MINUTES
Special Meeting
Reno City Council
Friday, May 15, 2015 ● 3:30 PM
Reno City Council Chamber, One East First Street, Reno, NV 89501

Hillary Schieve, Mayor

Council Members:
Ward 1 – Jenny Brekhus
Ward 2 – Naomi Duerr
Ward 3 – Oscar Delgado
Ward 4 – Paul McKenzie
Ward 5 – Neoma Jardon
At-Large – David Bobzien

Agenda Items

1 Pledge of Allegiance
2 Moment of Silence
3 Roll Call

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The meeting was called to order at 3:36 PM.

4 Public Comment

Pan Pantoja, no address provided, representing Reno ArtWorks, discussed his concerns with the language of Senate Bill (SB) 56, the City's graffiti bill. He presented alternate options for young artists.

MAYOR SCHIEVE PRESENT AT 3:43 P.M. VICE MAYOR DELGADO CONTINUED TO PRESIDE THROUGHOUT THE REMAINDER OF THE MEETING.

Stacey Shinn, Lobbyist for Progressive Leadership Alliance of Nevada, 821 Riverside Drive, discussed her concerns about "soluble" language in SB56.

5 Approval of the Agenda (For Possible Action) - May 15, 2015.
RESULT:  APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:  Naomi Duerr, Councilmember
SECONDER:  Paul McKenzie, Councilmember
AYES:  Schieve, Brekhus, Duerr, Delgado, McKenzie, Bobzien
ABSENT:  Neoma Jardon

6  Status Updates: no Staff Report

6.1  Update, discussion and potential direction to staff regarding the 2015 Session of the Nevada Legislature.  3:54 PM

Scott Gilles, Legislative Relations Program Manager, discussed details of SB56 (revised provisions governing graffiti).

Discussion ensued regarding etching and the intent of the change made to the definition of 'graffiti implement'.

Vice Mayor Delgado and Tom Robinson, Deputy Chief of Police, discussed the City's 'stop and frisk' policy.

Discussion ensued regarding existing graffiti laws and enforcement; spray paint purchases and how the 'intent' to commit graffiti vandalism is defined; possibility of holding a community forum to disseminate information about the new law if SB56 is passed; requirements regarding the removal of graffiti on residential and commercial property; and community graffiti education programs.

Council Member Bobzien referred to Section 7 of SB56 and noted that keys and coins are not 'carbide-tipped instruments'. Knowing that we have the 'intent' to vandalism test and so few examples of this law being enforced, he said, I am fine with this, but the latest misunderstanding points to the need to do more community outreach.

MAYOR SCHIEVE ABSENT AT 4:26 P.M.

Mr. Gilles discussed a proposed amendment to Chapter 268 that would give the City a better reality of Home Rule than what currently exists.

COUNCIL MEMBER BOBZIEN ABSENT AT 4:29 P.M.

Jonathan Shipman, Assistant City Attorney, said that the bill gives additional legal authority when the law is vague, unclear or silent. If it is a local concern or matter and there is no express prohibition against it, we are going to presume we have the authority to regulate. Overall I support it, but right now it is written for a
county, and there are technical issues that will need to be addressed to make it specific to a city.

Council Member McKenzie discussed his concerns about Home Rule and about giving the county Home Rule without the city having the same ability.

It was moved by Council Member McKenzie to direct the City Attorney's Office to work with Mr. Gilles to support the incorporation of this amendment into the City Chapter.

Council Member Brekhus and Mr. Shipman discussed whether a city can ban plastic bags, whether that is a Home Rule issue, and if this legislation would help in such an instance.

Council Member Duerr seconded the motion.

Motion carried with Mayor Schieve, and Council Members Bobzien and Jardon absent.

Mr. Gilles provided an update on SB144, the pedestrian safety bill; and SB245, the hit and run bill.

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7 Public Comment
Claude Conkrite, 1415 North Virginia Street, discussed opposition to the 'stand your ground' and 'campus carry' bills.

8 Adjournment (For Possible Action)
THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 4:44 P.M.