

## MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Commission on Special License Plates  
(*Nevada Revised Statutes* [NRS] 482.367004)

Date and Time of Meeting: Monday, March 19, 2012  
3 p.m.

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

Note: Some members of the Commission may be attending the meeting and other persons may observe the meeting and provide testimony through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the following location: Legislative Building, Room 3138, 401 South Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada, and Great Basin College, Berg Hall Conference Room, 1500 College Parkway, Elko, Nevada.

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**Note:** Items on this agenda may be taken in a different order than listed. Two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration. An item may be removed from this agenda or discussion relating to an item on this agenda may be delayed at any time.

- I. Opening Remarks  
Assemblywoman Marilyn Dondero Loop, Chair
- II. Public Comment  
(Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker may be limited, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers.)
- III. Overview of the Responsibilities of the Commission on Special License Plates and Review of Special License Plates Including Active Plate Counts and Revenue Generated  
Marjorie Paslov Thomas, Principal Research Analyst, Research Division,  
Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)
- IV. Report by the Legislative Auditor Concerning Charitable Organizations Receiving Revenue From Special License Plates (As Required by NRS 482.38278)  
Paul V. Townsend, Legislative Auditor, Audit Division, LCB  
Rocky J. Cooper, Audit Supervisor, Audit Division, LCB
- V. Presentation Concerning Information Received Pursuant to NRS 482.38277(1)(b)  
Ann Yukish-Lee, Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) Manager II,  
Central Services and Records, DMV

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- VI. Presentation and Discussion of Pending Applications for Special License Plates
  - A. United States Air Force Thunderbirds
  - B. March of Dimes
    - Michelle Gorelow, M.A.Ed., Director of Program Services,  
Nevada Chapter, March of Dimes
  - C. Teamsters Union Local 631
    - Tommy Blitsch, Secretary Treasurer/CEO, Teamsters Union Local 631
  - D. Susan G. Komen for the Cure
    - Stephanie Kirby, M.Ed., Executive Director, Southern Nevada Affiliate,  
Susan G. Komen for the Cure
    - Jennifer Lazovich, Public Policy Chair, Southern Nevada Affiliate,  
Susan G. Komen for the Cure
  - E. Nevada Airport Managers Association
    - Wendy Rudder, President, Nevada Airports Association
    - Dennis Taylor, Chief, Transportation and Multimodal Planning,  
Department of Transportation
  - F. Nevada Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Board (NBPAB)
    - Tim Rowe, Chair, NBPAB
    - Mark Kimbrough, Board Member, NBPAB
  - G. City of Reno
    - Cadence Matijevec, Assistant City Manager, City of Reno
    - Julee Conway, Director, Parks, Recreation, and Community Services  
Department

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- VII. Work Session—Discussion and Possible Action Relating To:
  - A. Pending Special License Plate Applications
  - B. Recommendations Concerning Reporting Requirements by Charitable Organizations
  - C. Recommendations Concerning Minimum Circulation Requirements for Special License Plates

The “Work Session Document” is attached below and is available on the Nevada Legislature’s website ([www.leg.state.nv.us](http://www.leg.state.nv.us)) at the Commission’s home page ([Commission on Special License Plates](#)) or a written copy may be obtained by contacting Marjorie Paslov Thomas, Principal Research Analyst, Research Division, LCB, at (775) 684-6825.

- VIII. Public Comment  
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#### IX. Adjournment

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# Commission on Special License Plates

*(Nevada Revised Statutes 482.367004)*

## WORK SESSION DOCUMENT



**March 19, 2012**

Prepared by the Research Division  
Legislative Counsel Bureau



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The following “Work Session Document” was prepared by the staff of the Commission on Special License Plates (NRS 482.367004). The document contains a list of charitable organizations requesting a special license plate. The applications were presented in hearings and submitted in writing for the Commission’s consideration.

The organizations applying for special license plates listed in this document do not necessarily have the support or opposition of the Commission. The organizations are not preferentially ordered, rather they are listed in the order in which their application was submitted to the Commission and to the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). Finally, it should be noted that if the Commission approves the application for the design, preparation, and issuance of a special license plate, the DMV, in cooperation with the sponsoring organization, will begin designing the special license plate.

The Commission may also consider any possible action on the recommendations for legislative measures listed in this document. The possible actions do not necessarily have the support or opposition of the Commission. Rather, these possible actions are compiled and organized so that members may review each action to decide if they should be adopted, changed, rejected, or further considered.

The members of the Commission may vote to send as many Commission statements or letters as they choose; however, pursuant to NRS 218D.160, the Commission is limited to ten bill draft requests, including requests for the drafting of legislative resolutions. Finally, it should be noted that many of the recommendations may contain an unknown fiscal impact. Commission members should be advised that LCB staff will coordinate with the interested parties to obtain detailed fiscal estimates, where appropriate (for inclusion in the final report), and that all recommendations may be considered within available funding limits.



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# WORK SESSION

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### SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES UNDER CONSIDERATION

The following special license plates may be considered for action during today's work session. The license plates have a pending application before the Commission and do not necessarily have the approval of the Commission.

- United States Air Force Thunderbirds**
- March of Dimes**
- Teamsters Union**
- Susan G. Komen For The Cure**
- Nevada Airport Managers Association**
- Nevada Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Board**
- City of Reno**

## RECOMMENDATIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE MEASURES

### *PENDING SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE APPLICATIONS*

**Recommendation No. 1**—Draft a bill requiring the Commission on Special License Plates, on or before September 1 of each fiscal year, to produce a list of each plate approved by the Commission. The list must include each organization that receives revenue from a special license plate and the intended use of the revenue. The Commission must post this information on its website.

### *RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING REPORTING REQUIREMENTS BY CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS*

**Recommendation No. 2**—Draft a bill amending subsection 1(b) of NRS 482.38277 to change the date to “on or before July 1 of each fiscal year,” each charitable organization, not including a governmental entity whose budget is included in the *Executive Budget*, that receives additional fees must provide to the Commission and to the Department of Motor Vehicles: (1) a list of the names of the persons, whether or not designated officers, who are responsible for overseeing the operation of the charitable organization; (2) the current mailing address of the charitable organization; and (3) the current telephone number of the charitable organization.

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### *RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING MINIMUM CIRCULATION REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES*

**Recommendation No. 3**—Draft a bill to require each special license plate (as defined in subsection 1 of NRS 482.367008) to have at least 1,000 active special license plates when the DMV assesses the viability of each separate design of special license plate on October 1 of each year. If, on December 31 of the same year, the total number of validly registered motor vehicles to which the special license plate is affixed is less than 1,000 then the DMV shall discontinue the issuance of that particular design of plate. Such an order would not require existing holders of that particular design of special license plate to surrender their plates to the DMV and does not prohibit those holders from renewing those plates.