

March 27, 2024 - Reno City Council Meeting - Item # A.3

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## City Council Comment received from Judy Covert

Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Mon 3/25/2024 4:40 PM

To:Public Comment - CC <PublicComment@reno.gov>

**Contact Info:**

Name & Ward:

Judy Covert, Ward 2

Commenting on behalf of:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Address:

A new comment has been submitted for the Reno City Council Meeting held on: 2024-03-27.

**Section:**

General Opening Session Comment (unassociated to an agenda item)

**Item:**

Virginia Range Horse Fencing.

**Position:**

In Favor

**Are they speaking in person?**

No, I am submitting a written comment only.

**If no, comment:**

I am a Southeast Reno resident. Please support Naomi Duerr's tireless efforts for funding for the completion of the second phase of Virginia Range horse fencing project. The fencing is the only answer, then no horses killed or residents hurt. Thank you very much for your consideration.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:**

*By checking the "Yes" below, you agree that all the information above is true and accurate. For additional information, please refer to the agenda for today's meeting.*

Yes

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## FW: Public Comment Received - 2024-03-27 PC Meeting - public comment regarding ARPA funding

Cali Shy <ShyC@reno.gov>

Tue 3/26/2024 2:23 PM

To:Public Comment - CC <PublicComment@reno.gov>

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**From:** Carter Williams <WilliamsCa@reno.gov>

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 26, 2024 1:20 PM

**To:** Reno Planning Commission <RenoPlanningCommission@reno.gov>

**Subject:** Public Comment Received - 2024-03-27 PC Meeting - public comment regarding ARPA funding

The public comment form has a new entry from the public:

**Planning Commission Meeting Date:** 2024-03-27

**Agenda Item or Case Number:** public comment regarding ARPA funding

**Comments:**

Dear Honorable Council Members, Today i am asking for you to allocate ARPA funds to finance the completion of the planned Virginia Range fencing project that Councilwoman Duerr has worked so tirelessly to put together. This fence is a needed more than 10 year old project that is very important to the safety of not only the wild horses on the Virginia Range but more importantly protecting the lives and property of the residents who live in the neighborhoods of east and south of Reno which boarder the open range. I have lived off Geiger Grade for 23 years and have been volunteering for the Wild Horse Connection for 10 years, helping to keep the public safe by doing diversionary feeding and helping move wild horses off the busy road ways. I appreciate the work that the city has done in working with the Wild Horse group and the developers in finding ways to mitigate the issues with the

horses and the ever growing city boundary. This proposed range fence is the only way to ensure that the horses will be unable to get down into the streets and roadways which in turn will keep the public, lives and property safe . The majority of residents in Reno and the surrounding areas, including many of the new residents in the new developments along the edge of the Range, cherish and want the horses to be kept safe and to be left wild and free on the range, the wild horses are a very important part of our landscape. The city of Reno and the stakeholders who have been working for years to find this fencing Soutlion are now in the final stages of seeing it come to pass, this is the only way. it is extremely urgent that you do vote to allocate funds to this worthy project as in the next few weeks as the diversionary feeding will be stopped. At the same time the new development at Bella Vista 2 will soon begin fencing off the last remaining water source for the wild horses and indeed the traditional grazing area that is located behind veterans parkway, near the old gun club is located. Without the fencing project that Councilwoman Duerr has proposed, along with the water source that is - thankfully- being put in north of Alexander Lake Road, those two events have the potential to turn into an even larger issue as if there is no range fence to keep the horses behind the fence line and on the range, they will continue to look for water and forage where it is, in the yards, and on the roadway edges IN town, in the roads. The Range fence is a worthy and much needed project that will benefit the community fare more than the cost -- but the cost of no fence is unimaginable. please vote yea to approve the Virginia Range Fencing Project Respectfully, Kelly Hyatt, Reno Nevada 775 530 7741 [wildmustangkelly@gmail.com](mailto:wildmustangkelly@gmail.com)

**Email Address:** [wildmustangkelly@gmail.com](mailto:wildmustangkelly@gmail.com)

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**Name of Commentor:** kelly hyatt

*This comment was submitted on behalf of:* Wild Horses of the Virginia Range and Wild Horse Connection 501c3 (*self if blank*)

*Submitted:* 3/26/2024 8:20:03 PM

**Fw: PLEASE ADOPT THESE AGENDA ITEMS**

Barbara Aufiero <AufieroB@reno.gov>

Tue 3/26/2024 2:17 PM

To: Public Comment - CC <PublicComment@reno.gov>

Cc: City Clerk <CityClerk@reno.gov>; Reno Direct <RenoDirect@reno.gov>

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**From:** Vincenzo Pellegrino <cenzipellegrino@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 26, 2024 2:11 PM

**To:** City Clerk <CityClerk@reno.gov>; Reno Direct <RenoDirect@reno.gov>

**Subject:** PLEASE ADOPT THESE AGENDA ITEMS

To whom it may concern,

Hello. I am writing today with an urgent message for the city council to adopt two important items in the upcoming agenda; things that myself and an overwhelming majority of the community would like to see!

1) We would like to see some action done about a warming center for the struggling homeless population of Reno. I have seen no meaningful movement from the city council to address this issue, as homeless people freeze to death on the streets. A well-funded warming center would only affect the community positively, maybe even help curb the influx of homeless deaths.

2) A stand against the genocide in Palestine! This has been long overdue, and much to the dismay of millions of people around the world begging their governments to do their civic duties and represent and serve their communities, it seems hugely unimportant to all of you. The funding and investing into companies with direct ties to the Israeli occupation with our tax money is willfully ignorant of all of you, especially due to the unpopularity of this "war" in the first place. We, and I say we because I speak for everyone in my community, would rather see that money invested back into the community, which ties up these two agenda items together. Affordable housing, healthcare, education, and homeless support services and programs are just a few examples of what you should be investing that towards. This will only make a huge difference in seeing our Reno community grow and flourish as more and more hardships in this world rear into view.

I thank you for your time reading this, and I thank you for your efforts into representing what the Reno community actually wants.

Vincenzo Pellegrino  
local musician and teacher


*Vpellegrino*

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Mon 3/25/2024 11:36 AM

To:Public Comment - CC &lt;PublicComment@reno.gov&gt;

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From: 917144015182

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**Hi, my name is Andrea Phillips and I'm a broken in climan quest Road my horse undressed arrange and now I'm in South Reno. I live on South Meadows and I've been involved with the Wildhorse connection and I wasn't aware of the problem. And so I've gone out on calls where there's you know, 8 horse is going both ways on toll road or Geiger. And you know, you're trying to hurt these Pookie horses around people that are popping their horns, and I'm just surprised it's nobody's acted on it. You know, you are driving late at night on one of these roads and you have a dark horse run of you. Horse is going to die. The people will be severely injured if not dead and perhaps it's a family. I mean, I would think that would be enough in Eules according to all the we've already had a car versus Force do to get this thing up make it safer for all of us to live here and loved Wild Horses. There are precious precious part of our community and we need to protect them because all the developments at 5 certainly seeing here in the last 50 years. So I really appreciate you taking this into consideration of all of it safe and I've been a trauma nurse and I Car accident you so you would avoid those at all cost. Alright. Thank you very much. Goodbye.**

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From: 915305599069

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**Hi, my name is Aubrey Adams and I live in Sparks Nevada. I've been calling about a warming Center along with many many many others for many years since I moved here for sure and 2020 is when I started calling you guys and I haven't seen anything change whatsoever. It's actually just gotten worse, but I'm just heard of more people every year who died in the cold sinus eat. So just make up a new ways to count people instead of actually fixing any problems and we can see that and it's really obvious and it's really disgusting. So we are urging you to open a warming Center which is been asked for many many many times with no meaningful movement. It's necessary. It's I know Winter's almost over guess what which is going to come again. Also, it's still really cold outside. Also, we also need shelters for people who are then going to start overheating and the summer so, you know what we need. I don't need to go on the second part of my messages that I am demanding city council passed a resolution to NCC Palestine and do your civic duty to serve the community who actually has been protesting and a lot of people have been engaging and very Public Works to show that Reno does not support continued. Side and Paula fine and it is your Duty 2. Do anything you can to promote an immediate and permanent C Spire? Please show your support. Good evening. Thank you.**  
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