

10-12-2022 - Reno City Council Meeting - Item # J.1 Public Comment

[illegible]



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## New form response notification

1 message

---

**Reno City Council Online Public Comment**

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at

**Received** <cityclerk@reno.gov>

12:22 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)**

Alex Tanchek

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

Silver State Government Relations

**Email Address**

[alex@ssgr.us](mailto:alex@ssgr.us)

**Address**

[4211 Baker Ln.](#)

**Phone Number**

7756363350

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

Ward 2

**Council Meeting Date**

Oct 12, 2022

**Do you wish to speak in**

No (Digital comment only)

**person at the meeting?**

**Agenda Item**

C.2

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

In favor

**Your Comment**

We at Silver State Government Relations have been involved in this cannabis zoning issue since it was brought to our attention. Our firm's principal, Will Adler, reached out to the various dispensaries around Reno earlier this year regarding reinstatement of the 2,500-foot zoning barrier between dispensaries and found consensus and support for placing this zoning barrier back into ordinance. During the June 8, 2022 Reno City Council meeting, jointly signed letters were submitted by Mr. Adler and the various dispensaries into the record supporting the cannabis zoning change before you today. We want to thank City Council and staff for their work on reinstating this 2,500-foot zoning barrier between cannabis dispensaries.

**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

**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



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Re: Letter of Support for Michael Trudell

1 message

---

**Reno City Clerk's Office**

<cityclerk@reno.gov>

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 7:03  
AM

To: Carolyn Dondero <cadondero1@att.net>, Public Comment  
<publiccomment@reno.gov>

Hello Carolyn,

Thank you for your comments. This comment is being received after 4PM the day preceding the Council meeting, therefore they will be sent to the Reno City Council for review and will be part of the official record in closing public comment item J.1.

\*Please note, for consistency in record keeping please email all future comments to [Publiccomment@reno.gov](mailto:Publiccomment@reno.gov).

Regards,

City Clerk's Office

On Tue, Oct 11, 2022 at 8:29 PM Carolyn Dondero  
<[cadondero1@att.net](mailto:cadondero1@att.net)> wrote:

I am writing to provide my support for Michael Trudell, candidate for Ward 3 of the city council. My deceased spouse was friends with Michael and I have learned about Michael through that relationship and I have stayed in contact with Michael since my spouse's death.

You are familiar with Michael's credentials and experience. My support for him comes from the numerous conversations I have had with Michael. He is civic minded and has a longtime passion for community service. He understands the important role local government has in

the health and well-being of our citizens and the city businesses. His background in city planning will serve the community as we navigate a fast growing community with limited natural resources.

He is thoughtful, energetic, a good listener and articulate in his speech. I believe he will be a leader in his role and diligent in serving his constituents in Ward 3.

Sincerely,  
Carolyn Dondero  
[2220 Springdale Court](#)  
Reno, NV 89523

Sent from my iPad



---

## Fwd: [ClickDesk] Offline message

2 messages

---

**Reno Direct** <renodirect@reno.gov>

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 8:10 AM

To: Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>, dennalynn@live.com

Hi ,

Thank you for contacting Reno Direct. Your comments will be sent to the Reno City Council for review and will be part of the official record at the next Reno City Council meeting.

\*Please note, public comment may be submitted in advance through the online public comment form found at [Reno.Gov/PublicComment](https://Reno.Gov/PublicComment), by sending an email to [publiccomment@reno.gov](mailto:publiccomment@reno.gov), or by leaving a voicemail at 775-393-4499. Comments received prior to 4:00 p.m. on the day preceding the meeting will be transcribed, provided to City Council for review, and entered into the record. Comments received after 4:00 pm on the day preceding the meeting will be provided to City Council for review prior to adjournment, and entered into the record.

Take care!

Thank you for contacting Reno Direct!

Reno DIRECT  
PO Box 1900  
Reno, NV 89505  
775-334-INFO (4636)  
[reno.gov/renodirect](https://reno.gov/renodirect)

Reno DIRECT is available 24 hours a day on our website at [reno.gov](https://reno.gov). Find information and submit service requests any time!

**PUBLIC RECORDS NOTICE:** In accordance with NRS Chapter 239, this email, responses, and all information submitted by you will be entered into the public record, made available for public inspection, and freely disseminated without restriction.

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

From: **ClickDesk** <[mails@clickdesk.com](mailto:mails@clickdesk.com)>

Date: Tue, Oct 11, 2022 at 8:15 PM

Subject: [ClickDesk] Offline message

To: <[renodirect@reno.gov](mailto:renodirect@reno.gov)>

---




## Offline Chat

Tue, 11 Oct 2022 20:15:19 PDT

### Visitor Info



**Name:** Denna Gardner  
**Email:** [dennalynn@live.com](mailto:dennalynn@live.com)

**Client Details:** Chrome on Windows    
**Location:** Reno, United States (US)   
**IP Address:** 2600:6c4e:8f0:7c50:5f7:512:7d98:634d

**Visitor URL:** <https://www.reno.gov/government/city-council/mayor-hillary-schieve>  
**Referrer:** <https://www.bing.com/>

### Message

**PLEASE SAVE MIDTOWN RESIDENTIAL.** It is so sad to see such a beautiful and historic neighborhood, torn up and too too many rentals going in. A great house get chopped up into apartments. A historic house turns its driveway and yard into an apartment building. Reno Avenue shortened to add apartments. I am all for more housing, but we are completely packed in. Too much traffic congestion, no parking, garbage, noise and WAY OVERPRICED. Thank you.

Like ClickDesk? Share Us some love   

Note: We recommend you to add [support@clickdesk.com](mailto:support@clickdesk.com), [chats@clickdesk.com](mailto:chats@clickdesk.com), [noreply@clickdesk.com](mailto:noreply@clickdesk.com) as contacts to ensure that you receive our email in your Inbox and not in the Spam/Junk folder.



---

**Public Comment** <publiccomment@reno.gov>

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 8:22 AM

To: Reno Direct <renodirect@reno.gov>, Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

Logged. Thank you.

[Quoted text hidden]



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## New form response notification

1 message

---

**Reno City Council Online Public Comment**

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at

**Received** <cityclerk@reno.gov>

2:31 AM

Reply-To: cityclerk@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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

<b>Your Name (First and Last)</b>	Dwight George
<b>Email Address</b>	george.dwight@rocketmail.com
<b>Address</b>	904 Holcomb Avenue
<b>Phone Number</b>	7756250437
<b>Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?</b>	Ward 3
<b>Council Meeting Date</b>	Oct 12, 2022
<b>Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?</b>	Yes (Check-in with the City Clerk upon arrival)
<b>Agenda Item</b>	G1
<b>Please state if you are in</b>	In favor

**favor or in opposition of the agenda item in which you are commenting:**

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

Yes

**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

**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



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## New form response notification

1 message

---

**Reno City Council Online Public Comment Received** Tue, Oct 11, 2022 at  
<cityclerk@reno.gov> 8:28 PM

Reply-To: cityclerk@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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

<b>Your Name (First and Last)</b>	Elizabeth Roycraft
<b>Email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:elizabeth.roycraft@gmail.com">elizabeth.roycraft@gmail.com</a>
<b>Address</b>	<a href="#">2738 Azuza Way</a>
<b>Phone Number</b>	2092739843
<b>Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?</b>	Ward 3
<b>Council Meeting Date</b>	Oct 12, 2022
<b>Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?</b>	No (Digital comment only)
<b>Agenda Item</b>	City Clerk G.1
<b>Please state if you are in</b>	In favor

**favor or in opposition of the agenda item in which you are commenting:**

**Your Comment**

I'd like to voice my support for Lily Baran to fill the vacant council seat for Ward 3. I believe she is representative of our community & would like for her to be the voice of Ward 3.

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

Yes

**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

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

Yes

**the agenda for today's  
meeting.**



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## 10-12-2022 City Council Meeting - Item G

2 messages

---

**nvreno@aol.com** <nvreno@aol.com>

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 9:35 AM

Reply-To: nvreno@aol.com

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

Good morning Mayor, members of the City Council,

I strongly support and recommend the appointment of Mike Trudell to the vacant City Council position.

I first came to know Mike in 1986 when I was working as an engineer in the City of Reno Public Works Department, and he came to work for the City as a planner. I found him to be cooperative, diligent, and thoughtful.

He subsequently went on to work as General Manager for the Caughlin Ranch Homeowners Association for 20 years. As the past president of my own (Southwest Vistas) homeowners association, I can tell you that is a remarkable achievement. Caughlin Ranch is a very large HOA; his role there was like that of a City Manager of a small city.

I believe Mike has the right background, experience, and knowledge to serve Reno well as a member of the City Council.

I lived in the Donner Springs neighborhood for 20 years, where Mike now resides.

Thank you.

Keith Lockard

h - 775-852-4404

c - 310-384-5788

[925 Peacepipe Loop Reno, NV 89511](#)

---

**Public Comment**

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 10:02

<[publiccomment@reno.gov](mailto:publiccomment@reno.gov)>

AM

To: [nvreno@aol.com](mailto:nvreno@aol.com)

Cc: Public Comment <[publiccomment@reno.gov](mailto:publiccomment@reno.gov)>

Hello Keith,

Thank you for your comments. This comment is being received after 4 PM the day preceding the Council meeting, therefore it will be sent to the Reno City Council for review and will be part of the official record in closing public comment item J.1.

Best,

City Clerk's Office

City Clerk (775) 334-2030

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

[publiccomment@reno.gov](mailto:publiccomment@reno.gov)

[cityclerk@reno.gov](mailto:cityclerk@reno.gov)

[Quoted text hidden]





Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Adrienne Feemster for City Council

1 message

---

**kit miller** <kitmiller55@gmail.com>

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 7:39 AM

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

Dear Reno Council,

I'm writing in support of Adrienne Feemster to fill Oscar Delgado's seat on the council.

I've known the Feemster family my whole life, and have seen their commitment to community passed down through the generations.

Adrienne Feemster has a particular gift for listening to and hearing people. She also explains things so people can understand. People of all types respect and trust her. She will serve Ward 3, and all of Reno, with heart and intelligence.

Thank you,

Kit Miller  
Washoe Valley



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Support for Sean Savoy, Ward 3 Councilmember Applicant

1 message

---

**Mike VanHouten**

Tue, Oct 11, 2022 at 7:09 PM

<mikevanhouten@poolpact.com>

To: "schieveh@reno.gov" <schieveh@reno.gov>, "caldeirar@reno.gov" <caldeirar@reno.gov>, "ReeseD@reno.gov" <ReeseD@reno.gov>, "duerrn@reno.gov" <duerrn@reno.gov>, "weberb@reno.gov" <weberb@reno.gov>, "taylork@reno.gov" <taylork@reno.gov>, "publiccomment@reno.gov" <publiccomment@reno.gov>, "cityclerk@reno.gov" <cityclerk@reno.gov>

Greetings;

My name is Mike Van Houten for the record, most of you know me, I run the [downtownmakeover.com](http://downtownmakeover.com) site and consider myself an urban activist of sorts. Mr. Downtown.

I wanted to voice my support officially for Ward 3 councilmember candidate Sean Savoy. I am a Ward 3 resident. I feel Sean Savoy has done a TON of good for this community, through all the time he volunteers for various organizations and also the gay community as well. Also, as far as I know, one of the only council members who lives downtown, and sees the ongoing challenges of downtown daily, and lives it, just like I do. I feel like he'd bring a fresh perspective for Ward 3, listen to his constituents, and get along with other council members nicely.

Mike Van Houten

454 Holcomb Avenue, Reno NV 89502  
775-544-9995



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Agenda Ítem G.1 10/12/22

1 message

---

**mollywillo**

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 12:36

<mmelindawilloughby@gmail.com>

PM

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

Dear City Council,

I am contacting you regarding Agenda Item G.1 of today's meeting. My name is Molly Willoughby, and I want to voice my enthusiastic support for Lily Baran in the appointment to Reno City Council Ward 3. Lily contributes to the preservation of city history and culture. She provides direct services to members of our community. She is also leading a project to educate young people about growing food, indigenous plants, and African cultural crops. I have seen her work and impact personally in our community, and I would feel reassured knowing someone with her drive, expertise, and passion is on the council. She displays virtues and leadership in community care that are essential and needed today.

Thank you for your time.

Best,

Molly Willoughby



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Council vacancy

1 message

---

**Olga Mesina** <omessy78@gmail.com>

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 12:10 PM

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

Hello Everyone

As a resident of the Reno/Sparks area I am grateful to say I know Miguel Martinez. I have worked with him since he was an undergraduate student at UNR and I was in the TRiO McNair Program. His character and love for education are amazing and we would be blessed to have him. He works with underrepresented young men trying to bridge the gap from high school to college. His mentorship has benefitted many to come to college and be successful in their pathways.

Olga L. Mesina, Ph.D



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## New form response notification

1 message

---

**Reno City Council Online Public Comment**

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at

**Received** <cityclerk@reno.gov>

10:17 AM

Reply-To: cityclerk@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

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

<b>Your Name (First and Last)</b>	Stevie Applewhite
<b>Email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:Snapplewhite5@gmail.com">Snapplewhite5@gmail.com</a>
<b>Address</b>	<a href="#">305 Mia ct</a>
<b>Phone Number</b>	7757596427
<b>Which City of Reno Ward do you reside?</b>	Unincorporated Washoe County
<b>Council Meeting Date</b>	Oct 12, 2022
<b>Do you wish to speak in person at the meeting?</b>	No (Digital comment only)
<b>Agenda Item</b>	Ward 3 candidate selection- Lily Baran

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

In favor

**Your Comment**

I would like to voice my support for Lily Baran to fill the empty city council seat for ward 3. She is is an avid advocate for her community in and outside of ward 3, for all people, and has worked endlessly to improve, educate and uplift how we treat others and our surroundings. She would make an excellent addition to the council and I know she would bring the ideas and determination we've all longed to see alongside our representatives.

Thank you for your time and consideration (:

**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**

Yes

**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





Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Voice Message From: Cisco Unity Connection Messaging System (912199735576)

1 message

---

publiccomment@reno.gov  
<publiccomment@reno.gov>  
Reply-To: DonomaUnity@reno.gov  
To: publiccomment@reno.gov

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 7:53  
AM

Voice Message delivered by Donoma Unify

From: 912199735576  
Click to Call 912199735576

**Good morning, this call is in support of a call. I certainly was running and that my name is Leslie. Escrow constituents of the Reno City. I am a paralegal and I have worked before with Kyle, and if I do believe it fit for this position and I've out my support to him. Thank you.**

(Transcription with medium confidence)

The information contained in this e-mail and any attachments is privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If you have received this communication in error, please notify the sender immediately by telephone or e-mail, and then please destroy all content contained within this communication from your files. Thank you.



**VoiceMessage.wav**  
200K



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Voice Message From: Cisco Unity Connection Messaging System (917757869918)

1 message

---

publiccomment@reno.gov

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at 8:15  
AM

<publiccomment@reno.gov>

Reply-To: DonomaUnity@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

Voice Message delivered by Donoma Unify

From: 917757869918

Click to Call 917757869918

**My name is Linda, may be taken and I'm calling on behalf of Kyle. Edgerton, who seeking the vacancy in ward 3. I live in Ward to, I have no Kyle for at least 10 years Kyle and I both practice law and we met Through Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada in 2013, when he was the director of immigration program for Catholic Charities. I must tell you that Kyle is very unique and distinguished individual, although he's actually very quite Young Compared to me. He is extremely intelligent. He also is a person who is very, very caring and he has a great deal of empathy. He's probably would have the strongest candidates that you have, and if you select him, you will not regret it. Keep breaks his back to work for people and he works nonstop. He has a lovely wife and he has two young children. And I hope that you select him because your counsel will be better off for it. He is actually a superb individual. Thank you very much. Again, my name is Linda, may be taken.**  
(Transcription with high confidence)

The information contained in this e-mail and any attachments is privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If you have received this

communication in error, please notify the sender immediately by telephone or e-mail, and then please destroy all content contained within this communication from your files. Thank you.

---



**VoiceMessage.wav**

872K



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Voice Message From: Cisco Unity Connection Messaging System (917759903657)

1 message

---

publiccomment@reno.gov  
<publiccomment@reno.gov>  
Reply-To: DonomaUnity@reno.gov  
To: publiccomment@reno.gov

Wed, Oct 12, 2022 at  
10:24 AM

Voice Message delivered by Donoma Unify

From: 917759903657  
Click to Call 917759903657

**Hi, good morning. My name is Megan Garcia, and I just wanted to put in my vote for councilman ward 3, I would like to vote for Chad Blackburn, he's already involved in the community a lot. And I really think you would be a great fit. He really cares for many things in the community. So I just wanted to get my boat out for him. Thank you so much.**

(Transcription with high confidence)

The information contained in this e-mail and any attachments is privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If you have received this communication in error, please notify the sender immediately by telephone or e-mail, and then please destroy all content contained within this communication from your files. Thank you.



**VoiceMessage.wav**  
265K



Public Comment <publiccomment@reno.gov>

---

## Voice Message From: Cisco Unity Connection Messaging System (917752334285)

1 message

---

publiccomment@reno.gov

Tue, Oct 11, 2022 at 11:34  
PM

<publiccomment@reno.gov>

Reply-To: DonomaUnity@reno.gov

To: publiccomment@reno.gov

Voice Message delivered by Donoma Unify

From: 917752334285

Click to Call 917752334285

**Hello, this is Mr. Jimenez in Watertown. And I believe that pastor says like we would make an excellent city council member. Please consider him for Alexis.**

(Transcription with medium confidence)

The information contained in this e-mail and any attachments is privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If you have received this communication in error, please notify the sender immediately by telephone or e-mail, and then please destroy all content contained within this communication from your files. Thank you.



**VoiceMessage.wav**

155K