

1-17-2024 - Reno City Council Meeting - Item # A.3 Public Comment											
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Moana Springs Locker Rooms

Aleece Rose <aleecerose@gmail.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 12:01 PM

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

Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks and Recreation Director

I request that you significantly increase the floor area, lockers, and bench seating space in the private changing area of the Moana Springs pool. Based on expected usage the area dedicated to these uses in the current plans is severely lacking.

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Kind Regards,

Aleece Rose

PH:775-379-1507

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August Brautigam <august.brautigam@gmail.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 12:11 PM

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I can't wait to swim in this pool. Thanks for all the hard work.

Best Regards,

August Brautigam

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Cassandra Grieve <casscann465@gmail.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 12:09 PM

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

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Cassandra Grieve

Parent of Competitive and High School Swimmer

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Erica Baker <basqueo221@yahoo.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 12:57 PM

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Thank you,
Erica Baker

Sent from my iPhone

Fw: Locker Room Design Flaw at new Moana Springs Pool

Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Tue 1/16/2024 4:26 PM

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

Cc: City Clerk <CityClerk@reno.gov>

Forwarding for PC

Take care,



Mikki Huntsman

([She/Her/Hers](#))

City Clerk

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From: Doug Thornley <ThornleyD@reno.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2024 4:07 PM

To: City Clerk <CityClerk@reno.gov>

Subject: Fwd: Locker Room Design Flaw at new Moana Springs Pool

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From: ERIKA MCLEAN <emclean77@yahoo.com>

Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2024 12:27:54 PM

To: Mayor <Mayor@reno.gov>; Devon Reese <reeseD@reno.gov>; Jenny Brekhus <BrekhusJ@reno.gov>; Naomi Duerr <DuerrN@reno.gov>; Miguel Martinez <MartinezMi@reno.gov>; Meghan Ebert <EbertM@reno.gov>; Kathleen Taylor <TaylorK@reno.gov>; Doug Thornley <ThornleyD@reno.gov>; Nathan Ulliot <UlliotN@reno.gov>

Subject: Locker Room Design Flaw at new Moana Springs Pool

Dear Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks and Recreation Director

I &/or my family are members of a local swimming user group who expect to use the new Moana pool.

I am aware of the current design of the locker rooms at the new Moana pool, and I request that you significantly increase the floor area, lockers, and bench seating space in the private changing area of this facility. This could be done by installing a wall to make the current design of an open public viewable locker area part of the private locker room area.

I understand Sierra Nevada Community Aquatics has attempted to initiate such an improvement with City personnel by voicing user groups' concerns regarding the insufficient private changing areas of both locker rooms. Based on expected usage, these features at Moana are much worse than any other aquatic facility in the region, especially when compared to Carson Aquatic Facility (which is more than five times better than Moana in this regard).

I request that you authorize significant improvements to these locker rooms now, before the project is completed. I/we understand this may delay completion of the facility and come at a higher cost. The future legacy of this facility is more important to us, as it should be to you, than a quick and flawed finish (in swimming terms that would be a DQ). **Make Moana Better!**

Thank you for your attention to this important community matter.

Respectfully,

Erika McLean

New form response notification

Reno City Council Online Public Comment Received <cityclerk@reno.gov>

Fri 1/12/2024 6:09 PM

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

Your form has a new entry. Here are all the answers.

Your Name (First and Last)	Frank Nelson
Council Meeting Date	Jan 17, 2024
Agenda Item	A.3.
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No, written comment only (please submit your comments in the field below)
Your Comment (if you are speaking, it is not necessary to complete this field)	<p>On Friday January 10th, after the snow thawed, our trash system failed. Waste Management had approximately 15 drivers call out sick, and failed to meet the obligations of their franchise agreement. I urge the council to execute Liquidated Damages clause in the franchise agreement. Their profiteering on our community has led to the failure of our trash system via their inability to manage their workforce appropriately.</p>
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 3
Please state if you are in favor or in opposition of the agenda item in which you are commenting:	No position stated - Concerned or Neutral
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By checking the "Yes" below, you understand, acknowledge, and expressly agree that: (1) all information submitted by you will be	Yes

entered into the public record, made available for public inspection, and freely disseminated without restriction; and, (2) any contact, personal, financial, or medical information intentionally or inadvertently submitted by you will not be maintained in a confidential manner, or subsequently exempted from public inspection.

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

Do you wish to sign-up for Reno Connect e-newsletters?

No

Locker Room Design Flaw at New Moana Springs Pool

Gwen Shonkwiler <gwen.shonkwiler@gmail.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 8:38 AM

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

Dear Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks and Recreation Director,

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Gwen Shonkwiler

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JD McCrillis <JDM@greatcabinets.com>

Mon 1/15/2024 4:39 PM

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

Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks and Recreation Director

I am emailing to request that you significantly increase the floor area, lockers, and bench seating space in the private changing area of the Moana Springs pool. Based on expected usage the area dedicated to these uses in the current plans is severely lacking.

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J. D. McCrillis

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Moana Springs Locker Rooms

Jo Porter <joporter@charter.net>

Tue 1/16/2024 1:50 PM

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

Good afternoon Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks and Recreation Director,

First and foremost, I am ecstatic to be writing this letter regarding the future Moana Pool! I believe we are fortunate to have a Reno City Council that so passionately believes in providing varied activities for our youth and community members to make this Aquatics facility a reality.

That said, let's do it right the first time. After learning about potential locker room capacity issues, I studied the Moana plans and then researched the basis of the design. Unfortunately, it appears as though the justification is not on a busy aquatics center but on multi use facilities, health clubs and gyms. Those patrons are not the primary demographic using this facility.

This facility will host multiple events of 300-700 athletes and spectators throughout the year. These include NIAA High School Regionals, Aqua 5 and State Championships, Nevada Club State Championships, the Silver State Championships, RENO King of the Hill and RENO GAMBLE. These events require athletes to shower, access toilets and change suits in addition to the needs of spectators who will also be accessing the toilet facilities AT THE SAME TIME.

The events mentioned above necessitate the use of Technical Racing Suits. For girls and women, these suits require 15-30 minutes to put on. They are tight, they are delicate and the athletes are naked while getting into them. As you can imagine, 150 women attempting to get into these suits immediately after warm ups have concluded and just prior to the start of the meet is unfeasible without adequate space and 4 walls around the locker room. And yet, this is what the Moana Pool locker room design will cause. These athletes are not asking for individual private booths. They just need more space, benches and 4 walls to the locker room.

Again, thank you so much for your vision and support of this facility. Now, let's do it once and do it right.

Sincerely,

Jo Ann Porter

Swimmer, Parent, USA Swimming & NIAA Swimming Official and former USA-S Coach

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Moana Springs Locker Rooms

J Heller <heller.joshua.rc@gmail.com>

Sun 1/14/2024 5:12 PM

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

Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks and Recreation Director,

I am a USA swimming Meet Director for Reno Aquatic Club. I would like to ask the city to increase locker floor area, bench seating in the private changing area of the Moana Springs Pool. Also adding urinals to the men's room is super important for handling big swim meets.

This last year at our October 2023 King of the Hill swim meet, we had 552 registered athletes ages 5 to 18, and this meet draws teams as far away as Elko, Winnemucca, and Eugene Oregon and all over the Bay Area and south further into San Jose.

552 swimmers means we have about 2000 people over a weekend, that includes family members, coaches, etc. About 3/3 of athletes and families are from out of town, which means hotel rooms, restaurant meals, shopping and other services will benefit. Currently this meet is a big economic deal for...Carson City. While we love Carson City, their pool is not available during October 2024 due to early voting at the Community Center adjacent to Mills Park.

We want to have our meets in Moana Springs because we want to welcome these far and away teams to our home community and show them a good time. Nobody is going to have a good time with cramped locker rooms with limited space and no urinals in the men's room. It just doesn't process people fast enough during a meet.

For example, many athletes swim in events with a 5-10 minute gap between events as they will do variations of all four strokes in different competition lengths. A bad locker room design means athletes aren't going to be able to get in and out of the bathroom quickly and onto their next event. Athletes we host are, after all children, and in my experience when athletes miss their event they are distraught, they cry, they blame themselves. It happens sometimes because events go by so quickly. It's happened to my own child with good locker setups. Now imagine compounding that problem and not being able to get athletes in and out and back to the block quickly. We can expect tears and parents demanding never ever hosting meets again at a facility that can't handle the volume of people we draw to our events.

The way the locker rooms are designed now would present challenges to hosting a big meet, so much so it could make teams and athletes feel unwelcome and negatively impact the economic benefit we bring to the City. We don't have Carson Pool as an option in October 2024 and I'm worried we're going to have to have our meets in Truckee or Minden.

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Public comment for Reno Affordable housing 1/16

Lainey Henderson <lainey.rachelhenderson@gmail.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 9:26 AM

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

Hello,

What evidence does the committee have that there is a "supply issue" with regard to housing in Reno? What research and findings have the committee discovered regarding currently available empty housing units in reno?

Development in Reno has skyrocketed in recent years- is more units really something really needs or can the committee and the city focus on offering incentives for housing that is already built?

The initiatives discussed in this meeting all focus on "low income housing" to be built-- why not focus incentives on developers that keep empty housing units because their rental prices are unaffordable?

An easier and more expedited solution to the lack of affordable housing in Reno would be rental caps and multifamily tax exemptions, as well as options for extra taxes for landlords who maintain empty housing units rather than lower the price of their rent.

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Rachel (Lainey) Henderson

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Tue 1/16/2024 2:57 PM

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Your form has a new entry. Here are all the answers.

Your Name (First and Last)	Robbin Palmer
Council Meeting Date	Jan 17, 2024
Agenda Item	A.3.
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No, written comment only (please submit your comments in the field below)
Your Comment (if you are speaking, it is not necessary to complete this field)	<p>I wholeheartedly encourage The Council to accept the grant from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Forest Service in the amount of \$500,000 for the City of Reno's Urban & Community Forestry program--Item B18 on your agenda. Thank you to Suzanne Groneman for her efforts to make the City of Reno eligible for this grant. The grant monies are to be used to plant trees along Airway Drive. Additionally, I support the choice of a location situated in a disadvantaged community with high energy burden and high urban heat index to produce and grow the trees to support the project.</p> <p>*Trees help our country to meet its emission reduction goals by pulling carbon pollution out of the air.</p> <p>*Trees are the cheapest, fastest, and most effective way to directly lower the temperature as our cities increasingly experience unprecedented and unbearable heat.</p> <p>*The cooling effect of trees saves lives. It is estimated 12,000 Americans die prematurely each year from heat-related causes. This number will only increase unless we take actions to mitigate our climate crisis.</p> <p>*Trees are aesthetically pleasing. Being around trees helps reduce stress, lowers blood pressure, and improves mood.</p> <p>*Trees are especially beneficial to individuals in low-income neighborhoods which frequently have few trees and are disadvantaged in accessing the natural cooling effect of, and health benefits, of trees.</p>
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Unincorporated Washoe County

Please state if you are in favor or in opposition of the agenda item in which you are commenting:

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Robert Burks <robburks1@yahoo.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 12:09 PM

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Fw: Urgent Request to Address Locker Room Design Flaw at New Moana Springs Pool

Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Tue 1/16/2024 4:26 PM

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Cc: City Clerk <CityClerk@reno.gov>

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Take care,



Mikki Huntsman

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From: Doug Thornley <ThornleyD@reno.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2024 4:07 PM

To: City Clerk <CityClerk@reno.gov>

Subject: Fwd: Urgent Request to Address Locker Room Design Flaw at New Moana Springs Pool

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Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2024 2:26:09 PM

To: Mayor <Mayor@reno.gov>; Devon Reese <reeseD@reno.gov>; Jenny Brekhus <BrekhusJ@reno.gov>; Naomi Duerr <DuerrN@reno.gov>; Miguel Martinez <MartinezMi@reno.gov>; Meghan Ebert <EbertM@reno.gov>; Kathleen Taylor <TaylorK@reno.gov>; Doug Thornley <ThornleyD@reno.gov>; Nathan Ulliot <UlliotN@reno.gov>

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Dear Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks & Recreation Director,

My family are members of a local swimming user group who expect to use the new Moana pool. **We are a family of five with three active children involved in competitive and recreational swim ages 14 and 12 years old. It is imperative that the new Moana Springs Pool is a safe and secure space for my family, our community, and visitors to Reno to use.**

I have become aware of the current design of the locker rooms at the new Moana pool **with an overabundance of open public viewable locker room space.** I feel there should be increased privacy in these areas to ensure all

people using these areas are able to comfortably and privately change within these spaces. **I request that you significantly increase the floor area, lockers, and bench seating space in the private changing area of this facility.** This could be done by installing a wall to make the current design of an open public viewable locker area part of the private locker room area.

It is my understanding that Sierra Nevada Community Aquatics has attempted to initiate such an improvement with City personnel by voicing user groups' concerns regarding the insufficient private changing areas of both locker rooms. Based on expected usage, these features at Moana are inadequate and worse, are even smaller than other aquatic facility in the region, especially when compared to Carson Aquatic Facility (which is much larger than what is planned for Moana Springs in this regard).

I request that you authorize significant improvements to these locker rooms immediately and before the project is completed. While it may delay completion of the facility and potentially cost more to address, in the long run, **investing in the locker room areas now makes more fiscal sense than having to retrofit and address these changes later. The functionality of the Moana Springs Pool facility is more important to us than having it open without this issue is addressed.**

Thank you for your attention to this important community matter.

Kind regards,

Robin Rabinowitz
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Reno, NV. 89509

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Sharon M. Weiss <sharonaw@sbcglobal.net>

Tue 1/16/2024 11:29 AM

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Sincerely,
Sharon Weiss

Sharon M. Weiss, PhD

Head Coach, Lakeridge Swim Team (LAKE)

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yvette@yd-law.com <yvette@yd-law.com>

Tue 1/16/2024 1:10 PM

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

Dear Reno City Council, City Manager and Parks and Recreation Director:

I am writing to express my full support of the suggested changes to improve the locker room areas at the Moana pool.

As a Reno, Nevada native who grew up swimming at the Moana pool, as well as a parent whose child now participates in club swim, I cannot tell you how excited my family and I are for the new pool. It is long overdue, and I feel the lack of a state of the art swimming pool has been an embarrassment and blight on the Reno community for far too long. The Reno community has changed in many ways over the past few decades. The increase in population has also brought an increase in tax dollars and need for services. In addition, providing the community (especially our youth) healthy ways to get out and socialize is imperative to a safe and prosperous city.

In relation to the proposed changes, I would hope everyone could agree point blank you cannot have the locker room visible from the entry when the locker room door is open. That's just basic privacy. If the locker room is not appropriately shielded from the public areas, no one will use half of the locker room that is visible, and the City of Reno could be unnecessarily increasing its liability risk. In other words, a change must be made no matter what or you have spent money on creating wasted space or space that puts the City at risk. Clearly, these results should be acceptable to you.

In addition, sufficient and safe locker room space at a pool facility is imperative to a successful facility. Everyone wants and deserves to feel respected when they are in the changing and showering areas. Again, something I think we all readily agree upon. The recommended changes help ensure this can occur.

Finally, I would put forth that a future remodel of the locker rooms at the pool would be one of the more costly changes that will undoubtedly have to be made after completion of construction. Thus, rather than find out the hard way, it makes sense to correct the design at this stage which will result in long-term savings. It is a situation where we need to look at the forest and not the trees. Locker rooms are notoriously ill conceived and lacking in space. The recently built pool in Truckee, California is a great example. Those locker rooms are consistently insufficient for the usage occurring at the pool, and such was clear the first month the pool was open. Let's have Reno do better and get it right at the outset.

It is for these reasons I adopt the recommendations for modification of the lockers rooms.

Thank you for taking the time to consider these comments. I have the utmost confidence you will do the right thing and provide Reno the pool it so richly deserves. I'm sure this is the legacy you want to be remembered for as opposed to what will be a far different legacy if the locker rooms are conceived and insufficient for the stunning new pool facility being built.

Again, thank you for your time and all the hard work you are doing to bring this project to completion.

Best regards,

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Yvette Durant Bender