

10-9-2024 - Reno City Council Meeting - Item # A.3 Public Comment									
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10/9 City Council Meeting Public Comment

From Aanakin Tuncer <aanakin@icloud.com>

Date Fri 10/4/2024 5:56 PM

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

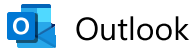
To Whom It May Concern;

My name is Aanakin and I am a student at the University of Nevada, Reno. I am studying Environmental Science am originally from Las Vegas. Being in Reno has allowed me to explore new beautiful landscapes and weather. Reno is becoming one of the fastest warming cities in the nation and climate change is affecting our area. I am writing a public comment regarding to the City of Reno Sustainability and Climate Action Plan (SCAP). It's important to keep making substantial progress on reducing climate pollution. In 2025, we need to build a strong foundation established by the current plan. We have to strengthen the goals in the next 5-year plan because climate pollution is heating the planet rapidly. We may have already passed the 1.5 degree threshold established by the Paris Agreement. Equity must be central to the plan. Low-income neighborhoods get hit harder by the impact of climate pollution even though they tend to polluted less. They are disproportionately impacted by air pollutants and have a lower tree equity score. Please consider these points when planning for the 2025 SCAP.

Best,

Aanakin Tuncer

aanakin@icloud.com



climate change

From Allan Ferrenberg <allanferrenberg@gmail.com>

Date Sun 9/29/2024 1:29 PM

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

Reno needs an urban forest. Please adopt a city of Reno 2025 Sustainability and Climate Action Plan that will have the most positive impact on our environment for all citizens, now and in the future.

Allan Ferrenberg
1230 Fox Glen Ct.
Reno, NV 89521

(775) 315-5196 (cell)



Formal complaint

From Notifications SN <Notifications@reno.gov>

Date Mon 9/30/2024 10:13 AM

To pets@washoeconomy.us <pets@washoeconomy.us>

Cc Public Comment - CC <PublicComment@reno.gov>

Good morning!

We received the following email at Reno Direct. Can you please follow up with Daniel regarding enforcement? I don't have a phone number for him, but his email is danielkgooze1998@gmail.com.

Thank you!

On Saturday 28, September 06:12:11 PM PDT, 'Daniel Gooze <danielkgooze1998@gmail.com>' wrote:

This needs to be addressed immediately. There has been a lot of posts on next door about people leaving their dogs off leash. This needs to be enforced immediately. Funny day animals or some other things. After trying to eat my dinner I couldn't finish it. This is not right at all. This needs to be immediately addressed. This is going on all over Reno and South Reno. Please start enforcing this.

Ref:MSG0504697_MzjUclGUpRenl4V6MzQ4



City of Reno SCAP - Comment for the 10/9 Council Meeting

From Janet and Al Nelson <aljanetnelson@gmail.com>

Date Tue 10/1/2024 2:43 PM

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

To the Reno City Council:

Reno needs to prioritize reducing climate pollution by strengthening the current plan. Reno is the fastest warming city in the United States, with recording breaking temperatures in June and July this year.

We need to create an urban forest by planting more trees that will increase both crucial shade and air quality. Lower income neighborhoods generally have fewer trees and are more impacted by the heat and pollution.

Please adopt Reno's 2025 SCAP that will have the most positive impact on our environment for all citizens, now and in the future.

Thank you,

Janet Nelson
338 River Front Dr.
Reno, NV 89523



Outlook

Vintage At The Crossings

From Larry Ayne <larryayne@gmail.com>

Date Mon 10/7/2024 2:48 PM

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

I am grateful for the affordable 55+ housing option available at Vintage At The Crossings. There may have been some issues but the current management is making good strides. Their progress should not be upended.

Larry Aynesmith



Stop Street Vibrations

From Notifications SN <Notifications@reno.gov>

Date Mon 9/30/2024 10:08 AM

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

Good morning,

We received this email at Reno Direct, which appears best suited for public comment. Please see below.

Thank you!

On Sunday 29, September 09:20:03 AM PDT, 'Loren Zaleschuk <lorenzaleschuk1@yahoo.com>' wrote:

This had to be the worst year ever..

I mean the WORST WORST year with the motorcycles..

I own a Hotel on South Virginia St, and the stuff these bikers were doing was OUT OF CONTROL..

Absolutely No regards for anyone else..

On the meridian in mid town spinning there tires so much smoke was pouring off there tire and cars were going back on each side of them.. they went flying off it into traffic making everyone else swerve out of the way...

Spinning around in circles in cross walks and intersections with there music up so loud they couldn't hear people honking there horn at them..

(Let me know and you can come here and I'll show you all the marks)

Look at all the trouble this street festival has caused in the past..

They don't respect our City or the locals that live here..

It's time the City of Reno to puts there foot down and yell them to go somewhere else before something really bad happens..

Please..

Please..

Cancel this festival..

Loren Zaleschuk

775-233-6293

Sent via the Samsung Galaxy S22 Ultra 5G, an AT&T 5G smartphone

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City Council Comment received from Nevaeh Brady

From Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Date Fri 9/27/2024 12:12 PM

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

Contact Info:

Name:

Nevaeh Brady

Commenting on behalf of:

Ward #:

Ward 5

Email Address:

nevaehbrady@live.com

Phone Number:

7759718413

Address:

1415 N Virginia St

A new comment has been submitted for the Reno City Council Meeting held on: 2024-10-02.

Section:

C Items - Public Hearing Items

Item:

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Position:

No position stated - Concerned or Neutral

Are they speaking in person?

No, I am submitting a written comment only.

If no, enter comments below:

I live in an apartment on N Virginia St directly across from the UNR campus in Zone 1. Zone 1 and the surrounding neighborhoods have restricted parking to prevent UNR students from parking in residential zones. The City of Reno Parking services do not regularly patrol or ticket vehicles in Zone 1, so all of Zone 1 is filled with unpermitted cars, so I cannot park my car in Zone 1. To park my car, I have to find a neighborhood that does not have parking restrictions because I do not want to get a parking ticket. The closest one is about a 1/2 mile from my apartment, so I have to walk a mile every time I drive and come home and this is frequently in the dark. As a young woman, I do not feel safe walking alone at night. I have called parking services many times and have left many messages about

this and they tell me "they will send someone out", but no one comes, and the parking situation continues to get worse as the semester goes on. On my block alone I can count 15 unpermitted cars filling up spots on a daily basis, and I can assure you this is not an exaggeration. Please implement a permanent route through neighborhoods surrounding UNR so that residents can park safely in front of their homes.

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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Yes

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Yes



RE: Homeless

From Notifications SN <Notifications@reno.gov>

Date Wed 10/2/2024 11:11 AM

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

Cc Kaytlin Canner <CannerK@reno.gov>

Good morning!

We received this email from Councilmember Brekhus. We did submit this request to the Clean and Safe team but a lot of the content seemed appropriate for public comment as well. Please see below.

Thank you!

" **Site Visitor Name:** Nicholas Rhea

Site Visitor Email: nicprhea@gmail.com

Hello,

I am writing to raise the issue of people without housing residing in my neighborhood. I live on Dickerson Ave and there are constantly people camping by the river and living in their vehicles up and down the street. I report it to Reno Direct and they work hard to clean up but then people return. There are holes in the fence along the train tracks and this increases the number of people using this area for their home. We have seen an increase in people using the area as a place to live in their cars or in tents. I have seen people pooping on the sidewalks and next to the river. They are making our neighborhood a less pleasant place to live because they are not being respectful of the community.

The City needs long term solutions to this issue. More funding is needed for housing vouchers and there need to be more options for people who are struggling with housing. At the same time the city needs to address these issues with more permanent solutions like working with Union Pacific to fix the fence, posting signage about no overnight parking, blocking access to drive up on the berm next the river.

We need to support people experiencing homelessness and keep our neighborhoods clean and safe.

Thank you for your time and service.

Best,

Nicholas Rhea"

On Wednesday 02, October 10:45:45 AM PDT, 'Jenny Brekhus <brekhusj@reno.gov>' wrote:

Hi Nicholas- Thanks for reaching out. Dickerson Rd. has been an encampment destination for many of the reasons you state: River, Tracks, and as a dead end. I'll copy Reno Direct so that they can be aware of the situation and raise the concern to the proper city division. Usually in advance of winter preparedness, public works crews go along the riverbank and storm drain inlets to make sure no one is at risk. I leave the Council next month after 12 years so will not be involved in funding discussions, but I read today that this may be a topic at the every other year legislature that convenes in February. You may want to follow the session. Most of the money we've received over the past 5 years came from federal relief from the pandemic and that is running out soon. So, state resources are really the best option as the city has no authority to generate additional revenue to address the issue.

Best,

jb

From: City of Reno <reno@enotify.visioninternet.com>

Sent: Wednesday, October 2, 2024 8:48 AM

To: Jenny Brekhus <BrekhusJ@reno.gov>

Subject: Homeless

Message submitted from the <City of Reno> website.

Site Visitor Name: Nicholas Rhea

Site Visitor Email: nicprhea@gmail.com

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Best,

Nicholas Rhea

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Public Comment

From Sohal Pammi <sohalpammi61@gmail.com>

Date Mon 10/7/2024 1:54 PM

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

I am Paramjit Kaur Sohal, have been residing at Vintage at the Crossing (Active Senior 55 and older) 11565 OLD VIRGINIA ROAD, Reno (NV) 89521 since March 2020.

It is the most affordable residence for me in the town as it is the pretty nice place with caring and helpful official staff.

The community offers activities to stay active and healthy such as fitness center and recreation rooms. It also has amenities like computer room and movie room. It has a safe and reliable way to get around for shopping and other activities.

This community has set rules such as for pets and quiet hours for the convenience of the residents.

Overall I feel happy and satisfied for my residing place !!!

Warm Regards

Paramjit Kaur Sohal

10/07/2024



Sustainability and Climate Action Plan

From rosalind.bedell@gmail.com <rosalind.bedell@gmail.com>

Date Sun 9/29/2024 4:36 PM

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

To the Reno City Council:

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Please adopt a City of Reno 2025 Sustainability and Climate Action Plan that will have the most positive impact on our environment for all citizens now, and in the future.

Only with immediate and strong action can we hope to change the course of the climate crisis and leave a better world for our children and grandchildren.

Thank you,

Rosalind Bedell

Sent from my iPhone



City Council Comment received from Suzanne Donnelly

From Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Date Thu 10/3/2024 5:52 PM

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

Contact Info:

Name:

Suzanne Donnelly

Commenting on behalf of:

Ward #:

Ward 2

Email Address:

Phone Number:

775-636-0863

Address:

10799 Stone Hollow Dr

A new comment has been submitted for the Reno City Council Meeting held on: 2024-10-09.

Section:

General Opening Session Comment (unassociated to an agenda item)

Item:

General opening session.

Position:

No position stated - Concerned or Neutral

Are they speaking in person?

No, I am submitting a written comment only.

If no, enter comments below:

With all of the money spent on the freeway on and off ramps, why is no maintenance done to rid the areas of weeds The city needs to clean up the weeds popping up throughout the towns sidewalks, streets, center dividers and the on/off ramps. It is a waste of tax payers money to do all of the work to have it all overgrown with weeds. Do better Hillary!

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No



Outlook

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From Donoma Unity <DonomaUnity@reno.gov>**Date** Mon 9/30/2024 12:12 PM**To** Public Comment - CC <PublicComment@reno.gov>

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Voice Message delivered by Donoma OneVoice

From: 914059224633

Click to Call [914059224633](tel:914059224633)

My name is Beverley hajis Hicks. I'm from Oklahoma, I traveled to Reno once a month. The airport refuses to drop me off when I'm coming home. To drop me off at the airline I have to I'm in a wheelchair and I have to go from 1 end of the building to the other. That's terrible. Terrible for the City of Reno or Who and the airport to do that. And it's totally non-compliant with Ada regulations. Please change that method.

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From Donoma Unity <DonomaUnity@reno.gov>

Date Thu 9/26/2024 3:33 PM

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

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From: 917753387486

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Hello. This is uh reporting a free between and Oddie Boulevard. It is in a horrible conditions. I just want to know if you guys can repair that all these neighbors, they have a really bad streets. but the, the 1 between we can. And Street. That's the 1 really bad. Thank you have a good day.
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