PC/CC Workshop Report

Establish Tree Planting Initiative

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Earth Day Fair – Mirabelli Park

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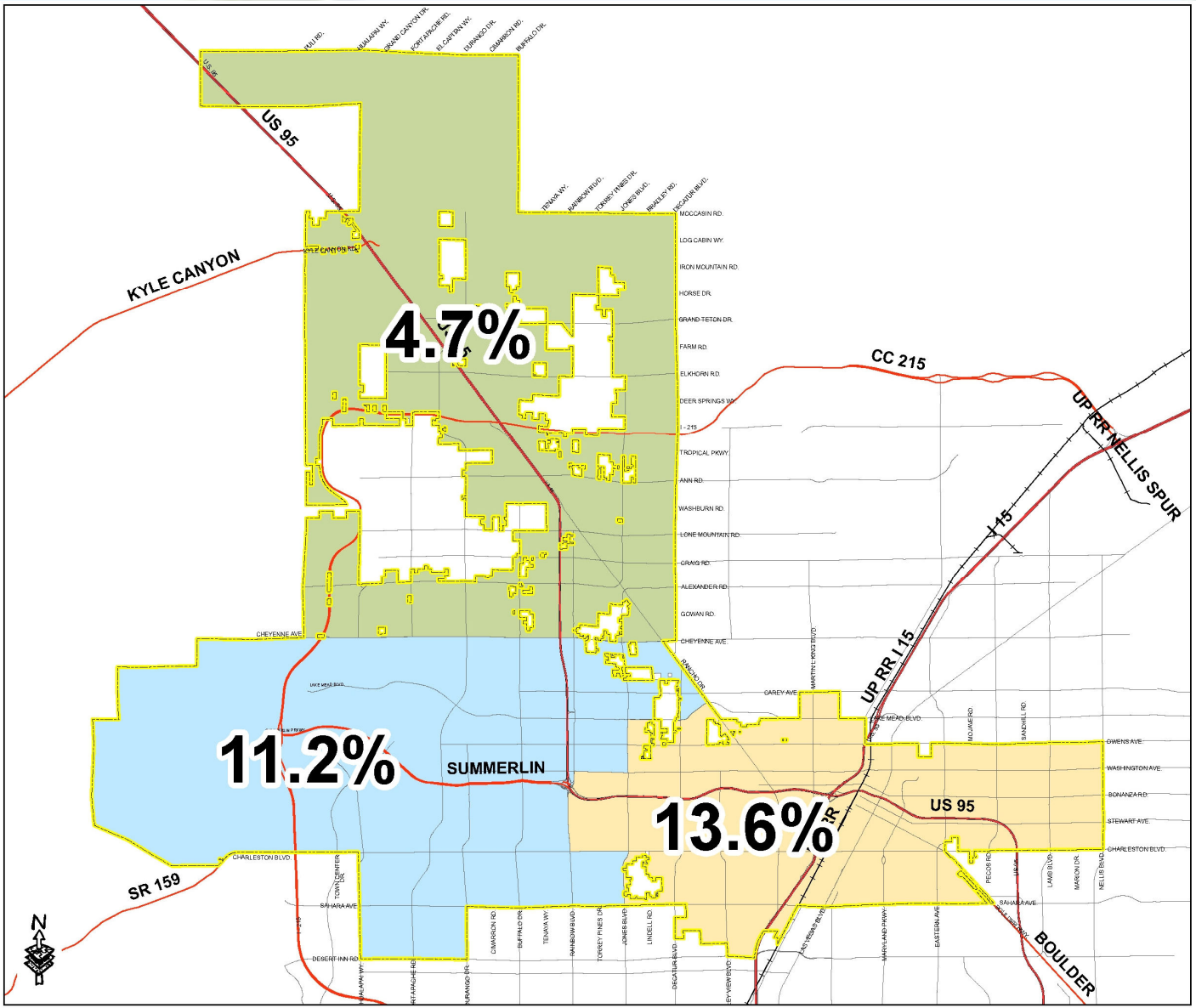
Earth Day Fair – April 19, 2008
Mirabelli Park

Tree planting – Ed Fountain Park

Tree planting – Ansan Sister Park



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Sector Area
- Tree Canopy Coverage -

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Northwest Sector

Southeast Sector

Southwest Sector

Data current as of: February 22nd, 2008

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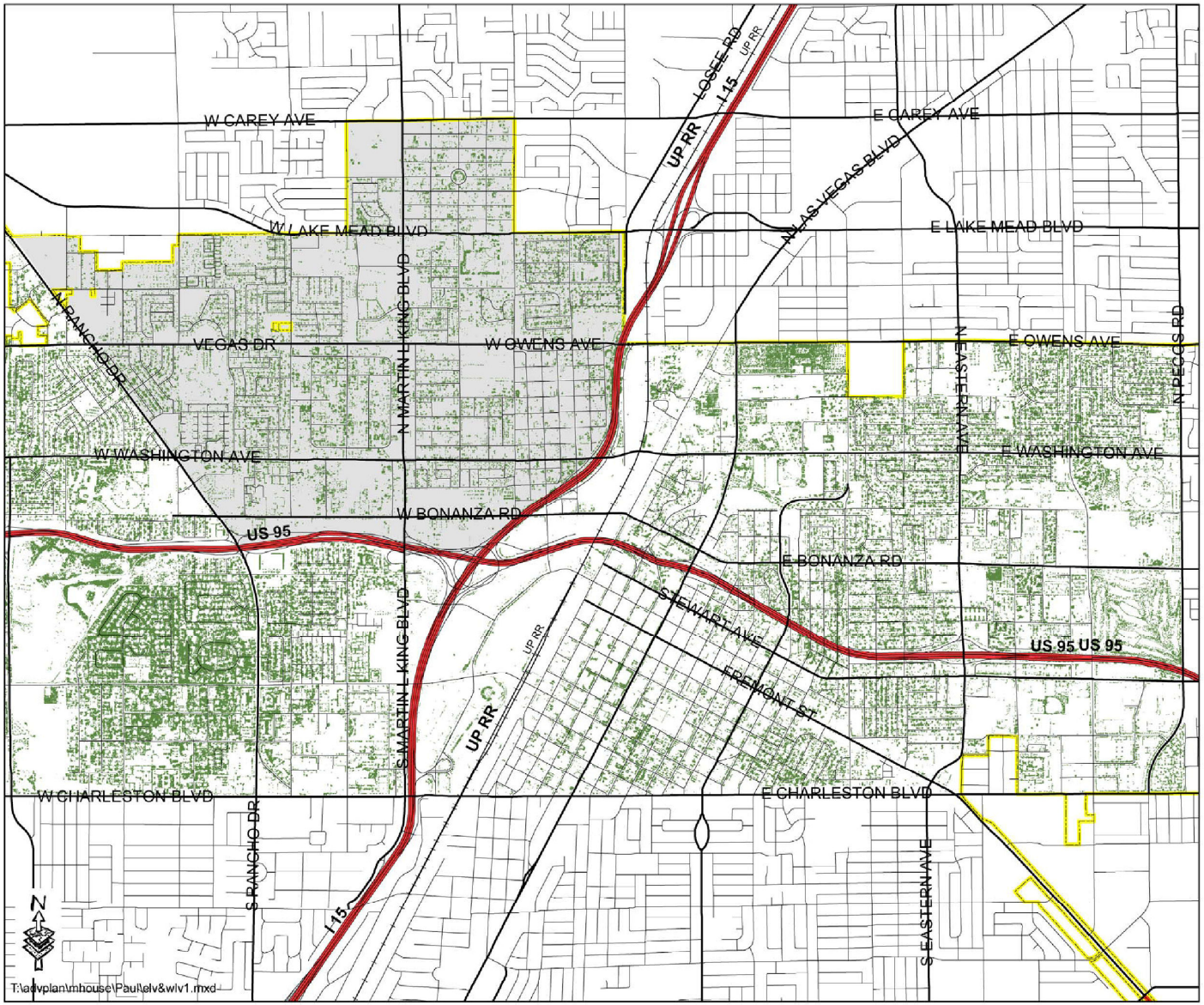

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Tree Canopy Coverage

Map 3

- East & West Las Vegas -

Legend

- Streets
- City Limits
- Tree Canopy
- West Las Vegas

**Tree Canopy data obtained from SNWA, for further information on technical or methodology questions, please contact SNWA.*

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Streetscape

- Help reduce the “heat island” effect

Streetscape

- Efficient use of natural resources
- Reduce maintenance costs

Streetscape

- Contribute to walkability
- Increase sales
- Increase property values

Urban Forest Initiative

1. Double the average tree canopy coverage to 20% by 2035
2. Work with existing partners and develop new partnerships in order to ensure that urban forestry remains a priority for the City and the Southern Nevada region
3. Prepare an Urban Forestry Management Plan