

**CARSON CITY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 26, 1989 SPECIAL MEETING
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A special meeting of the Carson City Board of Supervisors was held on October 26, 1989, at the Carson City Community Center, Sierra Room, 851 East William Street, Carson City, NV, beginning at 7:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Marv Teixeira Mayor
Tom Fettic Supervisor, Ward 2
Ron Swirczek Supervisor, Ward 1
Kay Bennett Supervisor, Ward 4
Tom Tatro Supervisor, Ward 3

STAFF PRESENT: Mike Rody Acting City Mngr.
Bernard Sease Fire Chief
Bob Auer Deputy District
Attorney
Judy Berge Recording Secretary
(tape B.O.S. 10-26-89 1-0001)

Mayor Teixeira called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. Roll call was taken and a quorum was present. Supervisor Tatro led the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. FIRE DEPARTMENT RESPONSE TO JIM PAGE'S AMBULANCE SERVICES STUDY: (1-050) Bernard Sease reviewed pages one through seven of the reply to the Ambulance Services Study. Some clarification was given and a copy of the reply is included with the back up material. Discussion ensued regarding the proposed position of Emergency Medical Services Manager, to whom the position would be responsible, position responsibilities, and salary. Mayor Teixeira directed the Acting City Manager to return with a job description for the EMS Manager.

2. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON INTERIM SOLUTION TO FIRE DEPARTMENT MANNING: (1-2883) Mike Rody reviewed the two options available for Fire Department manning that would not reduce the level of service provided. Discussion ensued on the merits of the two piece engine company versus calling back off duty personnel to cover needed manning.

Dave Parks, President of CCFA, stressed the importance of the manning back alternative over the two piece engine company, when a transfer is taken into Reno.

Chris Coleman advised the Board that 130 calls were simultaneous in the last 39 days and expressed his concern about the response time in the alternative which would place all ambulance service downtown.

Following discussion of the volume of calls, level of service, and safety of the firefighters, Supervisor Fettic **moved to direct the Acting City Manager to institute the Two Piece Engine Company, to be sensitive to the safety of the fire personnel and to monitor the service level to determine any drop in service to the public.** Supervisor Tatro **seconded the motion.** Following further discussion, Supervisor Fettic **amended his motion to give the Acting City Manager the necessary latitude to make whatever changes he feel appropriate in an emergency situation.** Supervisor Tatro **seconded the amendment.** Supervisor Swirczek felt that it should be understood that if a snow storm should occur that three stations be manned back immediately. A vote was taken and carried 5-0.

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Supervisor Fettic moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:00 P.M. Supervisor Bennett seconded the motion. A vote was taken and carried unanimously.

A tape recording of these proceedings is on file in the Clerk-Recorder's Office. This tape is available for review and inspection during the normal business hours.

The minutes of the October 26, 1989 Carson City Board of Supervisors meeting

ARE SO APPROVED ON NOVEMBER 2, 1989

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Marv Teixeira, Mayor

ATTEST:

Alan Glover, Clerk-Recorder