MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Commission’s Subcommittee to Study the Protection of Natural Treasures (Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 35 [File No. 101, Statutes of Nevada 2005])

Date and Time of Meeting: Monday, November 7, 2005
10:30 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building
Room 4401
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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A G E N D A

I. Opening Remarks and Introductions
   Senator Dina Titus, Chairwoman

II. Overview of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 35 (File No. 101, Statutes of Nevada 2005)
   Marjorie Paslov Thomas, Senior Research Analyst, Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau
III. Overview of Cultural and Historic Natural Treasures on Federal Lands in Nevada
   A. Stephanie Phillips, Deputy Forest Supervisor, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, Spring Mountains National Recreation Area, U.S. Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture
   B. Jo Simpson, Chief, Office of Communications, Bureau of Land Management, Nevada State Office, United States Department of the Interior (DOI)
   C. William K. Dickinson, Superintendent, Lake Mead National Recreation Area, National Park Service, DOI

IV. Overview of State Land Programs Relating to the Preservation of Natural Treasures
   Pamela B. Wilcox, Administrator and State Land Registrar, Division of State Lands, State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (SDCNR)

V. Overview of State Parks Programs Relating to Natural Treasures
   David K. Morrow, Administrator, Division of State Parks, SDCNR

VI. Review of the Differences Between State Cultural Resources and State Natural Treasures
   Ronald M. James, State Historic Preservation Officer, Office of Historic Preservation, Department of Cultural Affairs

VII. Overview of Clark County Development Process Throughout Northwest Clark County
   Mario A. Bermudez, Planning Manager, Department of Comprehensive Planning, Clark County

VIII. Discussion of General Wilderness Issues Relating to Natural Treasures
   A. Brian Beffort, Conservation Director, Friends of Nevada Wilderness
   B. Joe Johnson, Member, Toiyabe Chapter Sierra Club

IX. Scheduling of Future Meetings

X. Public Comment

XI. Adjournment

*Denotes items on which the Subcommittee may take action.

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