

**RENO-SPARKS CONVENTION AND VISITORS AUTHORITY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
Thursday, October 24, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.
Reno-Sparks Convention and Visitors Authority
4065 S. Virginia Street, Board Room
Reno, Nevada**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
Mayor Hillary Schieve, Chair**

Councilwoman Charlene Bybee
Mr. Stephen Ascuaga
Mr. Greg Long
Mr. John East

Commissioner Alexis Hill
Mr. Rick Murdock
Mr. Richard Jay
Mr. Eddie Ableser

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Evelyn Mount Northeast Community Center
Reno Municipal Court
Reno-Sparks Convention & Visitors Authority (RSCVA)
Washoe County Administration Building
RSCVA Website: www.rscva.com/public-meetings

Reno City Hall
Sparks City Hall
McKinley Arts & Culture Center
Washoe Co. Reno Downtown Library
Online at <http://notice.nv.gov/>

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Items on the agenda are for possible action by the Board of Directors unless stated otherwise. Items will not necessarily be considered in the order listed. The Board may combine two or more agenda items for consideration, may remove an item from the agenda, or may delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time. Pursuant to NRS 241.020(6), supporting material is made available to the general public at the same time it is provided to the Board. The designated contact to obtain support materials is Myrra Estrellado, 4065 South Virginia Street, Suite 100, Reno, NV (775) 827-7737.

AGENDA

A. OPENING CEREMONIES

Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll Call

B. COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR BY THE PUBLIC

Public comment is limited to three minutes. The public is encouraged to comment on all agenda items as well as issues not on the agenda during the Public Comment period or on "action" items immediately before board discussion of such "action" items. Members of the public desiring to speak must complete a "Request to Speak" form and return it to the RSCVA clerk at the meeting. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action will be taken. Public comments may not be accepted after the Chairman closes any period for public comment.

C. CONSENT AGENDA:

C1. Approval of the Agenda of the October 24, 2024, Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors

For Possible Action

C2. Approval of the Minutes of the September 26, 2024, Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors

For Possible Action

D. PRESENTATIONS

D1. Presentation: Matador Network

Matador Network is a global media brand and the world's largest independent travel publisher who creates award-winning editorial content with the goal of inspiring modern adventures to share their stories and travel fearlessly. Over the years, Matador and Reno Tahoe have partnered on a number of projects, most recently GuideGeek, the AI-powered chatbot and experience guide on the new VisitRenoTahoe.com website. Matador Network's CEO, Ross Borden, will provide an update on innovative partnerships, content creation, and future planning as a frequent media partner of the RSCVA.

Information Only

D2. Reno-Sparks Convention and Visitors Authority Department Updates

Members of the Senior Leadership Team will deliver updates on current activities and initiatives.

Information Only

E. BOARD MATTERS

E1. Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding Legislative priorities for the upcoming Legislative session

Jesse Wadhams, with the law firm of Black and Wadhams, as the RSCVA's retained government affairs firm, will discuss the upcoming Legislative session and issues which may impact or be of interest to the RSCVA. The Board may consider, discuss and take action to direct Mr. Wadhams to pursue RSCVA priorities/initiatives in the upcoming Legislative session including amendment of NRS 244A.601 to revise the manner in which Board members are appointed and/or reappointed to the Board, as well as the eligibility requirements for election to serve as Chair of the Board.

For Possible Action

F. BOARD MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS, REPORTS, AND UPDATES

RSCVA Board Members may share announcements, reports, updates, and requests for information. This item is informational only, and no discussion among Board Members will take place on this item.

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H. ADJOURNMENT

For Possible Action

For information or questions regarding this agenda please contact:

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