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To: State Land Use Planning Advisory Council

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RE: Review of Statewide Land Use Planning Projects and Issues

Over the past couple of months, the Agency has been working with GIS staff within the Division of State Lands to develop a map to show the major land use planning projects and issues taking place throughout Nevada. As the Council is aware, Nevada continues to grow rapidly and is experiencing further economic development diversification. Along with this growth the entire state is experiencing new challenges to provide sufficient infrastructure and services for residents, adequately plan for and manage its public lands, and achieve land use planning goals and policies.

During the meeting staff will provide a high level of review of the major energy, growth and economic development, military, land withdrawals, threatened & endangered species, and transportation related projects and issues taking place. During the presentation staff will share information about these projects and issues and discuss how they are impacting land use planning statewide. A copy of the map staff will review during the meeting is available for review [HERE](#).

Following the presentation, the Council is encouraged to share any information about any land use planning projects or issues within their respective jurisdictions. The goal of this agenda item is to have a high-level discussion about what is going on throughout Nevada overall and how these projects and issues are impacting land use statewide. For the purposes of this agenda item the Council is asked to take a position on any specific project or issue but to share any information that may be helpful the Agency to better track and understand all the various activities taking place across the state.

Recommendation: *Staff recommends that the Council listen to the presentation about land use planning projects and issues across the State. Following the presentation, members of the Council are encouraged to share any information about land use planning projects or issues in their respective jurisdictions that they would like to have included on the map.*