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**MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA**

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Public Lands  
(*Nevada Revised Statutes 218.5363*)

Date and Time of Meeting: Friday, November 6, 2009  
10 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Humboldt County Commission Chambers  
Room 201  
50 West Fifth Street  
Winnemucca, Nevada

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**A G E N D A**

**Note: Items on this agenda may be taken in a different order than listed.**

\*Denotes items on which the Committee may take action.

- \*I. Election of the Chairman and Vice Chairman
- II. Opening Remarks and Introductions
- \*III. Update on Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Programs and Activities in Nevada  
Gene Seidlitz, District Manager, Winnemucca District Office, BLM, United States  
Department of the Interior  
Doran Sanchez, Chief, Office of Communications, BLM, Nevada
- \*IV. Update on U.S. Forest Service (USFS) Activities and Planning Efforts in Northeastern Nevada  
Martina Gast, Acting District Ranger, Santa Rosa Ranger District, USFS,  
U.S. Department of Agriculture
- \*V. Presentation on the Wildfire Support Group (WSG)  
Jan Schade, Coordinator, WSG
- \*VI. Update on Programs and Activities Relating to Wild Horses, Burros, and Estrays in Nevada
  - A. Review of the Activities of and Issues Monitored by Nevada's Commission for the Preservation of Wild Horses, State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (SDCNR)  
Cathy Barcomb, Administrator, Nevada's Commission for the Preservation of Wild Horses
  - B. Proposal for Wild Horse Sanctuary in Elko County  
Gary Weisbart, Ranch Manager, Winecup Gamble Ranch
  - C. Review of the Activities of and Issues Monitored by the State Department of Agriculture (SDA)  
Tony Lesperance, Ph.D., Director, SDA

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\*VII. Overview of Mining in Nevada

Alan R. Coyner, Administrator, Division of Minerals, Nevada's Commission on Mineral Resources  
Allen Biaggi, Director, SDCNR  
Tim Crowley, Director, Nevada Mining Association

\*VIII. Presentation of Water Policies of the State Board of Agriculture

Tony Lesperance, Ph.D., Director, SDA

\*IX. Review of Activities of the Humboldt River Basin Water Authority (HRBWA)

Mike L. Baughman, Ph.D., President, Intertech Services Corporation and Executive Director, HRBWA

\*X. Overview of Public Lands and Natural Resource Issues in Humboldt County

Tom Fransway, Chair, Board of County Commissioners, Humboldt County

\*XI. Overview of Public Lands and Natural Resource Issues in Lander County

Representative(s), Lander County

\*XII. Review of Committee Schedule for the 2009-2010 Legislative Interim

Susan E. Scholley, Chief Principal Research Analyst, Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)

\*XIII. Overview of Public Lands Related Legislation Enacted in the 2009 Session and Pertinent Federal Legislation Under Consideration by the 111th United States Congress

Susan E. Scholley, Chief Principal Research Analyst, Research Division, LCB

XIV. Public Comment

XV. Adjournment

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