

Amendment No. 463

Senate Amendment to Senate Bill No. 246	(BDR S-1028)
<b>Proposed by:</b> Senate Committee on Government Affairs	
<b>Amends:</b> Summary: No Title: No Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes	

Adoption of this amendment will MAINTAIN the unfunded mandate not requested by the affected local government to S.B. 246 (§§ 1, 3).
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EXPLANATION: Matter in (1) *blue bold italics* is new language in the original bill; (2) variations of green bold underlining is language proposed to be added in this amendment; (3) ~~red strikethrough~~ is deleted language in the original bill; (4) ~~purple double strikethrough~~ is language proposed to be deleted in this amendment; (5) orange double underlining is deleted language in the original bill proposed to be retained in this amendment.

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Date: 4/21/2023

S.B. No. 246—Revises provisions relating to governmental administration.  
(BDR S-1028)





SENATE BILL NO. 246--SENATOR NEAL

MARCH 9, 2023

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Revises provisions relating to governmental administration. (BDR S-1028)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: May have Fiscal Impact. Effect on the State: Contains Appropriation not included in Executive Budget.

CONTAINS UNFUNDED MANDATE (§§ 1, 3) (NOT REQUESTED BY AFFECTED LOCAL GOVERNMENT)

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to governmental administration; requiring the City Councils of the City of Las Vegas and the City of North Las Vegas to establish a workforce development program; requiring the City Councils to receive updates on the programs and post information about the programs; requiring every public utility which is owned or operated by the City of Las Vegas or the City of North Las Vegas to include certain information in utility bills; requiring that certain information be posted in each building owned by the City of Las Vegas or the City of North Las Vegas; requiring the City Councils to submit an annual report to the Director of the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation and the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau relating to the workforce development program; making an appropriation to Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Board to carry out the Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Improvement Project; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel’s Digest:**

1 The existing Charter of the City of Las Vegas authorizes the City Council of the City to  
2 exercise such powers and enact such ordinances, not in conflict with the laws of this State, as  
3 the City Council determines are necessary and proper for the development and provisions of  
4 programs relating to employment and training. (Las Vegas City Charter § 3.300) **Section 1** of  
5 this bill requires the City Council to establish a workforce development program, in  
6 coordination with all applicable agencies which provide workforce development services, to  
7 reduce the rate of unemployment in all areas of the City that have a high rate of poverty.  
8 **Section 1** further requires: (1) the City Council to receive an update to the program ~~at every~~  
9 ~~meeting of the City Council,~~ **on a quarterly basis;** (2) the City Council to post information  
10 about the program in a conspicuous place on the Internet website of the City; (3) every public  
11 utility owned or operated by the City to include certain information regarding opportunities  
12 available in workforce development in each utility bill; (4) each building that is owned in the

13 City to have posted in a clear and conspicuous place all job openings that are available in the  
 14 building; and (5) the City Council to provide a written report each year to the Director of the  
 15 Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation and the Director of the Legislative  
 16 Counsel Bureau relating to the workforce development program. **Section 3** of this bill sets  
 17 forth the same requirements for the City of North Las Vegas.

18 **Section 2** of this bill creates an exception to the provision that authorizes but does not  
 19 require the City Council of the City of Las Vegas to exercise powers and enact ordinances  
 20 relating to programs relating to employment and training.

21 **Section 4** of this bill makes an appropriation of \$5,000,000 from the State General Fund  
 22 to the Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Board for purposes of carrying out the  
 23 Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Improvement Project.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN  
 SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 **Section 1.** The Charter of the City of Las Vegas, being chapter 517, Statutes  
 2 of Nevada 1983, at page 1391, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to  
 3 be designated as section 3.310, immediately following section 3.300, to read as  
 4 follows:

5 *Sec. 3.310 Workforce development.*

6 *1. The City Council shall establish a workforce development*  
 7 *program, in coordination with all applicable agencies which provide*  
 8 *workforce development services, to reduce the rate of unemployment in*  
 9 *all areas of the City that have a high rate of poverty. The workforce*  
 10 *development program established pursuant to this section:*

11 *(a) Must prioritize outreach and assistance in neighborhoods that*  
 12 *have historically had high rates of poverty; ~~and~~*

13 *(b) Must not prioritize any one minority group over another ~~and~~; and*

14 *(c) Must include, without limitation:*

15 *(1) Targets to share work opportunities for all economic*  
 16 *development projects within the boundary of the City with residents of the*  
 17 *City based on the priorities established pursuant to paragraph (a); and*

18 *(2) Engagement and outreach regarding work opportunities from*  
 19 *the beginning of an economic development project until completion.*

20 *2. The City Council shall:*

21 *(a) Receive an update on the workforce development program*  
 22 *established pursuant to subsection 1 ~~at every meeting of the City~~*  
 23 *~~Council~~ on a quarterly basis.*

24 *(b) Post information about the workforce development program*  
 25 *established pursuant to subsection 1 in a conspicuous place on the*  
 26 *Internet website of the City.*

27 *3. Every public utility which is owned or operated by the City shall*  
 28 *include in each utility bill sent to a customer clear and conspicuous*  
 29 *notification of the Internet address that sets forth opportunities in*  
 30 *workforce development available to residents of the City.*

31 *4. In each building that is owned by the City, there must be posted*  
 32 *in a clear and conspicuous place all job openings that are available in the*  
 33 *building.*

34 *5. The City Council shall provide a written report each year to the*  
 35 *Director of the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation*  
 36 *and the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmittal to the*  
 37 *Legislature, or if the Legislature is not in session, the Legislative*

1 *Commission, describing the efforts made by the workforce development*  
2 *program established pursuant to subsection 1.*

3 **Sec. 2.** Section 3.300 of the Charter of the City of Las Vegas, being chapter  
4 338, Statutes of Nevada 2007, at page 1532, is hereby amended to read as follows:

5 Sec. 3.300 Programs: Employment and training.

6 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2 *and section 3.310*  
7 and in addition to any other powers authorized by specific statute, the City  
8 Council may exercise such powers and enact such ordinances, not in  
9 conflict with the laws of this State, as the City Council determines are  
10 necessary and proper for the development and provision of programs  
11 relating to employment and training.

12 2. The City Council shall not impose or increase a tax for the  
13 purposes set forth in subsection 1 unless the tax or increase is otherwise  
14 authorized by specific statute.

15 **Sec. 3.** The Charter of the City of North Las Vegas, being chapter 573,  
16 Statutes of Nevada 1971, at page 1210, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new  
17 section to be designated as section 3.110, immediately following section 3.100, to  
18 read as follows:

19 *Sec. 3.110. Workforce development.*

20 1. *The City Council shall establish a workforce development*  
21 *program, in coordination with all applicable agencies which provide*  
22 *workforce development services, to reduce the rate of unemployment in*  
23 *areas of the City that have a high rate of poverty. The workforce*  
24 *development program established pursuant to this section:*

25 (a) *Must prioritize outreach and assistance in neighborhoods that*  
26 *have historically had high rates of poverty; ~~and~~*

27 (b) *Must not prioritize any one minority group over another ~~and~~; and*

28 (c) *Must include, without limitation:*

29 *(1) Targets to share work opportunities for all economic*  
30 *development projects within the boundary of the City with residents of the*  
31 *City based on the priorities established pursuant to paragraph (a); and*

32 *(2) Engagement and outreach regarding work opportunities from*  
33 *the beginning of an economic development project until completion.*

34 2. *The City Council shall:*

35 (a) *Receive an update on the workforce development program*  
36 *established pursuant to subsection 1 ~~at every meeting of the City~~*  
37 *~~Council~~ on a quarterly basis.*

38 (b) *Post information about the workforce development program*  
39 *established pursuant to subsection 1 in a conspicuous place on the*  
40 *Internet website of the City.*

41 3. *Every public utility which is owned or operated by the City shall*  
42 *include in each utility bill sent to a customer clear and conspicuous*  
43 *notification of the Internet address that sets forth opportunities in*  
44 *workforce development available to residents of the City.*

45 4. *In each building that is owned by the City, there must be posted*  
46 *in a clear and conspicuous place all job openings that are available in the*  
47 *building.*

48 5. *The City Council shall provide a written report each year to the*  
49 *Director of the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation*  
50 *and the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmittal to the*  
51 *Legislature, or if the Legislature is not in session, the Legislative*  
52 *Commission, describing the efforts made by the workforce development*  
53 *program established pursuant to subsection 1.*

1       **Sec. 4.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the  
2 Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Board the sum of \$5,000,000 for purposes  
3 of carrying out the Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Improvement Project.

4       2. Upon acceptance of the money appropriated by subsection 1, the Southern  
5 Nevada Enterprise Community Board agrees to:

6       (a) Prepare and transmit a report to the Interim Finance Committee on or  
7 before December 20, 2024, that describes each expenditure made from the money  
8 appropriated by subsection 1 from the date on which the money was received by the  
9 Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Board through December 1, 2024;

10       (b) Prepare and transmit a final report to the Interim Finance Committee on or  
11 before September 19, 2025, that describes each expenditure made from the money  
12 appropriated by subsection 1 from the date on which the money was received by the  
13 Southern Nevada Enterprise Community Board through June 30, 2025; and

14       (c) Upon request of the Legislative Commission, make available to the  
15 Legislative Auditor any of the books, accounts, claims, reports, vouchers or other  
16 records of information, confidential or otherwise, of the Southern Nevada  
17 Enterprise Community Board, regardless of their form or location, that the  
18 Legislative Auditor deems necessary to conduct an audit of the use of the money  
19 appropriated pursuant to subsection 1.

20       3. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1 must not  
21 be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2025, by the entity to which the  
22 appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is  
23 granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated  
24 money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 19, 2025, by  
25 either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the  
26 money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State  
27 General Fund on or before September 19, 2025.

28       **Sec. 5.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.