NRS 271.425. The report of such an apportionment, combination or reapportionment, when approved, shall be conclusive on all the parties, and all assessments thereafter made upon the tracts shall thereafter be according to the subdivision. The report, when approved, shall be recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Clark County, Nevada, together with a statement that the current payment status of any of the assessments may be obtained from the City Treasurer. Neither the failure to record the report, nor any defect in the report as recorded, shall affect the validity of the assessments, the lien for the payment thereof or the priority of that lien.

Section 8. In case any lot, tract or parcel of land so assessed is delinquent in the payment of the assessment or any installment of principal or interest, the City Council shall forthwith cause the owner of such delinquent property, if known, to be immediately notified in writing of such delinquency, by first-class mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the addressee's last known address. If such delinquency is not paid within 10 days after such notice was given by deposit in the United States mail, then said assessment shall be enforced by the City Treasurer and other officers of the City, as provided in NRS 271.545 to NRS 271.630. Nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the City, at the direction of the City Council, from collecting any assessment by suit in the name of the City Council. The final assessment roll and the certified copy of this Ordinance shall be prima facie evidence of the regularity of the proceedings in making the assessment and of the right to recover judgment therefor.

Section 9. The City Clerk is hereby directed to deliver to the City Treasurer a copy of the final assessment roll for the District containing a description of the lots, tracts and parcels of land being assessed, with the amount of the assessment levied upon each and the name and address of the owner or owners against whom the assessment was made. The final assessment roll is to be recorded in

the office of the Clark County Recorder together with the statement that the current payment status of any assessment may be obtained from the City Treasurer. The City Treasurer is additionally directed to collect the several sums so assessed as a tax upon the several tracts to which they were assessed.

Section 10. In accordance with NRS 271.405(7) the City Clerk shall give notice by publication in the Las Vegas Review-Journal, a newspaper of general circulation in the City, and such notice to be published at least once a week, for three consecutive publications, by three weekly insertions, the first such publication to be at least 15 days prior to the end of the 30-day period stating that said assessments have been levied and are due and payable. The notice shall further state that payment must be made in full prior to the end of the 30 day period to avoid paying interest on the assessment. It shall not be necessary that the notice be published on the same day of the week, but not less than 14 days shall intervene between the first publication and the last publication. Service by publication shall be verified by the affidavit of the publisher and filed with the City Clerk. In accordance with NRS 271.390(2), the City Clerk or Deputy City Clerk shall also give written notice of the levying of the assessments by mailing a copy of such notice, postage prepaid, at least 20 days prior to the end of said 30-day period, to the owner or owners of all property upon which the assessment was levied at his or her last known address or addresses. Proof of such mailing shall be made by the affidavit of the City Clerk or Deputy City Clerk and such proof shall be filed with the City Clerk. Failure to mail any such notice or notices shall not invalidate any assessment or any other proceedings concerning the District. Proof of the publication and proof of the mailing shall be maintained in the permanent records of the office of the City Clerk until all special assessments and special assessment bonds issued (if such special assessment bonds are hereafter issued) shall have been paid in full, both principal and interest, or until any claim is barred by an appropriate statute of limitations. The City Council hereby determines that the manner of giving notice herein provided by publication and by mail is reasonably calculated to inform the parties of the proceedings concerning the District and the levy of assessments which may directly and adversely affect their legally protected interests.

Section 11. The notice provided for in NRS 271.390(2) and NRS 271.405(7) and in Section 10 of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the following form:

(Form of Notice)

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE LEVY OF ASSESSMENTS
FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA SPECIAL
IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1516 - FREMONT STREET
MAINTENANCE DISTRICT (LAS VEGAS BOULEVARD TO 8TH
STREET).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the owners of all property upon which an assessment has been levied, and other interested persons, that District No. 1516 Levy Ordinance (the "Levy Ordinance") was duly passed, adopted, signed and approved by the City Council of the City of Las Vegas on May 18, 2011. The Levy Ordinance levied and assessed a portion of the cost and expense of certain local improvements against the lots, tracts and parcels of land specially benefited by the local improvements in what is commonly designated as "City of Las Vegas, Nevada, Special Improvement District No. 1516 - Fremont Street Maintenance District (Las Vegas Boulevard to 8th Street)," (said lots, tracts and parcels of land being more specifically described in the final assessment roll designated in the Levy Ordinance).

Assessments are due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in Las Vegas, Nevada, in four (4) substantially equal quarterly installments of principal until paid in full, without interest, principal on such assessments being payable quarterly on July 1, 2011, October 1, 2011, January 1, 2012 and April 1, 2012. Failure to pay any installment when due shall cause the whole amount of the unpaid principal to become due and payable immediately, at the option of the City, the exercise of said option to be indicated by the commencement of foreclosure proceedings by the City; and the whole amount of the unpaid principal shall, after such delinquency, whether said option is or is not exercised, bear penalty interest at the rate of two percent (2%) (or at any higher rate authorized by statute, or any lower rate, which may be zero percent, for such period as determined by the City Treasurer) per month (not prorated for any portion of the month) on the unpaid balance of the assessment and accrued interest until the day of sale or until paid, but at any time prior to the date of the sale the owner may pay the amount of all delinquent installments originally becoming due on or before the date of said payment, and all penalty interest accrued, and shall thereupon be restored to the right thereafter to pay in installments in the same manner as if default had not been suffered. The owner of any property assessed and not in default as to any installment or payment may, at any time (at the option of such owner), pay the whole or any quarterly installment of the unpaid principal of such owner's assessment.

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disapproved; (d) the property owner fails to pay interest on the unpaid balance of assessments in a timely manner; or (e) the property owner pays all previous and current assessments. The owner shall also be subject to the lien as provided in Section 6 of the Levy Ordinance.

Pursuant to NRS 271.395, within 15 days after the effective date of the Levy Ordinance, any person who has filed a complaint, protest or objection in writing, pursuant to NRS 271.380, shall have the right to commence an action or suit in any court of competent jurisdiction to correct or set aside such determination. Thereafter, all actions or suits attacking the regularity, validity and correctness of the proceedings, of the final assessment roll, of each assessment contained therein, of the amount of special benefits and market value increases, and of the amount thereof levied on each tract, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the defense of confiscation shall be perpetually barred.

The amounts assessed as aforesaid constitute a lien upon said lots, tracts and parcels of land from May 22, 2011 (i.e., the effective date of the Levy Ordinance), which lien shall be co-equal with the latest lien thereon to secure the payment of general taxes and prior and superior to all other liens, claims, encumbrances and titles (other than the liens of assessments and general taxes). The sale of any such lot, tract or parcel of land for general taxes shall not relieve such lot, tract or parcel of land from such assessment or the lien therefor.

Dated this May 18, 2011.

Beverly K. Bridges, MMC, City Clerk

(End of Form of Notice)

Section 12. The officers of the City be, and they hereby are, authorized and directed to take all action necessary and appropriate to effectuate the provisions of this Ordinance, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the preparation of all necessary documents, legal proceedings, the recording of the final assessment roll, and other items necessary or desirable for the completion of the levying of the assessments of the District and the issuance of the bonds therefor.

Section 13. All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent only of such inconsistency. This repealer shall not be construed to revive any ordinance or resolution, or part thereof, heretofore repealed.

Section 14. In accordance with Section 2.110 of the City Charter, this Ordinance when first proposed is to be read by title to the City Council, immediately after which an adequate number of copies of the proposed Ordinance are to be deposited with the office of the City Clerk for public examination and distribution upon request; thereafter, the City Clerk is authorized and directed to give notice of the deposit together with the title of the Ordinance by publication at least once in the Las Vegas Review-Journal, i.e., a newspaper published and having general circulation in the City, at least ten (10) days before the adoption of the Ordinance, i.e., at least ten (10) days before May 18, 2011, such publication to be in substantially the following form:

(Form of Publication of Notice of Deposit of an Ordinance)

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1516 – FREMONT STREET MAINTENANCE DISTRICT (LAS VEGAS BOULEVARD TO 8TH STREET) PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF A COMMERCIAL AREA VITALIZATION PROJECT; ASSESSING THE COST OF THE PROJECT AGAINST THE ASSESSABLE LOTS, TRACTS, AND PARCELS OF LAND BENEFITED BY SAID IMPROVEMENTS; RATIFYING, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING ALL ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN; PRESCRIBING DETAILS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an adequate number of typewritten copies of the above-entitled proposed Ordinance were filed with and are available for public inspection and distribution at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Las Vegas, 400 Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada, and that such ordinance was proposed on the 20th day of April, 2011, and will be considered for adoption at the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Las Vegas on the 18th day of May, 2011.

/s/ BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC
City Clerk

(End of Form)

Section 15. This Ordinance shall be in effect on the day after its publication, as provided in this Ordinance. After this Ordinance is signed by the Mayor and attested and sealed by the City Clerk, this Ordinance shall be published by title only, together with the names of the City Council voting for or against its passage, and with a statement that typewritten copies of said Ordinance are available for inspection by all interested parties at the office of the City Clerk, such publication to be made in the Las Vegas Review-Journal, a newspaper published and having general circulation in the City, at least once, pursuant to Section 2.110 of the Charter and all laws thereunto enabling, such publication is to be in substantially the following form:

(Form for Publication After Final Adoption of Ordinance)

ORDINANCE NO. _____

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above Ordinance was proposed on April 20, 2011, and was passed at a regular meeting held on May 18, 2011, by the following vote of the City Council of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada:

Those Voting Aye:

Oscar B. Goodman
Gary Reese
Steve Wolfson
Lois Tarkanian
Steven D. Ross
Ricki Y. Barlow
Stavros S. Anthony

Those Voting Nay:

Those Absent:

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after May 22, 2011, i.e., the day after its publication by title only.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City Council of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, has caused this Ordinance to be published by title only.

This 18th day of May, 2011.

/s/ OSCAR B. GOODMAN

Mayor
City of Las Vegas, Nevada

(SEAL)

Attest:

/s/ BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC
City Clerk

Section 16. That if any section, paragraph, clause or other provision of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or other provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance.

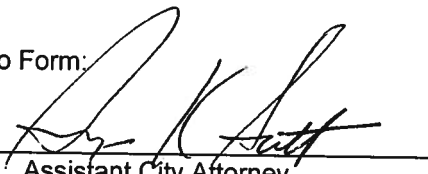
INTRODUCED APRIL 20, 2011, PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED MAY 18, 2011.

OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

Attest:

BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

4/5/11 

Date Assistant City Attorney

STATE OF NEVADA)
)
COUNTY OF CLARK) ss
)
CITY OF LAS VEGAS)

I, Beverly K. Bridges, MMC, the duly chosen, qualified City Clerk of the City of Las Vegas (the "City"), in the State of Nevada, do hereby certify:

1. The foregoing pages constitute a true, correct, complete and compared copy of an ordinance which was introduced at the meeting of the City Council of the City (the "City Council") on April 20, 2011 and finally adopted and approved on May 18, 2011.

2. The following members of the City Council were present at the April 20, 2011 meeting:

Mayor:	Oscar B. Goodman
Councilmembers:	Gary Reese
	Steve Wolfson
	Lois Tarkanian
	Steven D. Ross
	Ricki Y. Barlow
	Stavros S. Anthony

3. The foregoing Ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on April 20, 2011, and referred to a committee composed of _____ and _____ for recommendation; thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said Ordinance on May 18, 2011, which was a regular meeting of said City Council; that at said regular meeting, the proposed Ordinance was again read by title to the City Council and adopted. The following members of the City Council were present at the May 18, 2011, meeting and voted upon the adoption of the Ordinance as follows:

Those Voting Aye:	Oscar B. Goodman
	Gary Reese
	Steve Wolfson
	Lois Tarkanian
	Steven D. Ross
	Ricki Y. Barlow
	Stavros S. Anthony

Those Voting Nay: _____

Those Absent: _____

4. The original of the Ordinance has been approved and authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor of the City and myself, as Clerk of the City, and sealed with the seal of the City, and has been recorded in the journal of the City Council kept for that purpose in my office, which record has been duly signed by such officers and properly sealed.

5. All members of the City Council were given due and proper notice of the meetings held on April 20, 2011 and May 18, 2011. Pursuant to § 241.020, Nevada Revised Statutes, written notice of the meetings was given no later than 9:00 a.m. on the third working day before the meetings, including in the notice the time, place, location, and agenda of the meeting:

(a) By posting a copy of the notice by 9:00 a.m. at least three (3) working days before the meetings at the principal office of the City Council, or if there is no principal office, at the building in which the meeting is to be held, and at least three (3) other separate, prominent places within the jurisdiction of the City Council, to wit:

- (i) City Clerk's Bulletin Board
City Hall Plaza
2nd Floor Skybridge
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (ii) Bulletin Board
City Hall Plaza (next door to Metro Records)
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (iii) Las Vegas Library
833 Las Vegas Boulevard North
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (iv) Clark County Government Center
500 South Grand Central Parkway
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (v) Grant Sawyer Building
555 E. Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada
- (vi) The City of Las Vegas website

and

(b) By mailing a copy of the notice by 9:00 a.m. no later than three (3) working days before the meetings to each person, if any, who has requested notice of the meetings of the City Council in the same manner in which notice is required to be mailed to a member of the City Council.

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the agenda, except for certain confidential materials and materials pertaining to the closed meetings, as provided by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this May 18, 2011.

Beverly K. Bridges, MMC, City Clerk

(SEAL)

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RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE MEETING OF: MAY 3, 2011

DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY

DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC

☐ Consent ☒ Discussion

SUBJECT:

Bill No. 2011-23 – Updates the Land Use and Rural Neighborhoods Preservation Element of the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan to be consistent with the City’s new Unified Development Code.
Proposed by: Flinn Fagg, Acting Director of Planning

Fiscal Impact

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No Impact

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Augmentation Required

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Budget Funds Available

Amount:

Funding Source:

Dept./Division:

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

This bill will update the Land Use and Rural Neighborhoods Preservation Element of the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan to be consistent with the City’s new Unified Development Code. The City Council approved the update at its meeting of March 16, 2011. This bill will merely formalize the adoption by ordinance.

RECOMMENDATION:

This bill should be submitted to a Recommending Committee for review, hearing and recommendation to the City Council for final action.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Bill No. 2011-23

1 **BILL NO. 2011-23**

2 **ORDINANCE NO. _____**

3 AN ORDINANCE TO UPDATE THE LAND USE AND RURAL NEIGHBORHOODS
4 PRESERVATION ELEMENT OF THE LAS VEGAS 2020 MASTER PLAN TO BE CONSISTENT
5 WITH THE CITY'S NEW UNIFIED DEVELOPMENT CODE, AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER
6 RELATED MATTERS.

6 Proposed by: Flinn Fagg, Acting Director of
7 Planning

Summary: Updates the Land Use and Rural
Neighborhoods Preservation Element of the Las
Vegas 2020 Master Plan to be consistent with
the City's new Unified Development Code.

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9 THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS DOES HEREBY ORDAIN
10 AS FOLLOWS:

11 SECTION 1: The document entitled "Land Use and Rural Neighborhoods
12 Preservation Element," including its appendix, exhibits and maps, as adopted by Ordinance No. 6056,
13 is hereby amended as set forth in Sections 2 to 4, inclusive, of this Ordinance. In Sections 2 and 3,
14 deleted material is enclosed by brackets and new material is underlined.

15 SECTION 2: The beginning paragraph of the section entitled "Mixed-Use
16 Development," commencing on Page 16, is amended to read as follows:

17 In 2001, the Downtown Overlay District was created to coincide with the Downtown Centennial Plan
18 area and establish special standards for any zoning district in this area.⁵ Many traditional standards
19 such as for setbacks, height, parking, landscaping and lot coverage were relaxed to encourage
20 developments having both residential and nonresidential uses on the same parcel or to allow both
21 residential and nonresidential uses in an area zoned for one or the other. By 2003, a specific use called
22 "Mixed Use" was created and defined, and was deemed appropriate anywhere inside the boundaries
23 of the Las Vegas Redevelopment Area.⁶ The area permitting mixed-use developments later expanded
24 to the boundaries of the Neighborhood Revitalization Area,⁷ and then became permissible anywhere
25 within the C-1, C-2 and C-PB Districts with certain restrictions.⁸ With the adoption of a new
26 development code, the C-PB District will be eliminated for future development, so that mixed-use
27 developments will be limited to the C-1 and C-2 Districts.

28 SECTION 3: The fourth paragraph of the section entitled "Mixed-Use Development,"

1 commencing on Page 16, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2 Transit Oriented Development (TOD) is walkable, mixed-use development which occurs within a
3 quarter-mile radius of transit station locations. The goal of creating walkable neighborhoods is most
4 fully realized by the city's TND designation, which allows the T-D (Traditional Neighborhood)
5 zoning district.] The encouraged development pattern is for an interconnected street grid and buildings
6 that relate to the street. This permits shorter walking times practical for access to all points in the
7 neighborhood, whether for leisure or transportation. Complete streets that accommodate vehicles,
8 transit, pedestrians and bicycles are mandated, with emphasis on streetscaping and sidewalks.
9 Commercial service uses are near residential dwellings. Kyle Canyon is a development area
10 designated for Traditional Neighborhood Development.

11 SECTION 4: Tables 5, 10 and 14 are hereby replaced by the tables of the same
12 numbers that are attached to this Ordinance.

13 SECTION 5: The Department of Planning is authorized and directed to incorporate
14 into the Land Use and Rural Neighborhoods Preservation Element the changes adopted by this
15 Ordinance and to file the final document with the City Clerk.

16 SECTION 6: If any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or
17 phrase in this ordinance or any part thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid or
18 ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity or
19 effectiveness of the remaining portions of this ordinance or any part thereof. The City Council of the
20 City of Las Vegas hereby declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, subdivision,
21 paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections,
22 subsections, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional,
23 invalid or ineffective.

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1 SECTION 7: All ordinances or parts of ordinances or sections, subsections, phrases,
2 sentences, clauses or paragraphs contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada,
3 1983 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

4 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2011.

5 APPROVED:

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7 By _____
8 OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

9 ATTEST:

10 _____
11 BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC
City Clerk

12 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Date

1 The above and foregoing ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on the
2 _____ day of _____, 2011, and referred to the following committee composed of
3 _____ and _____ for recommendation;
4 thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said ordinance on the _____ day of
5 _____, 2011, which was a _____ meeting of said Council; that at said
6 _____ meeting, the proposed ordinance was read by title to the City Council
7 as first introduced and adopted by the following vote:

8 VOTING "AYE": _____

9 VOTING "NAY": _____

10 ABSENT: _____

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12 APPROVED:

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14 By _____
OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

15 ATTEST:

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17 BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC
City Clerk
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Table 5: Master Plan Land Use Designations

Master Plan Land Use Designations	RESIDENTIAL									COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL				OTHER				
	RNP	DR	R	L	ML	MLA	M	H	PCD	O	SC	GC	L/I/R	TC	PR-OS	PF	TND	LVMD
Master Plan Designation																		
Maximum Allowable Density (Units Per Acre)	2.00	2.49	3.59	5.49	8.49	12.49	25.49	≥25.5	8.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	See Town Center Chart	N/A	N/A	Variable†	See Las Vegas Medical District Chart
Allowable Zoning Categories	U*, R-E	U, R-E	U, R-E, R-1	R-1, R-MH, U, R-E	R-2, R-CL, R-1, R-MH, U, R-E	R-2, R-TH	R-3, R-2, R-TH	R-4, R-3, R-2, R-TH	PD ‡	O, P-O	C-1, O, P-O	C-2, C-1, O, P-O	M, C-M, C-2, C-1, O, P-O	See Town Center Chart	C-V	C-V	R-4, R-3, R-2, R-1, R-E, C-2, C-1, O	See Las Vegas Medical District Chart

* Per LVMC Title 19.18.020, an undeveloped property may be zoned U (RNP) until it is rezoned or until such time as a proper classification is determined.

† The density of a development within the TND category is limited by the approved Zoning Districts or the Development Standards and Design Guidelines document in the case of an approved master planned development.

‡ The PD Zoning District shall require a minimum acreage of 40 acres.

Table 10: Iron Mountain Ranch Land Use Designations

Iron Mountain Ranch Master Plan Area	RESIDENTIAL			COMMERCIAL	OTHER
	DR	R	L	ML	
Master Plan Land Use Designation					PF, PR-OS
Maximum Allowable Density (Units Per Acre)	2.00	3.49	5.49	8.49	N/A
Allowable Zoning Categories	R-PD2*	R-PD*	R-PD*	R-PD*	C-V

* The types of development permitted under the R-PD designation prior to the adoption of the Unified Development Code shall now be achieved under the TND designation. All existing R-PD designated development as of the effective date of the Unified Development Code shall be governed by any approved Development Standards, Design Guidelines, or other active entitlements that may be applicable.

Table 14: Downtown Area Land Use Designations

Downtown Land Use Plan Area	RESIDENTIAL	COMMERCIAL		OTHER	
		MXU	C	LI/R	PF
Master Plan Land Use Designation	MXU		C	LI/R	PF
Corresponding General Plan Categories	L, ML, M, H, O, SC, GC	L, ML, M, H, O, SC, GC	O, SC, GC	LI/R	PF
Allowable Zoning Categories	R-E, R-MH, R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4, R-TH, O, P-O, C-1, C-2	R-E, R-MH, R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4, R- TH, O, P-O, C-1, C-2	O, P-O, C-1, C-2	C-M, M	C-V

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DIRECTOR: BEVERLY K. BRIDGES

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CITIZENS PARTICIPATION: PUBLIC COMMENT DURING THIS PORTION OF THE AGENDA MUST BE LIMITED TO MATTERS WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE COMMITTEE. NO SUBJECT MAY BE ACTED UPON BY THE COMMITTEE 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



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