

Carson City Bee Committee to meet

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bats, hummingbirds, and others are responsible for the reproduction of 90 percent of the world's wild plant species and one in every three bites of food consumed.

Mayor Bob Crowell said, “You said it (pollinator conservation) was really important; it's probably critically important. Pollinators are a critical component of the natural resources we have. The more information we can get out that bees are our friends, the better. And they really are our friend.”

For information about the Carson City Bee City USA program, contact Gillian Melor at buzzgbbn@gmail.com or visit www.carson.org.

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Carson City has designated the Carson City Bee City Committee — under the Great Basin Beekeepers of Nevada — the facilitating committee for Carson City's efforts to engage the community in promoting pollinator conservation.

This committee meets quarterly, with the first meeting scheduled for Jan. 9 at 10 a.m. at the Carson City Community Center, Bonanza Room and invites all Carson City residents to come to offer their ideas for pollinator-friendly initiatives. The more people and organizations involved, the sooner pollinator declines will be reversed.

The Carson City Board of Supervisors voted unanimously to become a Bee City USA. This completed the efforts of the Great Basin Beekeepers of Nevada and Carson City Parks, Recreation & Open Space to accomplish this certification. Bee City USA is an initiative of The Xerces Society for Invertebrate Conservation, a national nonprofit organization. Bee City USA's mission is to galvanize communities to sustain pollinators by providing them with healthy habitat, rich in a variety of native plants and nearly free of pesticides. Imperiled pollinators like honey bees, bumble bees, butterflies, moths,

Michael Allen Pharris March 7, 1950 ~ December 24, 2018



Michael left this Earth on Monday, December 24th unexpectedly in his home in Carson City, NV.

Born on March 7th, 1950, Michael started his life in San Francisco. Father Leland entered the military and the Pharris family had various homes around the world including England, Montana and the Carson City / Lake Tahoe area. Upon Michael's grandfather, Samuel Pharris, passing while living in Marla Bay where the family relocated to.

Michael was a good student, athlete and a deep lover of friends, family, dogs and co-workers, all of which he indeed loved deeply. His simple and non-pretentious approach to life was admirable in today's society.

Mike is survived by his son Mike Jr., daughter-in-law Eileen, granddaughters Kira and Lana, daughter Katherine Theresa, sister Kathy Mills and brother Patrick Pharris.

Life won't be the same, you will be sorely missed Mike, God Bless.

There will be a Celebration of Life on Saturday, January 12th @ 1pm at the Crossroads Lounge located at 300 E. Winnie Ln, Carson City, NV, 775-461-3988.



OBITUARIES

Ronald L. Wood, 85, of Dayton, Nevada, passed away on November 1, 2018. Arrangements are in the care of Fitzhenry's Funeral Home, 775-882-4965.

Gwendolyn Hanzlik, 72, passed away on January 2, 2019 in Carson City, Nevada. Arrangements are under the care of Walton's Chapel of the Valley, 775-882-4965.

David A. Sizemore, 62, died December 24, 2018 in Carson City, Nevada. Arrangements are in the care of Capitol City Cremation & Burial, 775-882-1766.



Raymond Joseph Mager April 22, 1940 ~ December 30, 2018

Raymond Joseph Mager, age 78, from Carson City, NV, quietly passed away in his sleep at Skyline Estates in Carson City, NV on December 30th, 2018. He was surrounded by family and friends.

Rav was born in Teaneck, NJ on April 22nd.

Raymond Joseph Mager, 88, died December 31, 2018 in