



Elko County Natural Resource Management Advisory Commission

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ELKO COUNTY NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION AGENDA

COUNTY OF ELKO, STATE OF NEVADA,
REGULAR MEETING TO BE HELD AT 6:00 PM, P.S.T.,
SUITE 102 OF THE NANNINI ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
LOCATED AT 540 COURT STREET, ELKO, NV.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2011
NOTICE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Members of the public who are disabled and require special accommodations or assistance at the meeting are requested to notify the Board of County Commissioners, County of Elko, in writing at 540 Court Street, Suite 104, Elko, Nevada, 89801, by e-mail: <rbrown@elkocountynv.net>, or by calling (775) 738-6816 Ext 212.

Breaks and recess actions shall be called for at the pleasure of the Commission rather than by agenda schedule.

(THE CHAIRMAN OR VICE-CHAIRMAN RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE THE ORDER OF THE AGENDA AND IF THE AGENDA IS NOT COMPLETED TO RECESS THE MEETING AND CONTINUE ON ANOTHER SPECIFIED DATE AND TIME).

("ACTION ITEM" Identifies an action item subject to a vote of the Commission.)

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6:00 P.M. CALL TO ORDER:

I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

II. ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

ACTION ITEM

Pursuant to Title 12-1-2(D) of the Elko County Code, the Natural Resource Management Advisory Commission shall elect its chairman and vice chairman from among the appointed members and the term shall be one year with eligibility for re-election of one year.

- A. Chairman
- B. Vice Chairman

III. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND APPROVAL OF SEPTEMBER 29TH MEETING MINUTES: ACTION ITEM

IV. COMMENTS BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC: NON-ACTION ITEM

Pursuant to N.R.S. 241.020, C (3), this time is devoted to comments by the general public, if any, and discussion of those comments. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item on the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on a successive agenda and identified to be an action item.

V. DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF THE CHINA MOUNTAIN WIND PROJECT ACTION ITEM

VI. PRESENTATION BY CLIFF GARDNER, GREAT BASIN CONSULTING SUGGESTING A STUDY REGARDING WILDLIFE/LIVESTOCK RELATIONSHIPS ACTION ITEM

VII. PRESENTATION, OVERVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF THE OUTCOMES OF THE LAS VEGAS HORSE SUMMIT ACTION ITEM

VIII. REVIEW, UPDATE AND DISCUSSION OF THE NEW OMNIBUS PUBLIC LANDS BILL/AMERICA'S GREAT OUTDOORS ACT OF 2010 (S. 303) ACTION ITEM

IX. NEVADA CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION-PRESENTED BY MEGHAN BROWN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ACTION ITEMS

- A. Discussion and information related to the Spruce Allotment and the proposed wild horse sanctuary by Madeleine Pickens and matters related thereto.

X. AGENCY REPORT AND UPDATES:

- A. BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT ACTION ITEMS
- 1) City of Elko Water Reclamation Facility Reuse Site Environmental Assessment Decision Record and Finding of No Signification Impact.
 - 2) Antelope Complex Wild Horse Gather Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) and Decision Record (DR).
 - 3) Notice of Action for the Bluebell and Goshute Peak Wilderness Study Areas regarding an Interim Management Policy for Lands Under Wilderness Review.
 - 4) Final Grazing Permit Renewal Decision for Hubbard Vineyard Allotment and Addendum.
 - 5) Preliminary EA for the Triple B, Maverick-Medicine, and Antelope Valley Herd Management Areas Wild Horse Gather.
 - 6) Cortez Hills Expansion Project Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (Final SEIS).
 - 7) Bellinger Seeding Allotment Final Determinations of the Standards and Guidelines, Environmental Assessment (EA) and Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI).
 - 8) Bottari Allotment Final Determinations on the Standards and Guidelines, Environmental Assessment (EA) and Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI).
 - 9) Spruce Mountain Allotment restoration project aiding in the improvement of wildlife habitat and reducing hazardous fuels.
 - 10) Secretarial Order 3310-“Wild Lands” designations and management of designated areas.
 - a. Comment on Secretary Salazar promoting Wilderness Management of BLM Lands by Holland & Hart.
 - 11) BLM Resource Management Plan / Travel Management Plan for Elko County– Proposed development and schedules.
- B. BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT – OTHER CORRESPONDENCE AND NON-ACTION ITEM
- 1) Prescribed fire projects completed by Elko District BLM from 1997 until present day.
- C. UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE ACTION ITEMS
- None
- D. UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE – OTHER CORRESPONDENCE AND NON-ACTION ITEM
- ITEMS OF DISCUSSION.
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- XI. REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF THE JARBIDGE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN AND OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO ACTION ITEM**
- XII. REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF THE ELKO COUNTY PUBLIC LAND USE AND NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN: ACTION ITEM**

Inclusion of amendments to address Predator Control Management and Federal Land Management Mining Permitting process.

XIII. REVIEW, UPDATE AND DISCUSSION OF USFS MOUNTAIN CITY, RUBY MOUNTAINS AND JARBIDGE RANGER DISTRICTS COMBINED TRAVEL MANAGEMENT PROJECT: ACTION ITEM

XIV. ELKO COUNTY ADVISORY BOARD TO MANAGE WILDLIFE / NDOW:
Commissioner Wellington / Other NON-ACTION ITEM

XV. CORRESPONDENCE REPORT AND DISCUSSION: NON-ACTION ITEM
NONE

XVI. NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMISSIONERS AND COUNTY STAFF COMMENTS: NON-ACTION ITEM

Pursuant to advice from the Nevada Attorney General's Office, this time is devoted to comments by Natural Resource Management Advisory Commissioners and/or County Staff for general information or update purposes. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on a successive agenda and identified to be an action item.

XVII. ADJOURNMENT ACTION ITEM