2007 Legislative Session
Proposed Legislative Package

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Internal Legislative Process

- Pursuant to NRS 218.2413, the city council of a city whose populations is 100,000 or more shall not request the preparation of more than *four* legislative measures.
- Mayor/Council and Department Directors were consulted regarding items for possible legislative change.
- CMO selected top five legislative proposals.

Lease-Purchase

Source:

NRS 268- Powers and Duties Common to Cities and Towns

Current Status:

- Currently the state and counties have the ability to enter into Lease-Purchase contracts

Purpose:

- Provide cities/towns the opportunity to enter into Lease-Purchase contracts

Interlocal Contract Threshold

Source:

NRS 277- Cooperative Agreements

Current Status:

- Current regulations require Council approval of interlocal contracts over $2,000 in value

Purpose:

- Align threshold with other contract-related statutes
- Raise the threshold required for Council approval
- Decrease number of routine items requiring Council approval

Development Improvements

Source:

NRS 338- Public Works

Current Status:

Current regulations include only water and sewer improvements

Purpose:

- Allow private developers to construct improvements as part of a private development for which they may receive reimbursement
- May seek other utility-based improvements

State Homeland Security Commission Representation

Source:

NRS 239C- Homeland Security

Current Status:

- State Homeland Security Commission currently has no representatives from CLV

Purpose:

- Gain position on Commission

City of Las Vegas Charter Changes

Source:

Las Vegas City Charter

Current Status:

CLV has not sought charter changes since 2001.

Purpose:

- Improve efficiency in operations
- Clarify requirements/authority
- Align charter language with current services

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Las Vegas City Council select up to four legislative proposals to create the Proposed Legislative Package for the 2007 Legislative Session