

3-8-2023 - Reno City Council Meeting - Item # A.3 Public Comment

First Name	Last Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Concerned	Total PC	Address	Phone Number	Ward	Email Address	Date
Steven	Meyer	Nevada Gay Men's Chorus	1	6	5	22	P.O. Box 2752, Reno, NV	7757228686	None Provided	execdir@nevadagmc.org	Feb 13, 2023 at 9:27 AM
Melissa	Taylor	Reno Little Theater	1				147 E Pueblo St, Reno, NV	7758138900	Ward 2	melissa@renolittletheater.org	Feb 14, 2023 at 2:48 PM
Elise	Weatherly				1		6962 Opera Ct	7757704206	Other	elise.weatherly@gmail.com	Feb 27, 2023 at 6:52 AM
Elise	Weatherly				0		6962 Opera Ct	7757704206	Other	elise.weatherly@gmail.com	Feb 27, 2023 at 6:57 AM
Steve	Kraft			1				4084019849	Ward 2	skraft16@gmail.com	Feb. 25, 2023 at 7:02 PM
C.J.	Manthe			1			9807 Dyevera Ct	7752195523	Ward 2	cjmtahoe@yahoo.com	Feb 27, 2023 at 7:52 AM
John	Elswick				1				None Provided	jaelswick@hotmail.com	Mar 1, 2023 at 8:12 AM
Anne	Norton			1			1254 Creekhaven Cir, Reno	9073153985	None Provided	annenorton@me.com	Mar 2, 2023 at 7:58 AM
Amy	Johnson				1		2666 Janelle Dr Sparks, NV 89431	7752006952	Sparks	Aceljohnson17@gmail.com	Mar 3, 2023 at 9:23 AM
Shoshana	Zeldner	UNR School of Arts	1					7757843593	Ward 4	szeldner@unr.edu	Mar 3, 2023 at 11:30 AM
Jane	Brown		0				1630 Pedretti Rd, Reno, NV 89502	7758353311	None Provided	jkbassoon@msn.com	Mar 4, 2023 at 4:21 PM
Philip	Moore		1				1549 Big Valley Way, Reno, NV 89521	7752241877	Ward 2	philip_w_moore@icloud.com	Mar 5, 2023 at 6:05 AM
Jane	Brown	Northern Nevada Rural Concerts Initiative	1				1630 Pedretti Rd, Reno, NV 89502	7758353311	Ward 3	jkbassoon@msn.com	Mar 5, 2023 at 10:09 PM
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Mary	Winston		1						None Provided	energymastershome@gmail.com	Mar 6, 2023 at 2:46 PM
Charles	Wolf				1		760 Sienna Station Way	7754435470	Ward 4	z3wolf@yahoo.com	Mar 6, 2023 at 3:37 PM
Michelle	Hamilton		1						Ward 5	michelle.hamilton.us@gmail.com	Mar 7, 2023 at 8:30 AM
Brian	Thornton		1						Ward 4	brian.thornton.nv@gmail.com	Mar 7, 2023 at 9:04 AM
Stephanie	Gibson	The Lilley Museum of Art	1				1664 N Virginia St, MS, Reno, NV 89557	7757846659	Ward 5	stephaniegibson@unr.edu	Mar 7, 2023 at 9:37 AM
Nancy	Litchfield		1				9900 Wilbur May Pkwy Apt 2303		Ward 2	nancy.litchfield@gmail.com	Mar 7, 2023 at 10:03 AM
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David	Titel				0		2171 Humboldt Street, Reno, NV 89509	7752306113	Ward 2	dvdtitel@gmail.com	Mar 7, 2023 at 10:36 AM
William	Puchert	Sons & Daughters of Erin	1				2725 Everett Dr	7753780931	Ward 5	wpuchert@aol.com	Mar 7, 2023 at 1:58 PM
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Fri, Mar 3, 2023 at 9:23
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To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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Your Name (First and Last)	Amy johnson
If you are representing someone other than yourself, please indicate who you are representing.	Self
Email Address	Aceljohnson17@gmail.com
Address	2666 Janelle dr sparks nv89431

Phone Number 7752006952

Which City of Reno Ward do you reside? Unsure/Other

Council Meeting Date Mar 02, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting? No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item General public comment

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

Your Comment Stead Blvd and N. Virginia st intersection. Would it be possible to get more street lights installed here? Maybe complete the sidewalk? Or maybe even ask RTC to start a route that runs from stead Blvd down N. Virginia st to Lemmon Dr? With the building of a dozen warehouses out here, pedestrians are now walking in the dark on the road to get to work.(It is so dark in the early am). It's simply scary and dangerous.

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Thu, Mar 2, 2023 at 7:58
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Your Name (First and Last)	anne norton
Email Address	annenorton@me.com
Address	1254 creekhaven circle reno
Phone Number	9073153985
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Unsure/Other

Council Meeting Date

Mar 21, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?

No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item

Rancherra permit to destroy Arena

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

In opposition

Your Comment

The Homes sold at Rancherra were sold to owners with the understanding they would have the arena, pastures, mansion etc as 'amenities' and already many pastures have turned into condos, blocking views, etc. So many huge old trees were destroyed. The developers have not been honest or forthright with anyone. I personally board my sweet old horse who has only one eye and has a cataract in the remaining eye at Rancherra. The community of horse folks has helped me through this journey and we all cannot imagine not having the arena at Rancherra.. people can ride out to Bartley ranch, and the owners can walk into the arena. Boarders will need to drive to Washoe or Carson city or Lemon valley to board their horses. I personally visit my horse daily, if not twice a day, and I wouldn't be able to do that if he was a great distance away. I would have to put him down. I hope hope you can hear the message that owners

were sold a home, and a lifestyle that included our arena.
Please deny the developer the request to demolish the
arena- the largest boarding arena in the state I would guess!
Thank you!

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

Your Name (First and Last)	Brian Thornton
Email Address	brian.thornton.nv@gmail.com
Address	Reno
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 4
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	Yes (Check-in with the City Clerk upon arrival)
Agenda Item	General Public Comment
Please state if you are in favor or in opposition of the	In favor

**agenda item in which you
are commenting:**

Your Comment

I'm Brian Thornton, a Reno resident and retired mechanical engineer who worked mostly on building energy usage. Good morning, Mayor and Council. Thank you for the opportunity to speak today.

I'm concerned about air pollution from buildings. Methane, also known as natural gas, is burned to heat buildings and create hot water. This pollution is a significant contributor to two major problems, climate disruption and smog and can be reduced through building electrification and energy efficiency.

Reno has identified that 66 percent of climate disruption causing greenhouse gas pollution in the city comes from residential and commercial buildings. Based on global averages, about a third of that comes from burning mostly methane for space heating and water heating.(1)

Smog is a significant health threat. Burning methane helps create ground level ozone, one of the most harmful parts of smog.

(2) Reno has a major problem with ground level ozone and is graded an "F" for this problem which seems to be getting worse.

(3)

Fortunately, the problem of

greenhouse gas and smog pollution from buildings can be reduced with building electrification and energy efficiency. Electric heat pumps and hybrid heat pump water heaters can be used for space heating and water heating instead of burning methane. Cold climate heat pumps work in our cooler winters and are being used in much colder climates such as Minnesota and Maine.(4) Building electrification can reduce greenhouse gas pollution by 50% or more.(5) Ozone causing pollution will also be reduced. Energy efficiency improvements can help. These steps can also reduce utility bills.

All electric buildings that eliminate methane infrastructure are often cheaper to build which will make the transition easier for the development and building construction industries.(6) The massive incentives for building electrification and energy efficiency from the federal government's Inflation Reduction Act will further reduce costs.

Reno can make a big difference in reducing pollution from methane burning in buildings.

Reno can commit the city to moving towards electrification of buildings through the local government pledge from Rewiring America.(7) Working with business and community

partners, the city should create a plan such as starting with incentives in zoning rules, moving to penalties, and eventually requiring building electrification and more energy efficiency. The Building Electrification guide with 12 case studies and adoptable code language is a good resource for this effort.(8)

I've included references in my written comments. Thank you for your consideration as you work to reduce climate disruption and smog in our city.

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2) Carpenter S. (2022). "Gas appliances cause more smog than cars in some California cities, report says." Spectrum News 1 (online), September 21, 2022.

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3) American Lung Association. (2022). "New Report: Reno's Air Quality Gets Worse, Residents Exposed to More Unhealthy Air Pollution." American Lung Association press release, April 21, 2022.

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[releases/nv-reno-sota-22](#)

4) McCabe L. (2022). “Can Heat Pumps Actually Work in Cold Climate? Consumer Reports (online), August 2, 2022.

<https://www.consumerreports.org/heat-pumps/can-heat-pumps-actually-work-in-cold-climates-a4929629430/>

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<https://www.edison.com/innovation/building-electrification>

6) Tan L., Fathollahzadeh M. and Taylor E. (2022). “The Economics of Electrifying Buildings: Residential New Construction.” RMI Report.

<https://rmi.org/insight/the-economics-of-electrifying-buildings-residential-new-construction/>;

Stagg E. (2022). “If its cheaper to electrify buildings, why isn’t it happening more broadly.”

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<https://www.greenbiz.com/article/if-its-cheaper-electrify-buildings-why-isnt-it-happening-more-broadly>;

Polikalas T. (2021). “Developer of Reno apartment complex reduces pollution by choosing heat pumps over gas.” Southwest Energy Efficiency Project (SWEET), March 25, 2021.

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“Local Government Leaders for Electrification.”

<https://www.rewiringamerica.org/policy/local-gov-leaders-for-electrification>

8) Meyers J. (2020). Building Electrification: How Cities and Counties Are Implementing Electrification Policies. Southwest Energy Efficiency Project.

https://swenergy.org/Data/Sites/1/media/aaa-documents-2020/electrification-code-report_2020_fin.pdf

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Mon, Feb 27, 2023 at 7:52
AM

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

Your Name (First and Last)	C. J. Manthe
Email Address	cjmtahoe@yahoo.com
Address	9807 Dyevera Lane
Phone Number	7752195523
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 2

Council Meeting Date

Mar 08, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?

No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item

Stormwater Utility Ordinance - Exempt Damonte Ranch

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

In opposition

Your Comment

I believe it would be fair to exempt the homeowners located in Damonte Ranch from the proposed stormwater fee. Unlike anywhere else in the City, Damonte Ranch already mitigated stormwater flows through construction of regional facilities which Damonte Ranch homeowners pay to operate and maintain. There has already been documentation submitted which provides the extensive history of the facilities/infrastructure constructed and the requirement of Damonte Ranch homeowners to pay Damonte Ranch Drainage District Assessments. I respectfully request the city council to carefully consider the impact to homeowners in our area and make modifications to the ordinance to avoid requiring Damonte Ranch owners to pay double for stormwater services. Thank you very much.

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

Your Name (First and Last)	Charles Wolf
Email Address	z3wolf@yahoo.com
Address	760 Sienna Station Way
Phone Number	7754435470
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 4
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
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Agenda Item	General Public Comment

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In opposition

Your Comment

The signal at North Virginia Street and Comstock Drive has recently been re-timed. Previously, I would only wait at that signal heading west on Comstock Drive toward Sierra Street for a few seconds in the morning. Now, however, I am there for multiple minutes regardless of the presence of traffic on North Virginia Street. This re-timing seems unnecessary as there did not appear to be an issue with traffic backing up on North Virginia Street at this location, and I now wait at this light for minutes with the absence of traffic. Please revisit this timing and re-evaluate, as it does not appear the change has improved traffic flow.

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External - Public comment for Reno City Council Meeting 3/8/23

1 message

Dave <dvditz@gmail.com>

Tue, Mar 7, 2023 at 10:36 AM

To: "Publiccomment@reno.gov" <Publiccomment@reno.gov>

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- Overall reductions in community-wide emissions.
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- The community solar project at the lot behind station 3.
- The One Water Nevada water purification project.
- And, the grant with Rebuilding Together Northern Nevada for heat pumps, just to name a few.

While I appreciate the efforts taken so far, there is much more to do if we are to mitigate the devastating impacts of climate change. I encourage the City to take additional steps to address climate changes.

I encourage the Mayor and City Council to work to build support for policies to help our homeowners and renters at every income-level and businesses of all sizes electrify their homes and buildings and charge their EVs, work to replace fossil-fueled machines in municipal-owned buildings and fleets with clean electric appliances and vehicles,

reach out to businesses and support the creation of good quality jobs, equitably transitioning from fossil fuels through electrification.

I encourage the City Council to continue to use your voice in Washington, Nevada, around our community, and with the news media to support and educate others about electrification as the means to realize a fossil fuel-free future .

We have the technology to save the planet and improve our lives - we just need to lead the way. Please sign the pledge at MayorsForElectrification.org!

David Titzel

[2170 Humboldt Street, Reno, NV 89509](#)

775-230-6113

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows



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Your Name (First and Last)	David Titzel
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Address	2170 Humboldt St
Phone Number	775230611
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Your Name (First and Last)	Elise Weatherly
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Address	6962 Opera Ct.
Phone Number	7757704206
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Unincorporated Washoe County

Council Meeting Date

Feb 27, 2023

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No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item

General Public Comment

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No position stated - Concerned or Neutral

Your Comment

I am re-sending what I sent earlier. There were some spelling and grammar errors in the first one:
I am currently a resident of Sun Valley, but I came from Reno and I intend to go back to Reno. I moved to Sun Valley because when living in a mobile home I had purchased in Reno Cascade Mobile Home Park as the condo I was renting was too noisy I needed to leave. At RCMHP the place next to me became too noisy. It turns out it was owned by the Manager and although he DIDN'T want to be noisy he was. I had actually purchased the place through a realtor although it was owned by Odette. Remember Odette's? I later ran into her while waiting for an appointment somewhere and do you know what she did? She apologized to me! She KNEW the realtor had overpriced it and she was sorry. She never took a step to reimburse me, and I never pressed her to do so, but it made

me understand that's a difference between worldly and Godly sorrow. Worldly sorrow just says "Sorry!" but no action is taken. Godly sorrow involves repentance. Why am I planning on moving back to Reno? It's because having to drive through Sun Valley on Sun Valley Blvd to get the student to UNR is unpleasant. The school and traffic lights that Washoe County employee Pete Etchart put into place at HRHOA without consulting an actual student made things unpleasant. It's time for a change. By the way, the realtor that did what he did to me made me understand that not all people are like me. I don't lie, cheat, steal, or twist the truth. I have a history of that and it sill applies.

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Your 'Other' box makes no sense to me.



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Your Name (First and Last)	Elise Weatherly
Email Address	elise.weatherly@gmail.com
Address	6962 Opera Ct.
Phone Number	7757704206
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Your Comment

I am currently a resident of Sun Valley, but I came from Reno and I intend to go back to Reno. I moved to Sun Valley because when living in a mobile home I had purchased in Reno Cascade Mobile Home Park as the condo I was renting was too noisy. At RCMHP the place next to me became too noisy. It turns out it was owned by the Manager and although he DIDN'T want to be noisy he was. I had actually purchased the place through a realtor although it was owned by Odette. Remember Odette's? I later ran into her while waiting for an appointment somewhere and do you know what she did? She apologized to me! She KNEW the realtor had overpriced it and she was sorry. She never took a step to reimburse me, and I never pressed her to do so, but it made me understand that's a difference between worldly and Godly sorrow. Wordily sorrow just says "Sorry!" but no action is taken. Godly

sorrow involved repentance. Why am I planning on moving back to Reno? It's because having to drive through Sun Valley on Sun Valley Blvd to get the student to UNR is unpleasant. The school and traffic lights that Washoe County employee Pete Etchart put into place at HRHOA without consulting an actual student made things unpleasant. It's time for a change. By the way, the realtor that did what he did to me made me understand that not all people are like me. I don't lie, cheat, steal, or twist the truth. I have a history of that and it still applies.

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Sun, Mar 5, 2023 at 10:09
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Your Name (First and Last)

Jane Brown

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Northern Nevada Rural Concerts Initiative

Email Address

jkbassoon@msn.com

Address

[1630 Pedretti Rd.](#)

Phone Number	7758353311
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 3
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No (Digital comment only)
Agenda Item	A.3 General Public Comment
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
Your Comment	<p>As Artistic Director of the Northern Nevada Rural Concert Initiative and Conductor of the Northern Nevada String Serenade, its flagship orchestra, I would like to thank the City of Reno and the members of the Reno City Council for their ongoing support of the arts in our community!</p> <p>Speaking for our board of directors, musicians, and audience members, I would like to especially express our gratitude for the City of Reno - Reno Arts & Culture Commission Arts & Culture Project Grant given to our organization in 2022, which helped us fund two wonderful,</p>

free concerts for seniors, low-income families, differently-abled, and other members of our community who have limited access to inspirational professional orchestra performances.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Jane K. Brown

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Your Name (First and Last)	Jane Brown
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Address	1630 Pedretti Rd. Reno, NV 89502
Phone Number	7758353311
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Unsure/Other

Council Meeting Date

Mar 08, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?

No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item

Thank you for our City of Reno Project Grant

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

In favor

Your Comment

The members and Board of Directors of the Northern Nevada Rural Concert Initiative would like to offer our heartfelt thanks for the gracious award of our Arts and Culture 2022 Project Grant. You have helped us achieve our goal of bringing the highest quality live orchestral music to people of low income, seniors and their caregivers and other underserved populations at no cost. We could not do this without the generosity of the City of Reno Arts and Culture Commission.

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Rancharrah Comment

2 messages

Naomi Duerr <duerrn@reno.gov>

Wed, Mar 1, 2023 at 8:12 AM

To: Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

Naomi Duerr

Reno City Councilmember - Ward 2

775-334-2017

duerrn@reno.gov

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **John Elswick** <jaelswick@hotmail.com>

Date: Wed, Mar 1, 2023, 6:39 AM

Subject: External - Rancharrah

To: duerrn@reno.gov <duerrn@reno.gov>

Dear Ms. Duerr.

I am not one to stop all development, cities do need to grow.

That said, I do have an issue when developers take advantage of their powerful position to the disadvantage of the community. There are many developments in Reno right now that are good examples.

If as has been stated that the original development of Rancharrah promised that those who purchased property on their development would enjoy green spaces, equestrian centers...etc., then it's incumbent on the developers to seek the permission from those who bought the property for further development before coming to the city for permits. To do otherwise may not be illegal, but certainly immoral and dishonest.

I also do not believe that the developer position that adding \$1.5 million dollar homes on the property is going to aid in resolving the housing shortage in Reno.

Best regards

John Elswick

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows

Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

Wed, Mar 1, 2023 at 11:17 AM

To: jaelswick@hotmail.com, Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

Bcc: Naomi Duerr <duerrn@reno.gov>

Hello John,

Thank you for your comments. They will be sent to the Reno City Council for review and will be part of the official record.

Best,

City Clerk's Office

City Clerk (775) 334-2030

1 East First Street, 2nd Floor Reno, NV 89501

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cityclerk@reno.gov

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Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

External - Public Comment Re: Electrification

1 message

Mary Winston

Mon, Mar 6, 2023 at 2:45

<energymastershome@gmail.com>

PM

To: Publiccomment@reno.gov

Please find attached public comments regarding Electrification.

Thanks.

Mary Winston



City of Reno Letter CCL.pdf

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Dear Mayor Schieve and Council Members,

My name is Mary Winston and I have been a resident of the City of Reno since 1976. Before my retirement last year, I owned Reno's only Home Performance Business, providing energy assessments as a Nevada State licensed home energy auditor and contractor providing energy upgrades for existing homes. I am also a volunteer with the Citizens' Climate Lobby.

In the past, the City has demonstrated its support for energy efficiency by providing energy improvements to City buildings and facilities. I am urging you to expand on that support by joining [MayorsForElectrification.org](https://www.mayorsforelectrification.org), a non-profit promoting the electrification of our buildings as one of the quickest ways to wean ourselves from fossil fuels and create a more healthful environment.

I also encourage you to use City social media and other resources to share with City residents information about consumer incentives and tax credits offered by the federal government for energy saving improvements. Such incentives are found on [Go Electric Guide](#) and [IRA Savings Calculator](#). Tag Rewiring America (@rewiringamerica) on social media so they can respond to questions and provide additional information.

By joining the more than a hundred US mayors and other government officials participating in [MayorsforElectrification.org](https://www.mayorsforelectrification.org), our City will take a meaningful step toward a clean energy economy.

Thanks you.

Mary Winston



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

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

Tue, Feb 14, 2023 at 2:48 PM

Reply-To: cityclerk@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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Your Name (First and Last)	Melissa Taylor
If you are representing someone other than yourself, please indicate who you are representing.	Reno Little Theater
Email Address	melissa@renolittletheater.org
Address	147 E Pueblo St
Phone Number	7758138900
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 2
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No (Digital comment only)
Agenda Item	General Public Comment
Please state if you are in favor or in opposition of the agenda item in which you are commenting:	In favor
Your Comment	<p>To Reno City Council,</p> <p>My name is Melissa Taylor and I am the Executive Director of Reno Little Theater. Now in our 88th consecutive season, we are Nevada's longest-running community theater. This is thanks, in large part, to the generous support for the Reno Arts & Culture Commission through their Project Grants.</p> <p>Thanks to a \$4939 grant in support of our Education Program, RLT was able to serve nearly 2000 students and community members through its camps, classes, workshops and productions. As I wrap up the grant, it is so important to me to make sure you know of the impact of funds like this. Council members, this funding was and IS vital to our success and to our community - emotionally, socially, and economically. So, we thank you!</p> <p>With continued support from our city council and the Reno Arts and Culture Commission, Reno Little Theater will be able to maintain the task of meeting its mission to produce high-quality theatrical experiences that inspire, entertain, and strengthen our community through artistic engagement and collaboration. Future</p>

RACC funding will not only protect the legacy of this important local institution, but will also directly pay professional arts administrators, marketers, designers, writers, local artists, technicians, and more, resulting in the creation of many more innovative arts and culture events for our city and its children in 2023 and beyond. And as we know, a vibrant arts and culture community is not only vital to the health and well-being of the community- but will be a keystone in our community's economic recovery.

Again, I want to thank the Reno City Council for its commitment to this city and its people. And as someone whose family lives, works, and plays here, I would like to thank the Reno Arts & Culture Commission for the incredible work they do to highlight the ways in which the arts and culture sector make Reno an incredible place to do all three.

Sincerely,
Melissa Taylor
Executive Director
Reno Little Theater

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Reno City Council Online Public Comment Received Tue, Mar 7, 2023 at 8:30 AM
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To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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Your Name (First and Last)	Michelle Hamilton
Email Address	michelle.hamilton.us@gmail.com
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 5
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No (Digital comment only)
Agenda Item	"General Public Comment"
Please state if you are in favor or in opposition of the agenda item in which you are commenting:	In favor

Your Comment

I am a local resident who is very concerned about climate change. Cities are at the forefront of climate action. The City of Reno recently published a status report showing that we'll fall short of the 2025 greenhouse gas reduction goal. Concrete steps must be taken as soon as possible to get us back on track.

According to the city's most recent greenhouse gas emissions report, the building sector generates 66% of total climate pollution. This is why I applaud the city's commitment to "Green Building as Standard Practice". However we must accelerate implementation of green building practices, including energy efficiency and electrification, in municipal buildings.

I would also like to see the city do more to support building energy efficiency and electrification in the private sector. This is a good time to do that because the recently enacted Inflation Reduction Act includes a lot of funding for building electrification. I would like to see the Reno City Council help homeowners and renters at every income-level and business size to electrify their homes and buildings and charge their EVs.

I am also urging you to extend your commitment to green

buildings by joining forces with the nonprofit Rewiring America, which is dedicated to helping the US electrify homes, businesses, and communities so Americans can save money, improve health and reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Please sign the pledge at MayorsForElectrification.org!

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<cityclerk@reno.gov> 10:03 AM

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Your Name (First and Last)	Nancy Litchfield
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Phone Number	5089811031
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 2
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No (Digital comment only)
Agenda Item	General Public Comment

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

In favor

Your Comment

Dear Mayor Schieve and Council Members,
My name is Nancy Litchfield and my husband and I retired to Reno twelve years ago to enjoy the pleasant climate and abundant opportunities for outdoor recreation, with the Sierra range right in our backyard. However, I am growing increasingly concerned about climate change, with wild extremes impacting what I thought was the relatively benign climate here in the Truckee Meadows.

My husband has a number of severe health issues and has frequent appointments with his medical team at UCSF. We had thought that one of the advantages of living in Reno was living in proximity to really world-class medical care in San Francisco, but this winter he has had to continually cancel and reschedule appointments because numerous times it has been impossible to get over the mountains. Life has become more uncertain, and traveling by auto entails increasing risk.

At our home we are doing all we can to move away from using fossil fuels whose GHG emissions

drive these climate disruptions as well as harm our health, are a great burden to our economy, and put our national security and our kids' future at risk. We appreciate all the new incentives to make possible further changes to the way we heat our home, our water and do our cooking. (We gave up our old clunker and now drive an electric car.)

I urge the City to move forward quickly to clean and efficient electricity in its public buildings and facilities, an important part of the solution to reducing GHG emissions. A quick transition to electricity will help meet the City's emissions reduction targets and, in turn, help avoid the worst impacts of climate change.

Please show your support for energy efficiency by joining MayorsForElectrification.org.

Respectfully,
Nancy Litchfield

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Your Name (First and Last)	Philip Moore
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Address	1549 Big Valley Way , Reno, NV 89521
Phone Number	7752241877
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 2

Council Meeting Date

Mar 08, 2023

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No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item

None

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

In favor

Your Comment

I wholeheartedly support Mary Winston's call for the City to do what it can to encourage individuals and businesses to become more energy efficient and to electrify! The technology is available for us to do so and it is really about advocacy and education. Please consider what resources and partnerships might be used to encourage individuals and businesses to become more efficient and to electrify!

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Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

External - Plumas tennis courts

1 message

Rosie Mann <hikingrosie@icloud.com>

Tue, Mar 7, 2023 at 2:25
PM

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

I have been wondering why we pay \$200 a year when these are public courts? Supposedly the money we pay goes for maintenance of the courts. We still have nets that have holes in them, cracks on the courts.

Do we really need a person sitting in the office to collect money if these are public courts when our tax dollars are supposed to cover maintenance and being able to play there?

Understandably we have had a rough winter and courts are a low priority in cleaning them off to play but this is not what I am talking about. During good weather, we should expect that there are no cracks and no holes on the nets.

Rosie Mann

Sent from my iPad



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

External - Comment and questions about Parks & Rec agenda \$2,300,000.00 upgrade to Reno Tennis courts

1 message

Sharon Bonnett <sharonbonnett@yahoo.com>

Tue, Mar 7, 2023 at
3:21 PM

To: Publiccomment@reno.gov

1. Why is the City of Reno pushing to have people pay a membership to these courts when the courts are very run down , lights do not work well , no soap and your lucky to have toilet paper in the bathroom.
2. Will all the tennis courts be renovated ?
3. Will new lights be installed on all the tennis courts , as well new nets.
4. After renovation of courts , these are public city courts . I'm against paying a membership there should be only a daily usage fee if any similar to a city pool or any city facility.

Thank you,

Sharon B

Sent from my iPhone



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Reno City Council Online Public Comment Received

Fri, Mar 3, 2023 at 11:30 AM

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Your Name (First and Last)

Shoshana Zeldner

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School of the Arts, University of Nevada, Reno

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Address

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School of the Arts

Phone Number

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Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?

Ward 4

Council Meeting Date

Mar 08, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?

No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item

General Public Comment

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

Your Comment

Dear Reno City Council:
One of the things that helps us find meaning and joy during these challenging times is the arts.
Now more than ever, we experience the power of the arts every day from our own homes – whether that be through the viewing of artwork, reading a book or poem, outdoor sculpture, or listening to some of our favorite music. The arts are helping us collectively survive and find meaning during this global pandemic.

Thank you for supporting public funding of the arts in your community. For 62 years, the University of Nevada, Reno's Performing Arts Series has provided exceptional arts programming to our community and region. The Project Grant received from the City of Reno Arts and Culture Commission (\$5,415) directly supported free and open to the public activities that connected new audiences with extraordinary artists from across the world.

During this grant cycle, the Performing Arts Series welcomed approximately 3,500 people to six performances and 9 free community and University residency activities.

This grant helped us:

- Reach 400+ K-12 students through free programming
- Provide 50 free tickets to Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Northern Nevada so that bigs and littles could attend the featured evening livestreamed performances.
- Inspire nearly 600 students and community members through a weeklong residency with the acclaimed Sweet Honey In The Rock
- Engage 400+ University of Nevada, Reno students during 5 University master classes and workshops with visiting artists.

Additional, the Arts & Culture Commission's Cultural Events Grant (\$5,534) that we received supported the 60th annual Reno Jazz Festival (RJF) free and open to the public Jam Session. This integral component of the Reno Jazz Festival was held on Friday, April 29, 2022 at Laughing Planet on N. Virginia St. We welcomed approx. 100 attendees including student and professional musicians to the jam session, which provides an important opportunity for all members of

the community to experience world class jazz. Six nationally and internationally recognized jazz musicians were hired to kick-off the jam session as the official house band. Together these musicians, alongside community musicians and students, performed a free improvisational show that captivated audiences well into the early hours of the morning. The event provided learning opportunities for young musicians about the process of improvisational jazz at an incredibly high level. It is a one-of-a-kind, 'real-life' educational experience that is central to the Festival's mission.

Public funding for the arts is critical when working to garner additional program support. Support from the City of Reno allows us to leverage additional funding to produce an impressive series of programs each year.

The arts also provide significant economic diversity and impact in our state and community. Typically, School of the Arts programs generate an estimated annual economic impact of \$1.2 million in our community. Additionally, School of the Arts programs contribute approximately \$120,000 to local and state governments and \$900,000 to household income. The grants we receive from the City of Reno help make this possible.

With your support we are able to share the power of the arts in our community, increase quality of life for the region, and inspire the future generation of leaders. Thank you for your dedication and continued support of the arts.

Sincerely,

Shoshana Zeldner

Program Manager, Special Events

School of the Arts
University of Nevada, Reno

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Your Name (First and Last)

Stephanie Gibson

If you are representing someone other than yourself, please indicate who you are representing.

The Lilley Museum of Art

Email Address

stephaniegibson@unr.edu

Address

[1664 N Virginia St](#) MS 0224 Reno NV 89557

Phone Number

7757846659

Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?

Ward 5

Council Meeting Date

Mar 08, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?

No (Digital comment only)

Agenda Item

General Public Comment

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

Your Comment

The John and Geraldine Lilley Museum of Art at the University of Nevada, Reno, wishes to thank the City of Reno and the Reno Arts and Culture Commission for their ongoing support of the arts in this region. Funding from the City of Reno has enabled the Lilley Museum of Art to develop an excellent exhibition program that benefits the University of Nevada campus, as well as the Reno community at large. This ongoing commitment to arts and culture through a robust grant program is integral to an educated, creative, and thriving community.

Sincerely,
Stephanie Gibson
Director, Lilley Museum of Art

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Reno City Council Online Public Comment Received

Sat, Feb 25, 2023 at 7:02 PM

<cityclerk@reno.gov>

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To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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Your Name (First and Last)	Steve Kraft
If you are representing someone other than yourself, please indicate who you are representing.	Representing self
Email Address	skraft16@gmail.com
Address	10740 Grayslake Dr

Phone Number 4084019849

Which City of Reno Ward do you reside? Ward 2

Council Meeting Date Mar 01, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting? Yes (Check-in with the City Clerk upon arrival)

Agenda Item general public comment

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

Your Comment The city's proposed stormwater utility charge double-bills Damonte Ranch residents, who already pay the Damonte Ranch Drainage District for stormwater abatement. I pay \$37.50 each quarter for the district's services. I understand that the city wants to charge around \$165/year ON TOP OF what Damonte Ranch residents already pay the drainage district. Please exempt Damonte Ranch residents, businesses and the drainage district from stormwater-related fees for services that we already pay for, or have the city take over Damonte Ranch Drainage District and its

responsibilities in return for receiving the proposed tax payment from Damonte Ranch residents. Thank you.

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Mon, Feb 13, 2023 at 9:27 AM

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Your Name (First and Last)	Steven Meyer
If you are representing someone other than yourself, please indicate who you are representing.	Nevada Gay Men's Chorus
Email Address	execdir@nevadagmc.org
Address	P.O. Box 2752, Reno, NV 89505
Phone Number	7757228686
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Unsure/Other
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No (Digital comment only)
Agenda Item	General Public Comment
Please state if you are in favor or in opposition of the agenda item in which you are commenting:	In favor

Your Comment

We respectfully acknowledge and thank the Reno City Council for supporting the Nevada Gay Men's Chorus via the Arts & Culture Grants program. Through this generous funding, we were able to produce our 12th season finale Spring Concert "A New World-Breaking Free," which was centered around the reconnection of humanity after the COVID experience, and our 13th season kick-off Holiday extravaganza, "That Holiday Feeling," both performed and live-streamed from Nightingale Concert Hall at the University of Nevada. With this funding, we were able to elevate our performances to new levels, incorporate many local singers, professional musicians, and dancers into our performances and provide a more entertaining event for our audience members. Both concerts will soon be available to view without cost on our YouTube channel, and we invite you to plan for an evening of entertainment at a time that is convenient for you. This program would not have been possible without your faith in our group and our mission.

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Council Meeting Date	Mar 21, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	No (Digital comment only)
Agenda Item	General public comment

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In opposition

Your Comment

PLEASE STOP THE (former) HARRAH'S DEVELOPMENT!! We here in Reno and Sparks want as much open space as is humanly possible. Development has gotten out of hand and pretty soon this place will be as ugly as the Bay Area in California has become-which I ran away from to here after 66 years in the bay area. It has turned into a cesspool and apartments apartments apartments everywhere where where we used to shop they're all torn down to make way for super expensive condos and apartments. It's really sickening. And that's what the powers that be with money are going to make reno.

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Voice Message From: Cisco Unity Connection Messaging System (917758425306)

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publiccomment@reno.gov <publiccomment@reno.gov>

Fri, Mar 3, 2023 at 11:37 AM

Reply-To: DonomaUnity@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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My name's Anita Patterson, I work for ESI Security. I had a post yesterday at the Reno Events Center. I had full view of the corner of lake and 4th Street. There's a lot of pedestrian traffic there and of course there are signs posted double finds in this area for 20 miles an hour. There were so many people, almost hit. So many people speeding over 20 very fast through there. That's just one issue. The other issue is driving home, I live south of the airport. From up there, where I was working and the Reno Events, and I don't drive fast and it's nighttime when I'm coming home. It's dark. It was 9 o'clock. There were several people walking across the street. Virgin, no, on kid, ski, dark clothes. You couldn't see them to. I'm driving slow and you can't see them til you're almost on top of them and they just walk across or not in the crosswalk and they're wearing black clothes. Maybe we need a public announcement for people to wear bright close at night or carry something light flashlight,

something white jacket with florescent. Something. I mean, this is like, you paid it yet. It's been a lot of them are just so out of it. Yeah, and then it would be the drivers fault but we need to do something about all that. Thank you for your time. Have a good day.

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Thu, Feb 23, 2023 at 12:17
PM

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To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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From: 915103810681

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Hi. My name is Charlene marks and I am I'm calling on behalf of the 78. Lots that I'm calling on behalf of the town houses that are proposed to be built at Grand Point way and I am there. I invite you to the council, people to come and drive up, Shadow Park Drive, and drive up Grand Point Way and attempt to make a left turn onto man from Shadow Park Drive. You'll run into a conflict of traffic where it takes 225 minutes just to get off the street. And on to me and making a left turn. Between the little turnout Lane. The blind Corner curve when you pull up to the stop, sign at Shadow Park Drive heading north bound to make a left, turn westbound on to man. There is a even a blind spot in the curb and then as you proceed left, there is the bus stop. So the bus stops walking one lane of traffic. And then you have traffic coming into the middle, turn lane again to pull into Raley's and other traffic, pulling to the

right to pull on 2, Rob drive, with pedestrian Crossing including students. At each one of these interceptions in Corners, it specially on icy roads. It is very difficult to pull up from these roads to paste between the vehicles that are coming. And I invite you to come and travel this road to see what an impact would be for an extra 140 Vehicles, should be impacting these too late to blocks of Roads. If you can send you North Elm west bound on man down the hill between 7 and 7:20 a.m. or even 2:07 to 7:35. A.m. you will see the impact of all the traffic already heading to McQueen with people trying to make you turns at various locations to avoid long lines of traffic turning lanes that are backed up so far that they are blocking center lanes. Making a middle Lane in Maine, that doesn't even exist that you supposed to be eternally. And that blocks other people trying to pull off of Stone Valley, Road and Ambassador Drive. So it's already impacted and adding another 8240 Vehicles. Assuming 122 vehicles per property, that would be a huge impact not to mention. They're already building apartments over on Belmont and then and that traffic are ready. Call me. From the west and people needing to drop kids off at school less will really to the commotion. I challenge you to come on, icy roads at 7 o'clock in the morning and see how kit cars already sitting out on me on and how this
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Your Name (First and Last)

William Puchert

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**Which City of Reno Ward do
you reside?**

Ward 5

Council Meeting Date

Mar 08, 2023

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Your Comment

Donations to Sons & Daughters of Erin

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Yes

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COMMENTS: Prayer

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AGENDA ITEM Public Comment

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E-MAIL: None

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DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM General Public Comment

☐ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☒ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS: Discrimination: Chapter 2:
Housing and Race

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ADDRESS: _____
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DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☐ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM _____ A-3

☐ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☐ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS: _____

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NAME: Mark Markel

ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT PHONE: _____

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DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM _____

☐ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☐ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS: point drink & drive

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1200 Riverside Drive Comm Assoc

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☐ OTHER _____

DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM _____

A.3

☐ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☐ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS:

general public comment

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☐ OTHER _____

DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM D5 AKB

☒ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☐ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS:

repair tennis courts
increase access to tennis courts

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☐ OTHER _____

DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐ A-3

AGENDA ITEM Pickleball / Tennis Courts

☒ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☐ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS: I would like to speak.

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DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM D5 A-3

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COMMENTS: _____

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E-MAIL: richard.ruckel@outlook.com

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DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☐ NO ☒

AGENDA ITEM PICKLEBALL A-3

☒ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☐ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS: _____

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☐ OTHER _____

DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM General Comment A-3

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COMMENTS: Submitted

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Your Name (First and Last)	Brian Thornton
Email Address	brian.thornton.nv@gmail.com
Address	Reno
Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?	Ward 4
Council Meeting Date	Mar 08, 2023
Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?	Yes (Check-in with the City Clerk upon arrival)
Agenda Item	General Public Comment
Please state if you are in favor or in opposition of the	In favor

**agenda item in which you
are commenting:**

Your Comment

I'm Brian Thornton, a Reno resident and retired mechanical engineer who worked mostly on building energy usage. Good morning, Mayor and Council. Thank you for the opportunity to speak today.

I'm concerned about air pollution from buildings. Methane, also known as natural gas, is burned to heat buildings and create hot water. This pollution is a significant contributor to two major problems, climate disruption and smog and can be reduced through building electrification and energy efficiency.

Reno has identified that 66 percent of climate disruption causing greenhouse gas pollution in the city comes from residential and commercial buildings. Based on global averages, about a third of that comes from burning mostly methane for space heating and water heating.(1)

Smog is a significant health threat. Burning methane helps create ground level ozone, one of the most harmful parts of smog.

(2) Reno has a major problem with ground level ozone and is graded an "F" for this problem which seems to be getting worse.

(3)

Fortunately, the problem of

greenhouse gas and smog pollution from buildings can be reduced with building electrification and energy efficiency. Electric heat pumps and hybrid heat pump water heaters can be used for space heating and water heating instead of burning methane. Cold climate heat pumps work in our cooler winters and are being used in much colder climates such as Minnesota and Maine.(4) Building electrification can reduce greenhouse gas pollution by 50% or more.(5) Ozone causing pollution will also be reduced. Energy efficiency improvements can help. These steps can also reduce utility bills.

All electric buildings that eliminate methane infrastructure are often cheaper to build which will make the transition easier for the development and building construction industries.(6) The massive incentives for building electrification and energy efficiency from the federal government's Inflation Reduction Act will further reduce costs. Reno can make a big difference in reducing pollution from methane burning in buildings. Reno can commit the city to moving towards electrification of buildings through the local government pledge from Rewiring America.(7) Working with business and community

partners, the city should create a plan such as starting with incentives in zoning rules, moving to penalties, and eventually requiring building electrification and more energy efficiency. The Building Electrification guide with 12 case studies and adoptable code language is a good resource for this effort.(8)

I've included references in my written comments. Thank you for your consideration as you work to reduce climate disruption and smog in our city.

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NORTHERN NEVADA HOPE

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DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM _____

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COMMENTS: _____

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DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM Village Sage & funding A.B

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NAME: Randy Reynolds
ADDRESS: 3304 Swilken Drive
CONTACT PHONE: 775 240 6505
E-MAIL: _____

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AGENDA ITEM SD RTC A-3

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COMMENTS: Support recreation,
Tennis and pickleball

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NAME: Mr Matt Williams
ADDRESS: 3585 Rocky Ridge Court
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AGENDA ITEM 5D RTC A-3

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COMMENTS:

Support of Recreation & Park ball

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AGENDA ITEM ~~D.5~~ D.5 A.3

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COMMENTS: Please allocate the 2.3M
proposed to help improve
Reno tennis center facilities!
They are in GRAVE need
of repair. And there aren't enough
tennis courts in Reno to begin with.
With all the people moving to our
beautiful city we need this desperately.

Also we have ZERO INDOOR TENNIS
COURTS!

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Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

A.3 3/8/23

New form response notification

1 message

Reno City Council Online Public Comment Received Tue, Mar 7, 2023 at
<cityclerk@reno.gov> 1:58 PM

Reply-To: cityclerk@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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

Your Name (First and Last)

William Puchert

**If you are representing
someone other than
yourself, please indicate
who you are representing.**

Sons & Daughters of Erin

Email Address

wpuchert@aol.com

Address

[2725 Everett Dr](#)

Phone Number

7753780931

**Which City of Reno Ward do
you reside?**

Ward 5

Council Meeting Date

Mar 08, 2023

Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?

Yes (Check-in with the City Clerk upon arrival)

Agenda Item

General Public Comment

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

Your Comment

Donations to Sons & Daughters of Erin

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

No

By checking the "Yes" below, you understand, acknowledge, and expressly agree that: (1) all information submitted by you will be 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.

Yes

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NAME: Rick Hsu
ADDRESS: _____
CONTACT PHONE: _____
E-MAIL: _____

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NAME: Robbin Palmer

ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

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