



**CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS
CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING
SUMMARY MINUTES**

November 7, 2023
6:00 p.m., Council Chambers,
2250 Las Vegas Boulevard North,
North Las Vegas, Nevada 89030

Website - <http://www.cityofnorthlasvegas.com>

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Koury called the meeting into order at 6:00 P.M.

WELCOME

Chairman Koury welcomed all who were in attendance.

VERIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH OPEN MEETING LAW

Chief Deputy City Clerk Cherry Lawson confirmed compliance with Open Meeting Law.

ROLL CALL

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

Chairman Koury
Vice Chairman Acosta
Member Alpert
Member Cato (Absent)
Member Koury
Member May-Noel (Absent)
Member Swaney

STAFF PRESENT

Housing and Neighborhood Services Manager Rick Damian
Deputy City Attorney II Madison Zornes-Vela
Chief Deputy City Clerk Cherry Lawson
Deputy City Clerk II Daisy Rivera

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - BY INVITATION

Led By **Chairman Koury**

PUBLIC FORUM

Chairman Koury opened the meeting to receive public comments. No comments were offered.

AGENDA

1. Citizens' Advisory Committee Regular Meeting of November 7, 2023. (For Possible Action; Recommendation – Approve)

MOTION: *Member Alpert moved and Member Swaney second the motion to approving the agenda as presented.*

ACTION: **APPROVED**
AYES: 4
NAYS: 0
ABSTAIN: 0

CONSENT AGENDA

2. Citizens' Advisory Committee Regular Meeting Minutes of October 3, 2023. (For Possible Action; Recommendation – Approve)

MOTION: *Member Alpert moved and Member Swaney second the motion approving the consent agenda as presented.*

ACTION: **APPROVED**
AYES: 4
NAYS: 0
ABSTAIN: 0

BUSINESS

3. Presentation on Open Meeting Law by the Legal Department. (For Discussion Only)

Deputy City Attorney II Madison Zornes-Vela provided a PowerPoint presentation on the Nevada Open Meeting Law. *(A copy of the presentation is available in the City Clerk's Office for review, as well as the full video presentation may be accessed from the city's website at <https://cityofnorthlasvegas.primegov.com/public/portal>).*

ACTION: DISCUSSION ONLY

4. Presentation by the City of North Las Vegas Grants Department Regarding American Rescue Plan ACT (ARPA) Priorities; and Discussion by the Citizens' Advisory Committee of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). (For Discussion Only)

Housing and Neighborhood Services Manager Rick Damian provided a brief overview of the item in the absence of **Grants Director Leslie Nix**. *(The video presentation may be viewed from the city's website at <https://cityofnorthlasvegas.primegov.com/public/portal>).*

ACTION: DISCUSSION ONLY

5. Bus Tour of Non-Profit Grant Applicant Sites for Community Development Block Grant Programs (CDBG) and Emergency Solutions Grants Program (ESG) funding; and Set Date and Time for the Bus Tour. (For Discussion and Possible Action; Recommendation – Approve)

A brief discussion by the members occurred regarding the nature of the tour, mode of transportation, possible dates of the tour, as well as the locations of the non-profit visits to take possibly take place in January 2025.

ACTION: NO ACTION TAKEN

STAFF ITEMS

Mr. Damian stated that he did not have any staff items to report at this time.

COMMITTEE ITEMS

Member Alpert commented on the number of members set for the committee and acknowledged the newly appointed member, **Katro Henderson**.

PUBLIC FORUM

Chairman Koury opened the meeting to receive public comment. The following individual provided comments.

Cody Stover, with the Regional Transportation Commission, 6750 via Austin Parkway, Las Vegas, NV 89119 stated the RTC is conducting a study in the area surrounding Nellis Air Force Base. While the study goes into next year, the more important thing right now is a survey that we are doing and there is a QR code here that can be shared with your community members, your friends and family. Basically, we just want to know anything that could be done around Nellis Air Force Base. Basically they are asking the city to share this information with the public as it accessible via the QR code. Whether you want a new red light put in more transit options, the good, and the bad. We want to hear about it. It is open until November 22, 2023. Another way that you can help is if you have any interest in joining our community working group. We do have another one of those, as it is all virtual.

ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Koury adjourned the meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 6:57 P.M.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing are true and correct minutes of the City of North Las Vegas Citizens Advisory Committee Meeting held on November 7, 2023. I further certify that a quorum was present.

Jackie Rodgers, City Clerk