# Notice of Public Meeting Board of Museums and History

Friday, June 19, 2015 9:00 a.m.

#### **Meeting Location**

University of Nevada
Mathewson - IGT Knowledge Center
Room KC 110
1664 N. Virginia Street
Reno, NV 89503

#### With a video link to

Nevada Department of Environmental Protection Red Rock Conference Room Suite 230 2030 East Flamingo Road Las Vegas, NV 89119

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- Action may be taken on those items denoted "Action".
- 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.
- Public comment will be allowed after discussion of each action item on the agenda but before voting on the item. Because of time considerations, the period for public comment may be limited to 3 minutes at the discretion of the chair, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers.
- Meetings are audio-recorded and transcribed as part of the public record. Speakers must identify themselves before speaking.
- 1. CALL TO ORDER AND CONFIRMATION THAT THE MEETING WAS PROPERLY POSTED
- 2. ROLL CALL AND DETERMINATION OF QUORUM

#### 3. PUBLIC COMMENT

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#### 4. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES (For Possible Action)

- A. April 8, 2015 general meeting
- B. May 19, 2015 Finance Committee

# 5. CALENDAR FOR NEXT MEETINGS (For Possible Action)

- A. September 11, 2015, The Lost City Museum, Overton, NV
- B. December 2015 consideration of date and venue
- C. Consideration for scheduling two (2) multi-day Board meetings annually
- D. Consideration for an additional Board retreat/training meeting in 2015

# 6. NOMINATIONS TO THE NATIONAL AND STATE REGISTERS OF HISTORIC PLACES (For Possible Action)

- A. State Register of Historic Places
  - 1. La Concha Motel, Clark County, Las Vegas
- B. National Register of Historic Places
  - 1. Branch No. 1, Las Vegas Grammar School (Amendment), Clark County, Las Vegas

#### 7. AGENCY REPORTS

- A. Department of Tourism & Cultural Affairs Claudia Vecchio, Director (Information and Discussion)
- B. State Historic Preservation Office Karyn deDufour, Deputy SHPO (Information and Discussion)
- C. Division of Museums and History Peter Barton, Administrator (Information, Discussion and Possible Action)
  - 1. 78<sup>th</sup> General Legislative Session report: museums budgets, Capital Improvement Program, employee compensation changes, report on Bills (AB15, AB50, AB194, AB377, SB20, SB 63)
  - 2. Legislative audit
  - 3. Distribution and review of new Board Orientation manual
  - 4. Personnel report
  - 5. History Relevance Campaign National Governor's Association
- D. Public Relations report Felicia Archer, PIO (Information and Discussion)
- E. Board Reports -- Museums (For Possible Action)
  - 1. Nevada Historical Society, Reno
    - a) Publication schedule and matters related to the *Quarterly*. (Included in agency report.)
    - b) OHSA violation/citation, March 3, 2015 (included in agency report)
  - 2. Nevada State Museum, Carson City
  - 3. Nevada State Railroad Museum Carson City
    - a) Unveiling of the Glenbrook steam locomotive, May 23rd
  - 4. Nevada State Railroad Museum Boulder City

- 5. Nevada State Railroad Museum East Ely Depot
  - a) Interlocal contract for joint operations, ticketing and revenue sharing with the White Pine Historical Railroad Foundation.
- 6. Lost City Museum, Overton
- 7. Nevada State Museum, Las Vegas
  - a) Possible action concerning the real property located at 711 South Seventh Street, Las Vegas, donated to the museum, without prior knowledge in the Will of Jacqueline Shuffield dated September 20, 1990.

### 8. COLLECTIONS COMMITTEE – Bob Stoldal, Chair (For Possible Action)

A. Follow-up report from Committee Chair and staff.

# 9. CONTRACT REVIEW (For Possible Action)

A. Review and possible action to approve a two-year contract with On-Cell Systems, Inc., in the amount of \$19,076 for the development and implementation of web-based phone application tours for Division museums. This is the first phase of a development plan to improve access for museum audiences.

#### 10. FINANCE COMMITTEE – Bob Ostrovsky, Chair (For Possible Action)

- A. Reports (March, April 2015) for Morgan Stanley Investments and Treasurer's Accounts (For Possible Action)
- B. Review of letter dated October 27, 2014 concerning findings and recommendations from independent auditor, SFY 2014 Museum Dedicated Trust Fund (For Possible Action)
- C. Review and approval of Museum Dedicated Trust Fund (MDTF) budgets for SFY 2016 (Discussion and Possible Action)
  - a) B/A 5033 Board of Museums and History
  - b) B/A 5034 Division of Museums and History
  - c) B/A 5035 Nevada Historical Society
  - d) B/A 5036 Nevada State Museum
  - e) B/A 5037a Nevada State Railroad Museum, Carson City
  - f) B/A 5037b Nevada State Railroad Museum, East Ely
  - g) B/A 5037c Nevada State Railroad Museum, Boulder City
  - h) B/A 5038 The Lost City Museum
  - i) B/A 5039 Nevada State Museum, Las Vegas
- D. Discussion and action on creation of new budget account, B/A 5040, "NV State Prison Trust Fund" pursuant to AB 377 of the 78<sup>th</sup> General Legislative Session, enrolled as Chapter 255 and in effect as of July 1, 2015 (**Discussion and Possible Action**)

# 11. ADMISSION CHARGES YEARLY REVIEW PER NRS 381.0045 (For Possible Action)

- Nevada Historical Society
- Nevada State Museum, Carson City
- Nevada State Railroad Museum, Carson City
- Nevada State Railroad Museum East Ely
- The Lost City Museum
- Nevada State Museum, Las Vegas

#### 12. TRAIN RIDE RATES YEARLY REVIEW PER NRS 381.0045 (For Possible Action)

- Nevada State Railroad Museum, Carson City
- Nevada State Railroad Museum, Boulder City

## 13. MUSEUM STORE REPORT – Pete Dubé, Chair (For Possible Action)

A. Report on progress to replace existing point-of-sale (POS) systems, Division-wide, as recommended by independent auditor in his letter to the Board dated October 27, 2014, item number 4.

# 14. NEVADA CULTURAL AFFAIRS FOUNDATION – Bob Ostrovsky, Chair (Information and Discussion)

#### 15. PRIVATE FUNDS BUDGETS ADJUSTMENTS (CURRENT YEAR) (For Possible Action)

- A. Changes approved by the Division Administrator (informational only)
- 1. Increase authority in Division Budget Account 5033, RGL 4251, "Gifts and Donations," by \$1,000 to a revised authority of \$1,500. This is necessitated by additional unrestricted gifts to the Division. This amount is offset in category 35, "Administration" by the amount of the increase, \$1,000.
- 2. Transfer authority in Nevada Historical Society Budget Account 5035, reducing category 86, "Reserve" by \$4,252 and increasing authority in category 35 "Administration" by the same amount. This is necessitated to cover additional Workman's Compensation costs due to increased volunteer activity.
- B. Changes requested from the Board over \$5,000. None.
- C. Restricted Funds/Donations Received:
  - 1. Discussion and action on request to accept restricted funds in the amount of \$3,500 from ASM Affiliates for the Nevada State Museum's Collection Care Fund. These funds will be held in the State Treasurer's Office under B/A 5036, Category 55.
  - Discussion and action on request to accept restricted funds in the amount of \$1,000 from Cora Johnson for the Nevada State Museum's Education Fund. These funds will be held in the State Treasurer's Office under B/A 5036, Category 55, RA# 3611.
  - 3. Discussion and action on request to accept restricted funds in the amount of \$1,000 from Hazel Woodgate for the Nevada State Museum's Hazel Woodgate History Fund. These funds will be held in the State Treasurer's Office and expended out of B/A 5036, RA# 3616.

#### 16. COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS - Bob Stoldal, Chair (For Possible Action)

Solicit and appoint Board members to various Committees (Collections, Facilities, Finance, Membership, Museum Store, Nevada State Prison, Planning)

### 17. PUBLIC COMMENT AND DISCUSSION

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#### 18. BOARD MEMBER COMMENT ON NON-AGENDIZED ITEMS

- 19. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS
- 20. ADJOURNMENT

#### NOTICE POSTING LOCATIONS

#### http://museums.nevadaculture.org

NEVADA DIVISION OF MUSEUMS & HISTORY, 401 N. Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE, 901 South Stewart Street, Carson City EAST ELY RAILROAD DEPOT MUSEUM, 1100 Avenue A, Ely, Nevada NEVADA HISTORICAL SOCIETY, 1650 North Virginia Street, Reno, Nevada NEVADA STATE MUSEUM LAS VEGAS, 309 S. Valley View Blvd., Las Vegas, Nevada LOST CITY MUSEUM, 721 South Highway 169, Overton, Nevada NEVADA STATE MUSEUM, 600 North Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada NEVADA STATE RAILROAD MUSEUM, 2180 S. Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada NEVADA STATE RAILROAD MUSEUM, 600 Yucca Street, Boulder City, Nevada

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