

**North Las Vegas Police Department
Chief's Advisory Council Meeting Minutes
June 11, 2007**

ATTENDEES

Chief Paresi
Ted Johnson
John O'Carroll

Al Greer
Dwayne Miller
Susan Sayegh

Connie Holtmann-Spangler
Dan Morris
Susan Schaff

ABSENT

Florence Buchanan
Dana Phillips

Mimi Devore-Rigg
Oscar Saldana-Perez

Laura Marscheck
Gregory Troutman

GUEST SPEAKERS

Peggy Proestos, Manager – Business Development Division, City of North Las Vegas
Larry Bender, Manager - Redevelopment Division, City of North Las Vegas

Connie opened the meeting welcoming everyone and introduced Peggy Proestos and Larry Bender the guest speakers for the evening.

Ms. Proestos gave the council a review of her division. The Business Development Division is responsible for attracting new businesses to the city that will allow for job creation and retention. She provided a review of the current special projects being addressed by the division. They include a Veterans Hospital, UNLV North Campus, as well as the Aliante and Park Highlands communities. Ms. Proestos indicated that their current focus is for retail in the city. She also talked about the Park Highlands community that will add an additional 15,700 homes to the City of North Las Vegas.

Mr. Bender gave the council a review of his division. The Redevelopment Division is responsible to develop both new projects and rehabilitate existing developments in the commercial core of the inner-city areas of the City of North Las Vegas and the adjoining mature neighborhoods. He also addressed several new projects including one at the corners of Civic Center and Cheyenne.

The council then discussed various items of general concern. A question was asked regarding the Clark County School District and the NLVPD. The red light charges mentioned in the newspaper were also discussed.

The Chief indicated that a shooting had occurred during the little league playoffs at James Seastrand Park.

The Chief also provided information from the latest crime summit:

- Burglaries are increasing
- Auto Theft is going down
- Violence is increasing in the north part of North Las Vegas
- Traffic deaths are increasing dramatically.

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE HELD AUGUST 13TH 2007 AT 5:00 P.M. AT THE SOUTH AREA COMMAND ON BRUCE AND EAST LAKE MEAD BOULEVARD IN THE COMMUNITY SERVICES ROOM.