

City of Carson City
Agenda Report

Item # 11

Date Submitted: August 20, 2010

Agenda Date Requested: September 2, 2010

Time Requested: 15 Minutes

To: Mayor and Supervisors

From: Parks and Recreation Department

Subject Title: Action to accept the 2010 Carson City Indoor Recreation Needs Assessment Survey Report.
(Roger Moellendorf and Joel Dunn)

Staff Summary: On January 21, 2010, the Carson City Parks and Recreation Department received direction from the Board of Supervisors to conduct a recreation indoor needs assessment survey. This survey was to assess the current and future indoor recreation needs of Carson City residents. The survey was conducted by Parks and Recreation staff utilizing an electronic on-line survey program called "Survey Monkey." The survey was also available as a paper survey at two community outreach events and it was also available in both and English and Spanish in both the electronic and paper versions. In addition, staff took the survey to the Senior Citizen Center, the Boys and Girls Club, and to several recreation sports events. The survey results were presented to the Carson City Parks and Recreation Commission on July 13, 2010. The Parks and Recreation Commission made a recommendation at that time to forward the survey results to the Board of Supervisors.

Type of Action Requested: (check one)

Resolution

Ordinance

Formal Action/Motion

Presentation

Does This Action Require A Business Impact Statement: Yes No

Recommended Board Action: I move to accept the 2010 Carson City Indoor Recreation Needs Assessment Survey Report.

Explanation for Recommended Board Action: The Parks and Recreation Staff is asking the Board of Supervisors to accept the survey report. The following is a summary of Staff's conclusions: 1) There were 783 surveys turned in and 81.87% of the survey respondents claimed to be Carson City Residents, 2) For the most part, the demographics of the respondents closely mirrored the Carson City census demographics, 3) Performing arts displayed a strong preference in both the category "which activity would you and your family be willing to pay for," and the "prioritized top three preferred activities" category, 4) Excepting performing arts and the rifle and pistol range, the next 12 activities are all typical activities hosted by comprehensive recreation centers, 5) Teenagers were selected as the highest prioritized age group for new programs and activities (This is not a surprise to staff since the shortage of recreational facilities has prevented the Parks and Recreation Department from offering many teen programs), and 6) While Staff feels that additional gym space is one of our most critical needs, the survey indicates that a comprehensive recreation center would be a valuable facility to provide the indoor recreational needs and desires of our community. This is consistent with the results of the "2005 Public Opinion Survey" results that was conducted as part of the "Parks and Recreation Master Plan" which indicated that survey respondents gave the lowest "satisfaction" ranking to indoor recreation facilities. Fifty-seven percent of the respondents stated they were unsatisfied with the availability of indoor recreation opportunities in Carson City. In addition, the "Parks and Recreation Master Plan" stated, "There is a significant need for sports opportunities for teens, especially in the areas of basketball and volleyball."

Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation: N/A

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Explanation of Impact: N/A

Funding Source: N/A

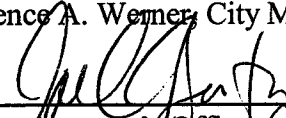
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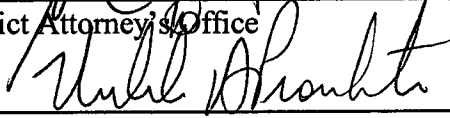
Supporting Material:

- 1) Carson City Recreation Division Indoor Recreation Needs Assessment Survey - English version
- 2) Carson City Recreation Division Indoor Recreation Needs Assessment Survey - Spanish version
- 3) Carson City Recreation Indoor Needs Assessment Survey Results
- 4) Minutes from the July 13, 2010, Carson City Parks and Recreation Commission meeting

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Reviewed By:  **Date:** 8/24/10
Lawrence A. Werner, City Manager

 **Date:** 8/24/2010
District Attorney's Office

 **Date:** 8/24/10
Finance Department

Board Action Taken:

Motion: _____ 1: _____ Aye/Nay
2: _____ _____

(Vote Recorded By)

CCRD Indoor Recreation Needs Assessment PF

1.

The Carson City Recreation Division (CCRD) would like to thank you for participating in the 2010 Indoor Recreation Needs Survey. Your participation will help CCRD better assess any unmet indoor recreation programs/activities desired by the residents of Carson City.

1. Have you or any member of your household used the following CCRD facility within the past twelve months?

	Yes	No
Aquatics Facility	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Center Bob Boldrick Theater	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Center Fitness Room	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Center Gym	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Center Meeting Room	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. Have you or any member of your household used a city/county operated aquatics facility (outside of Carson City) within the past twelve months?

Yes No

If (yes) Where & Why?

3. Have you or any member of your household used a city/county operated performance theater (outside of Carson City) within the past twelve months?

Yes No

If (yes) Where & Why?

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8. From the following list of INDOOR activities, check the activities in which you and/or your family would pay to participate if offered.

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> A. Aquatic Fitness | <input type="checkbox"/> M. Performing Arts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B. Archery Lanes | <input type="checkbox"/> N. Pickleball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> C. Baseball/Softball Cages | <input type="checkbox"/> O. Racquetball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D. Basketball | <input type="checkbox"/> P. Rock/Climbing Wall |
| <input type="checkbox"/> E. Boxing | <input type="checkbox"/> Q. Rifle/Pistol Shooting Range |
| <input type="checkbox"/> F. Cardio Fitness | <input type="checkbox"/> R. Running/Walking Track |
| <input type="checkbox"/> G. Dancing | <input type="checkbox"/> S. Skate Board Park |
| <input type="checkbox"/> H. Golf Cages | <input type="checkbox"/> T. Soccer/Futsal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I. Gymnastics | <input type="checkbox"/> U. Strength/Weight Lifting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> J. Handball | <input type="checkbox"/> V. Tennis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> K. Hockey | <input type="checkbox"/> W. Volleyball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> L. Kickball | <input type="checkbox"/> X. Yoga |

Y. Other (please specify)

9. From the list above, prioritize you and your family's top three (3) preferred activities. (list the letter that represents your choice)

	Your Activities	Family's Activities
1st Priority Activity	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2nd Priority Activity	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3rd Priority Activity	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

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10. How many times do you and your family use a CCRD indoor recreation facility in an average year?

5 Times or Less

11 to 19 Times

6 to 10 Times

20 Times or More

11. What improvements to the current Carson City Indoor Recreation Facilities would increase the overall quality of experience for you and your family?

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ARE IN REGARD TO YOUR PERSONAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND WILL BE USED FOR COMPARITIVE PURPOSES ONLY.

12. Where do you and your family reside?

City/Town:

ZIP:

13. What is your age?

5-12 yrs

26-34 yrs

13-17 yrs

35-49 yrs

18-25 yrs

50+

14. Are you Male or Female?

Female

Male

15. How many miles (one way) from your residence is the Carson City Community Center?

2 Miles or Less

5 to 9 Miles

3 to 4 Miles

10 Miles or More

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16. How many people currently reside in your home?

- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

17. What is the age and grade of the children under 18yrs that live in your residence?

	Age	Grade
Child #1	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Child #2	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Child #3	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Child #4	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Child #5	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Child #6	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

18. What is your yearly household income?

- Under \$22,500 \$32,151 to \$51,450 \$64,301 and Over
 \$22,501 to \$32,150 \$51,451 to \$64,300

19. How many years have you lived in Carson City?

- 5 yrs or Less 20 yrs or More
 6 to 10 yrs Not a Carson City Resident
 11 to 19 yrs

Thank you for participating in the 2010 Indoor Recreation Needs Survey. Your participation will help define indoor recreation programs/activities to be offered to the residents of Carson City.

PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR SURVEY TO THE CCRD EMPLOYEE LOCATED AT THE SOUTH EXIT.

CCRD Indoor Recreation Needs Assessment PFS

1.

La División de Recreación de la Ciudad de Carson (CCRD) quisiera darle las gracias por su participación en la encuesta de las necesidades de recreación bajo techo para el 2010. Su participación ayudará a evaluar mejor el CCRD y todos los programas no cubiertos tal como las actividades deseadas por los habitantes de la ciudad de Carson City.

1. ¿Usted o algún miembro de su hogar utiliza el siguiente servicio del CCRD en los últimos doce meses?

	Sí	No
Gimnasio del Centro Comunitario	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Instalaciones Acuáticas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sala de Fitness del Centro Comunitario	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sala de Reunión del Centro Comunitario	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Teatro del Centro Comunitario Bob Boldrick	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. ¿Usted o algún miembro de su hogar ha utilizado las instalaciones acuáticas de la ciudad/condado (fuera de Carson City) en los últimos doce meses?

Sí No

Si (sí) ¿Dónde y por qué?

3. ¿Usted o algún miembro de su hogar a utilizado el teatro fuera de la ciudad/condado en los últimos doce meses?

Sí No

Si (sí) ¿Dónde y por qué?

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8. De la siguiente lista de actividades bajo techo, marque las actividades que usted y/o su familia participaría si estas fueran ofrecidas, aunque usted tuviera que pagar para participar.

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> A. Fitness Acuático | <input type="checkbox"/> M. Artes Escénicas |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B. Carriles de Tiro con Arco | <input type="checkbox"/> N. Pickleball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> C. Béisbol/Jaulas de Softbol | <input type="checkbox"/> O. Racquetball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D. Baloncesto | <input type="checkbox"/> P. Rock/Escalada de Muro |
| <input type="checkbox"/> E. Boxeo | <input type="checkbox"/> Q. Rifle/Pistola Campo de Tiro |
| <input type="checkbox"/> F. Cardio Fitness | <input type="checkbox"/> R. Correr/Caminar Pista |
| <input type="checkbox"/> G. Balle | <input type="checkbox"/> S. Parque de Patinaje (Patinar) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> H. Las jaulas de golf | <input type="checkbox"/> T. Fútbol/Fútbol de Salon |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I. Gimnasia | <input type="checkbox"/> U. Fuerza/Levantamiento de pesas |
| <input type="checkbox"/> J. Balonmano | <input type="checkbox"/> V. Tenis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> K. Hockey | <input type="checkbox"/> W. Voleibol |
| <input type="checkbox"/> L. Kickball | <input type="checkbox"/> X. Yoga |

Y. Otros (especificar)

9. De la lista anterior, establezca las prioridades de usted y de su familia las tres (3) actividades preferidas.

1ra Actividad Prioritaria

Sus Actividades

Actividades de su familia (familiar)

2da Actividad Prioritaria

3ra Actividad Prioritaria

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10. ¿Cuántas veces usted y su familia utilizan las instalaciones de recreaciones bajo techo del CCRD en promedio de un año?

5 veces o menos

6 a 10 veces

11 a 19 veces

20 veces o más

11. ¿En Carson City qué mejoras a las actuales instalaciones bajo techo recreacionales aumentaría la calidad y experiencia en general para usted y su familia?

Las siguientes preguntas son con respecto a su DEMOGRAFÍA PERSONAL y se utilizará para fines comparativos SOLAMENTE.

12. ¿Donde residen usted y su familia?

Ciudad/Pueblo:

Estado:

Código Postal:

13. ¿Cuál es su edad?

5-12 años

13-17 años

18-25 años

26-34 años

35-49 años

50 +

14. ¿Genero?

Masculino

Femenino

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15. ¿Cuál es la distancia de su residencia al Centro Comunitario de Carson City?

2 millas o menos

5 a 9 millas

3 a 4 millas

10 millas o más

16. ¿Cuántas personas residen actualmente en su casa?

1

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

10

17. ¿Cuál es la edad y el grado de los niños menores de 18 años que viven en su residencia?

	Edad	Grado
Niño # 1	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Niño # 2	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Niño # 3	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Niño # 4	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Niño # 5	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Niño # 6	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

18. ¿Cuál es su ingreso anual?

Menos de \$ 22.500

\$ 32.151 a \$ 51.450

\$ 64.301 y Más

\$ 22.501 a \$ 32.150

\$ 51.451 a \$ 64.300

19. ¿Cuántos años ha vivido en Carson City?

5 años o menos

20 años o más

6 a 10 años

No es un residente de la Ciudad de Carson

11 a 19 años

Gracias por su participación en la encuesta y sus necesidades del 2010 de las recreaciones bajo techo. Su participación ayudara a definir las actividades/programas recreacionales bajo techo ofrecidas a los residentes de Carson City.

POR FAVOR PRESENTE ESTA ENCUESTA A ALGUNO DE LOS EMPLEADOS DE "CCRD" LOCALIZADO EN LA PUERTA DEL SUR.

CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY

ONLINE SURVEY	COUNT
Survey Participants	783

Online - English Survey Participants	380
Online - Spanish Survey Participants	4

Paper - English Survey Participants	371
Paper - Spanish Survey Participants	28

What is your age?	Needs Survey	2008 U.S. Census
5-12 yrs	4.3%	7.4%
13-17 yrs	6.6%	12.4%
18-25 yrs	14.9%	6.2%
26-34 yrs	17.6%	11.2%
35-49 yrs	27.8%	27.6%
50+	28.6%	28.8%

Are you Male or Female?	Needs Survey	2008 U.S. Census
Male	48.7%	51.2%
Female	51.3%	48.8%

CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY

How many years have you lived in Carson City?

Answer Options	Percent
5 yrs or Less	11.6%
6 to 10 yrs	18.3%
11 to 19 yrs	22.0%
20 yrs or More	35.5%

What is your yearly household income?

Answer Options	Percent
Under \$22,500	13.3%
\$22,501 to \$32,150	8.7%
\$32,151 to \$51,450	22.5%
\$51,451 to \$64,300	16.6%
\$64,301 and Over	38.7%

CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY

Where do you and your family reside?

		Percent
Carson City	89423	0.26%
Carson City	89521	0.13%
Carson City	89701	39.90%
Carson City	89702	0.91%
Carson City	89703	18.65%
Carson City	89704	0.26%
Carson City	89705	1.68%
Carson City	89706	19.95%
Carson City	89799	0.13%
Carson City Total		81.87%

		Percent
Dayton	89403	5.70%
Fallon	89406	0.26%
Gardnerville	89460	2.59%
Genoa	89411	0.13%
Minden	89423	2.20%
Moundhouse	89706	0.39%
Oakland	94610	0.13%
Reno	84521-89701	3.37%
San Jose	95128	0.13%
South Lake Tahoe	96150	0.26%
Sparks	95128	0.65%
Stagecoach	89425	0.78%
Sun Valley	89433	0.13%
Walker	96107	0.13%
Washoe Valley	89704	0.26%
Wellington	89444	0.13%
Yerington	89447	0.65%
Zephyr Cove	89448	0.26%
Non-Resident Total		18.13%

CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY

Have you or any member of your household used the following CCRD facility within the past twelve months?

	YES	NO	COUNT
Community Center Gym	37%	63%	722
Community Center Meeting Room	37%	63%	713
Community Center Fitness Room	37%	63%	717
Aquatics Facility	35%	65%	754
Community Center Bob Boldrick Theater	35%	65%	761

How many times do you and your family use a CCRD indoor recreation facility in an average year?

5 Times or Less	45.1%
6 to 10 Times	15.7%
11 to 19 Times	12.9%
20 Times or More	26.3%

Have you or any member of your household used a city/county operated aquatics facility (outside of Carson City) within the past twelve months?

Yes	24.8%	194
No	75.2%	589

Have you or any member of your household used a city/county operated performance theater (outside of Carson City) within the past twelve months?

Yes	16.2%	127
No	83.8%	656

Have you or any member of your household used a city/county operated fitness room (outside of Carson City) within the past twelve months?

Yes	6.4%	50
No	93.6%	733

Have you or any member of your household used a city/county operated gymnasium/court (outside of Carson City) within the past twelve months?

Yes	7.9%	62
No	92.1%	721

Have you or any member of your household used a city/county operated meeting room (outside of Carson City) within the past twelve months?

Yes	7.6%	60
No	92.4%	723

CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY

If Carson City Recreation was to offer new programs/activities, how would you prioritize the age appropriate programming?

	1st Priority	2nd Priority	3rd Priority	COUNT
Teens (13-17yrs)	34.0%	30.7%	19.3%	638
Youth (5-12yrs)	27.1%	28.6%	19.7%	572
Adults (18-49yrs)	12.4%	14.6%	30.3%	432
Toddlers (1-4yrs)	8.5%	9.3%	13.3%	235
Active Aging (50+)	11.5%	8.7%	10.5%	232
Disabled (Any Age)	6.5%	8.0%	7.0%	163

From the following list of INDOOR activities, check the activities in which you and/or your family would pay to participate if offered.

	Percent	Count
1- Baseball/Softball Cages	39.2%	307
2- Performing Arts	36.7%	287
3- Aquatic Fitness	36.7%	287
4- Running/Walking Track	36.3%	284
5- Rock/Climbing Wall	34.1%	267
6- Cardio Fitness	33.8%	265
7- Basketball	33.2%	260
8- Dancing	33.0%	258
9- Rifle/Pistol Shooting Range	30.4%	238
10- Yoga	28.4%	222
11- Boxing	28.2%	221
12- Strength/Weight Lifting	27.6%	216
13- Soccer/Futsal	26.7%	209
14- Volleyball	25.9%	203
15- Golf Cages	25.7%	201
16- Tennis	23.9%	187
17- Racquetball	22.7%	178
18- Archery Lanes	19.4%	152
19- Skate Board Park	19.4%	152
20- Gymnastics	17.8%	139
21- Hockey	17.1%	134
22- Kickball	15.6%	122
23- Handball	9.1%	71
24- Pickleball	5.1%	40
Other (please specify)		65

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Other (please specify)

- 1 BOWLING
- 2 AEROBICS
- 3 BIKING
- 4 Football
- 5 Zumba dance classes
- 6 Horseback activities; such as trail riding
- 7 Community art classes/ pottery
- 8 Football league for adults 18+
- 9 Zumba
- 10 Football
- 11 football league for adults 18+
- 12 football
- 13 football
- 14 Dodgeball
- 15 Pottery
- 16 Community art classes, Pottery
- 17 horseback activities; such as trail riding
- 18 football
- 19 Visual Arts (painting, drawing, ceramics, etc...)
- 20 Current room at senior center for table tennis is too small, need a somewhat larger room
- 21 squash courts
- 22 hula hooping
- 23 Certainly not ice skating
- 24 Karate--The Goju Shorei Karate was a huge benefit.
- 25 Community Events that are not Performing Arts
- 26 rollerblading.
- 27 Prefer outdoor activities
- 28 spinning
- 29 wallyball (volleyball in a racquetball court)
- 30 open gym time for cheerleaders
- 31 Indoor Fun Center
- 32 indoor race track
- 33 Musical Theatre performances
- 34 open swimming
- 35 Roller Skating Rink
- 36 none
- 37 ice skating
- 38 Ice Skating
- 39 We do not believe a gym located at the Boys & Girls club will really serve the community.
- 40 Another location should be found such as closer to the Community Center.
- 41 Roller Skating Rink
- 42 Theatre/musicals/opera
- 43 Ice Hockey, generally an indoor sport.
- 44 none
- 45 Fencing
- 46 Ping-Pong
- 47 spinning class (bicycle)
- 48 Band and Orchestra events
- 49 fencing
- 50 Definitely Racquetball- there are no courts anywhere in this area at the current time!
- 51 equestrian
- 52 Art Classes / Music Classes
- 53 Tai Che
- 54 I find the outdoor rifle and pistol range satisfactory, in general.
- 55 Inline hockey or Ice Hockey
- 56 kayaking
- 57 Pilates
- 58 Badminton
- 59 Table Tennis
- 60 Music
- 61 Roller hockey
- 62 ice skating rink
- 63 currently attend Terri's classes
- 64 Martial Arts
- 65 Soccer

CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY

From the following list, prioritize you and your family's top three (3) preferred activities.

PRIORITIZED ACTIVITIES

	1-Performing Arts	2-Baseball Softball Cages	3-Aquatic Fitness	4-Running Walking Track	5-Soccer Futsal	6-Basketball	7-Cardio Fitness
1st Priority	219	182	144	86	198	93	75
2nd Priority	81	117	102	112	57	112	86
3rd Priority	63	63	72	113	44	77	86
TOTAL	363	362	318	311	299	282	247

	8-Rifle Pistol Shooting Range	9-Dancing	10-Yoga	11-Rock Climbing Wall	12-Golf Cages	13-Strength/Weight Lifting	14-Volleyball
1st Priority	70	41	45	39	46	13	27
2nd Priority	82	78	63	58	50	62	40
3rd Priority	73	72	71	73	56	65	69
TOTAL	225	191	179	170	152	140	136

	15-Racquetball	16-Hockey	17-Tennis	18-Archery Lanes	19-Boxing	20-Skate Board Park	21-Gymnastics
1st Priority	63	51	30	39	13	28	8
2nd Priority	37	43	38	27	28	18	34
3rd Priority	35	25	41	26	45	34	36
TOTAL	135	119	109	92	86	80	78

	22-Kickball	23-Handball	24-Pickleball	Other
1st Priority	4	6	4	51
2nd Priority	20	7	3	26
3rd Priority	25	12	7	42
TOTAL	49	25	14	119

CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY

What improvements to the current Carson City Indoor Recreation Facilities would increase the overall quality of experience for you and your family?

- 1 less cost
- 2 BIGGER GYM
- 3 Better floor
- 4 offer good times
- 5 A complete recreation center
- 6 update equipment.
- 7 more fields
- 8 More youth prorams
- 9 More sitting for spectators.
- 10 New Floor- Tile floor is terrible.
- 11 Better sound in the fitness room. Improved weights, treadmill area.
- 12 Increase hours for the pool, especially sundays.
- 13 New basketball court, more basketball
- 14 More trees and water fountains.
- 15 Sections designed for toddlers.
- 16 Shade/ Trees
- 17 More advertisement
- 18 Better baksetball court
- 19 Cleanliness
- 20 More basketball courts
- 21 Advertisement- didnt know all these existed
- 22 Basketball
- 23 We would go visit a lot more often if there were more family activities at good prices and times that we could all go after work. Times when parents and childern can go together.
- 24 Ping Pong
- 25 Better Benches
- 26 Activities
- 27 longer open gym
- 28 longer open gym
- 29 longer open gym
- 30 as listed on #8
- 31 Keep gym cleaner
- 32 More gym space for basketball.
- 33 more options
- 34 cost decrease
- 35 More supervision
- 36 to have more options
- 37 Better facilities acomadating a wide range of ages for good prices.
- 38 More advertisement
- 39 more family oriented activities
- 40 For the swimmin area to have more precist hours
- 41 painting the walls
- 42 Make Programs Affordable
- 43 Clean and safe
- 44 Low Price
- 45 Basketball

- 46 Avertisement- did know all these exsisted
- 47 More basketball courts
- 48 None all good!
- 49 nothing
- 50 Raquetball
- 51 Cleanliness
- 52 Better umpes
- 53 Better basketball gym
- 54 more advertisements
- 55 shaded/trees
- 56 section designed for toddlers
- 57 more trees and water fountains
- 58 None
- 59 More adult activities
- 60 Increased hours at the pool. Specifically Sunday.
- 61 Better sound in fitbess room (now has a lot of echo). Improved weights/treadmill area.
- 62 new floor - tile floor is terrible
- 63 more sitting for spectators
- 64 Nothing I like it.
- 65 If offered youth programs (more)
- 66 New basketball court, more basketball
- 67 Offer good times
- 68 A complete recreation center
- 69 Update equipment
- 70 Football
- 71 The swimming area would like for it to be more precist on hours
- 72 more family oriented activities
- 73 Better facilities accomadating a wide range of ages for good prices
- 74 More supervision
- 75 Cost Decrease
- 76 more fields
- 77 more options
- 78 More gym space for basketball.
- 79 more options
- 80 Pool olympic size
- 81 keep gym cleaner
- 82 New Floor in Gym
- 83 longer open gym
- 84 activities
- 85 none
- 86 everything is meeting my needs
- 87 everything meets my needs
- 88 better benches
- 89 ping pong
- 90 Would visit more if there were more family activities at good prices at times that we could go. After work.
- 91 New Floor in Gym
- 92 test from John Wilkinson
- 93 New Gym Floor

- 94 Offering more sport activities for the kids and improving the work out facilities.
- 95 Our old recreation center desperately needs a facelift and renovation. I'm not sure that with our cheapskate citizenry if that's ever going to be possible until the current crop of curmudgeons goes to that great tea party in the sky. Racquetball courts would be fun as would saunas, batting cages, and archery lanes.
- 96 Updated basketball and soccer/futsal courts preferably paid for on a per use basis, if at all.
- 97 I think you're doing great, and can't think of any needed improvements.
- 98 Aquatic center does not have enough lanes for public use at all times.
- 99 We just moved to Carson approx. 6 months ago. We have used the aquatic center facility mostly. It would be nice if the rec department would offer visual arts classes for people of all ages. Reasonably priced visual arts classes are severely lacking in Carson City. If the rec department cannot fund these types of classes, there is always an option of provided space and bringing in organizations such as VSA of Nevada--just a thought. Thanks for the survey by the way! It's nice to be heard.
- 100 A walking track
- 101 redu it
- 102 fitness Q 9 above requires a family answer; some of us live alone
- 103 The city uses tax dollars to provide services that are not generally available commercially. For example, soccer and baseball fields would not be something a private enterprise would provide. Since Wal Mart moved into Douglas County and took out the raquetball facilities, there have been none available in thie area. Commercial fitness centers would rather use the space to put in machines (more people per sq ft) than raquetball. Adults are more likely to play raquetball, and adults are the ones who pay taxes. Use some of the tax dollars provides by the adults in this community to provide access to a sport we like.
- 104 A nice indoor track.
- 105 not sure
- 106 racquetball and squash courts. mind boggling that a city of 50K doesnt have even one facility.
- 107 more programs
- 108 Have a process for getting new classes that is friendly. When I went to the Community Center office and talked with a staff member about a new fitness teacher the staff member was not helpful and was FROSTY to the idea of new classes.
- 109 Keep the equipment up to date.
- 110 Better sound system and or pickup for the theater. A indoor slide at the pool. A warm or therapy pool for the family use New shower timing valves.
- 111 updated weight training and cardio equipment would be nice
- 112 More choices!
- 113 Numerous modern bicycle racks available outside.
- 114 Our aquatic facility could take some lessons from the Minden Aquatic Facility. I know our pool is for competition; however, that is o nly a few times a year. Upgrading to a family friendly facility would be a huge benefit to our community. Our Theater needs an upgraded sound system; that, or someone who KNOWS how to use the system already in place!! A lot of quality to the performances has been lost with either a poor sound system or poor handling of the system. Listen to the citizens, the people who use the facilities, the families--NOT some downtown redevelopment people with utopian ideas. And seriously, take some hints from Minden. They're very family friendly, community minded--they've got a lot of things right :)
- 115 Replace the tile floor.
- 116 To have a racquetball court and offer more teams where one person can join
- 117 Renovation to building and updated activities.
- 118 Make the theater ar real theater or build a new one.
- 119 Options and opportunities. We are a very active family and love the hiking trails and open space/parks Carson has, but the indoor offerings are poor. Sierra In-Line Hockey does a great job, but I'd like to see the rink open year round. Carson could use some gym space with room for yoga and other fitness/lifestlye activities and Raquetball courts.
- 120 Expand the shooting range.
- 121 would use the facilities more with the improvements to areas indicated above
- 122 My number one request would be: I would like to see MORE basketball courts, so that the kids can play at earlier times. Having 11 year-old girls finishing their games at 8:40 pm on a school night is way too late, but I understand that this is a result of a shortage of facilities. I understand it gets even later as the kids get older, and I am not looking forward to that. The "draft" for the

recreational basketball program needs to be an open process, and parents should have the opportunity to provide feedback about the coaches. Some coaches are exceptional with the kids, while others choose the 2 or 3 best athletes and only work with them the entire season. Number two request: The swimming pool needs some indoor slides and play features to be competitive with the Carson Valley Swim Center. Number three request: The performing arts facility at the Community Center desperately needs to be improved, broken seats, etc.

- 123 I think expanding the facilities to be more inclusive of other activities and modernizing the facilities would be a nice improvement. Maybe also do more to integrate the recreation department with recreation opportunities in our community, like hiking and mountain biking.
- 124 Provide good management to the city's open spaces.
- 125 More space!
- 126 RACQUETBALL RACQUETBALL RACQUETBALL
- 127 Rec center and improve the pool -- more slides at pool
- 128 Make kids supervised.
- 129 Please allow open gym use of the gymnasium in the mornings, especially in the winter when there is inclement weather, and school is in session. It is a great place for us moms to work out, and be able to bring our toddlers along, so they can play and get some exercise, too, when the weather is bad outside. I have no objection to a small drop-in rate to pay for expenses, but please stop restricting access on an apparently random basis, with no advance warning other than a sign on the door the day of. This facility is paid for by the taxpayers of Carson City, of which I am one, and I feel that we should be able to use it, especially if there is nothing else going on in the space at that time. The last few years, it was open for "toddler time" most mornings, and there was never anyone else in there, so why is it that all of a sudden, we are banned from using the gymnasium?
- 130 I really enjoy being able to use your gym during bad weather for work outs..
- 131 More family typ programs. An indoor walking/jogging track, a climbing wall, a fitness area with strength machines and an indoor leisure pool with slides and fountains.
- 132 Bigger fitness facilities; more aerobics classes; an indoor walking/running track.
You should model the rec center after what Douglas County has up at Kahle Park - that's awesome!
- 133 If they were more modern. I would really love to have racuetball courts.
- 134 none - do not use.
- 135 Let us use the indoor gym during bad weather!
- 136 steamroom
- 137 We use the pool during the summer mostly, but I would really like a Yoga class that was around 3pm offered for those of us who get off work earlier. The 5pm or later classes are way to late, as they are in the middle of homework and dinner time. I would also prefer to find the schedule on the internet, as I am more likely to look up activities I want to do on the internet, rather than drive out of my way to pick up a schedule.
- 138 Indoor Track. Bike park not shared with skateboards. More alert life guards.
- 139 Stop taking things away. think about what is best for the citizens and not your selfs. Government is about whats best for the people not the politicl party. we were never ment to be ran like a bussiness.
- 140 More things to do for our youth at a reasonable cost. Our youth are bored and finding drugs and alcohol to occupy their time causing problems at our schools, the home life/structure and the community. I work with youth and I all hear about is how boring Carson City is and there is nothing to do. I currently do not live in Carson City but will be relocating in the near future, however I work with the community in the Carson City area.
- 141 A new Facility is needed so bad. You could address so many needs in one building if it is constructed accordingly, for today's youth and elders. It is needed.
- 142 Earlier evening time for aquatic classes
- 143 Longer hours available to the public.
- 144 More available activities. More user friendly
- 145 Shower facilities near to cardio classes.
- 146 More of a leisure pool atmosphere with warmer pools.
- 147 more activities for the adult age group to participate in.
- 148 More "open" hours.
- 149 Aquatic Facility - Remove the parking spaces directly adjacent to the west side of the outdoor pool. Then expand the pool deck to the west and provide three (20' x 20') birthday party cabannas. It would allow the City the opportunity to offer birthday parties during the summer months. The relocated chainlink fence could have green slats in the new.

fence fabric to block the westerly winds. Aquatic Facility - Add public art to the lobby area and fitness room. Don't we have an Arts and Cultural Commission in this town. What do they do? Who's brain child was that advisory board? Anyway, this could be one of their first projects. Or do these guys just look at the belly buttons? Have them go raise money to bring public art to a City facility. Aquatic Facility - Can't someone pick out wall colors for the pool area Or now going out on a limb --- a mural? However, the flags are a nice touch!!! Community Center Lobby - It is a theater lobby and one of the first impressions then boring white? Even a couple of colors would be nice. A two tone color scheme for the pool - Imagine the possibilities. new visitors have when they come to the Community Center. Could that good for nothing Arts and Cultural Commission fork up some money for over head banners, images of butterflys, anything or imagine -an overhead art feature? Isn't the Community Center in the redevelopment district? If they (BOS) can give \$75,000 to summer events downtown (which is a good idea), why can't they give \$15,000 to the community center to spuce up the lobby with public art. Or really step out and have a local artist competition... for this lobby art feature. We can find funds for art features on the freeway. Why not the Community Center lobby? By the way in all city buildings -- Color, Color and more Color.... Screw earth tones... Let's live a little, folks! However, I really do like the lobby's floor tile. It was a great improvement over the old brown and stained carpet. Good job!! Community Center Gym - How about a mural ??? I realize it is a gym but a two tone color sheme might be something to consider. Additional parking could help during times when there are multiple activities going on at the Aquatic Facility and Theater.

- 150 More hoops
- 151 Stop catering to the swim team, high school, and lane swimmers and give Carson a decent time to use the pool that we have.
- 152 Having time set aside for "open gym" where the public can come in and use the gym, without reservations (for basketball, walking/running, childrens play during winter weather, etc.)
- 153 We would actually like to use the facilities more, but the reason we don't is because each organized activity that we attend there has been very disorganized. I think to increase the overall quality of experience for my family is to be organized and have a set plan when implementing activities.
- 154 Upgrade the equipment in the excercise room, perhaps a larger space would also help. Enclose the Tennis Courts so that people can play in the wintertime-have volleyball nets and space. The swimming pools are okay but the restrooms are gross. Offer Ballroom dance classes, kickboxing, self-defense courses, think outside the box and create more choices and times that people can participate, most people have to work during the day and are not able to leave work at 10:00 a.m. for a class that they might like to take.
- 155 I think we are fine with the facilities we currently have. I think we need to address public safety concerns and other issues before we spend money on additional recreation ventures.
- 156 We really liked coming for stroller workout and toddler time.. especially in the winter months. Hope to be able to do something like that in the mornings again next year, even if we pay a drop in fee.. Thanks!!
- 157 one location, better parking, conveinent hours, less populated areas/more equip
- 158 Improved Fitness Facility. (Weight Room updated would be great!!)
- 159 Availability for more youth & Adult Soccer/Futsol as there are many limitations regarding times for adults (Late games 9PM or later) which do not allow the family to attend and no offerings for youth Futsol during winter season.
- 160 More gym space for basketball.
- 161 Locker rooms in the aquatic center are too small. The pool water could be cleaner - seems murkey at times, like the filter isn't working well. The seating in the community center theatre could be raked better. It's too difficult to see over the person sitting in front of you.
- 162 I use the gym at the Aquatic Facility quite often, and the treadmills are very old. I don't like to run more than 2 miles at a time on them because I'm afraid of injury. The weight machines are also pretty old and it might be time to replace them too.
- 163 More seating in theater.. more equipment for performing arts... Baseball cages with or w/o pitching machines.
- 164 Seating in Boldrick Theater
- 165 New seats in auditorium. Improve parking, Add bleachers in gymnasium.
- 166 Please allow 'Open Gym' in the mornings (even for a drop-in rate)--as a mom, we have very few places in Carson City to meet in the winter with our little ones.
- 167 Expanded parking availability during events that co-occur in the park and community center. Larger indoor pool with early morning times that do not conflict with the Tiger Sharks activities (these are very important), but not always

- upgrade the seating; finally revamp the stage to make it better for those who have to use it.
- 208 Keep the Boldrick Theater open and fully staved!
- 209 Modernize it!
- 210 Another gym to allow for more indoor sports that don't have to share space at late hours
- 211 In the sports area, we definitely need better and more facilities for the population of our city. It is essential to keep kids on the right track to keep busy with sports and extra curricular activities.
- 212 More musician friendly areas such as places to put our cases or set up percussion.
- 213 More mid-day offerings
- 214 More venues, and cheaper entrance fees for plays etc.
- 215 Structured and "enforced" lap swimming lanes and guards that were proactive in organizing swimmers to utilize the appropriate lanes.
- 216 We are on the Carson City Symphony Board but live in Fallon. Our biggest interest in the Carson City Community Center is with the arts in the auditorium. If there were some state government meeting in one of the meeting rooms or in the auditorium that had an impact on us in Churchill County we would likely utilize the facility.
- 217 Improvements to the Carson Community Center to improve the quality of the theater experience
- 218 Improvements to the theater
- 219 The community center could use a spruce up visually to attract more attention/audience
- 220 An increase in Jerry Vance's class schedule.
- 221 Better weather protection at Hocey facility. (May not be considered indoor facility?)
- 222 Expansion of the facilities that we currently have so that they can offer more use and be made more available allowing more flexibility for scheduling other use groups (age). Build or lease more facilities to make them available for an ice facility or a roller skating rink that not only can provide for inline hockey but also for general use as in public skating sessions.
- 223 THE PONY EXPRESS COULD BE AN INDOOR FACILITY THAT WOULD HELP WITH THE INLINE HOCKEY LEAGUE SO WEATHER DOES NOT CANCEL ANY GAMES SCHEDULED.
- 224 Offer a better selection of exercise classes for a wider group of adults and at times that are more appropriate for working people. A larger meeting room would be better also.
- 225 Need more/larger facilities. The Community Center struggles to house the youth basketball teams/schedules. The Community Center is used for so many events that often the regular kids programs get moved/disrupted. We need another facility to ease the load and allow for other programs.
- 226 more advertising of upcoming events/subjects/seasons/classes offered. Once a year, you seem to forget that these things are happening and available.
- 227 opening aquatic facility at 5:30 instead of 5:45. The extra 15 minutes would allow a lot of people to get a better workout in before work. Offering affordable gymnastics classes for large families. Putting five children into any activity can be very expensive and multiple child discounts would be helpful even for families not considered "low income".
- 228 Better seats/seating in the theater. More rooms for different activities to take place at the same time.
More gym space for free court times for working people - evenings and weekends.
- 229 Offer discounts to employees. Hold classes during lunch hours, (dance, fitness). Have employee game night.
Have employee teams for basketball and volleyball.
- 230 It serves it's purpose for our family
- 231 Carson City needs to keep residents in Carson City. If this means to offer more recreational programming well then that is what you need to offer to the residents of Carson City.
- 232 Indoor walking track, leisure pool, rock climbing wall, fitness room, strength training room, child care room.
- 233 It would be nice if the gymnasium was swept on occasion. It is so dangerous to have the kids running around on a dirty floor when they are playing basketball. They slide all over the place. The programs also need to be managed better. The person in charge of the programs doesn't call back. The pool could use more open swim times.
The Minden Pool has pools open all the time. It is worth the drive.
- 234 Create an environment where a parent can come and 'work out' while the kids are doing safe activities, and everyone can meet back together in a common area.
- 235 The aquatic facility feels like it belongs to the Tigersharks, not the city!
- 236 Larger locker rooms in the aquatic center. A larger performing arts center.

- 237 New activities as listed above
- 238 The Community Center courts are very slippery, which is dangerous. So we think they should definitely be resurfaced!
The Community Pool should offer convenient free swim hours throughout the day and a more kid-friendly atmosphere at least in one pool. Maybe an expansion would be possible to offer more pools, slides, birthday party space!!
- 239 My principal recreation activity, other than rifle and pistol shooting (both at the outdoor range and at the indoor high school range), is performing with the Capital City Community Band, which uses the Bob Boldrick Theater several times per year.
- 240 Tennis courts are nice but beginners need a wall or backboard to learn the sport. We used to have a cement wall in Mills Park for kids to learn on and I believe this is needed once again. Batting cages are nice and fun for all ages.
- 241 Construct a stand alone wall surrounding the Pony Express Pavilion with a diaphragm creating a weather tight system such that the stand alone walls do not impart wind or any other loads on the structural system of the Pony Express Pavillion
- 242 I just go to see theater productions, so any improvements to the theater are nice, but not critical.
- 243 Plenty of fitness machines like treadmills.
- 244 Use the "old" Library, when the new one is constructed, for fitness activities.
- 245 racketball courts facility closer to my home (I'm just dreaming now)
- 246 Add 10 - 15 Table Tennis tables and Barriers. Easy set up ones, Locked Storage Space for tables, wood floor, indoors, doubles as a meeting room for City hobby groups.
- 247 Sierra In Line Hockey League needs an indoor facility!
- 248 Converting the Pony Express Pavilion to be protected from the weather and have permanent hockey year-round would be greatly appreciated. The facility has a good foundation but could be built up to have rentable space for birthday parties and skating/hockey for our community. Roseville, CA has an incredible facility with 2 rinks for ice skating, one for hockey and one for family skating and six or more party rooms which are booked solid every weekend.
- 249 more basketball hoops, more activities to be done
- 250 New chairs in the theater; tiered rows
- 251 If the public pool is for the public, then offer more for families and individuals. If the public pool is strictly for private use, then don't advertise that the pool is open to the public. As a Carson City tax payer and monthly pass holder, I'm tired of private parties getting first choice at the deep end of a public pool. Because of budget cuts, the private sector has been screwed on swim time and lap availability. Pay more - get less!
- 252 The current indoor facilities really aren't adequate for any activities outside of the gym, swimming center, fitness room, theatre and the cardio activities in the little room off the side of the gym. The Pony Express Pavilion cannot be called an indoor facility however we do enjoy watching hockey throughout the season and we attend the farmer's market regularly. I would love to see an indoor facility offer many sports and activities. We have visited many other city's indoor facilities and often wonder why we've never had anything built for our community and outer communities as well.
- 253 Sierra In Line Hockey. I believe this sport would grow leaps and bounds with an indoor rink. Lets fill up the empty building in this community.
- 254 Have an indoor hockey rink that is open all year round so u could play when it's raining and sometimes freeskate
- 255 Return Sunday Lap Swimming, ? Vounteers to help with cost
- 256 An indoor roller hockey rink would provide a year round hockey experience and allow Carson City to host tournaments that can would bring in valuable tax revenue as well as support our local businesses. A bigger more modern performing arts center would serve the community by allowing for larger more professional performances to be held and also help bring in more tax revenue and support our local businesses.
- 257 More gym space.
- 258 You are so lucky to have a better aquatic facility then Reno...please take care of it!!!
- 259 A higher-tech facility would attract our family
- 260 They should put a indoor hockey rink because most of the games we do get canceled by the Weather we have so it would be way better & Funner for the Roller Hockey Players if we had a indoor rink.
- 261 An indoor hockey rink or a repaired roof to the existing pony express pavillion. Whats the point of having a roof o ver a facility that leaks when it rains or snows.
- 262 It would be nice if the Pony Express Pavilion could be made "indoor" so the hockey league would have the opportunity to grow as many people are interested but don't want to come out and watch their kids in the freezing weather.

263 Indoor running/walking track.

264 With my daughter on a softball team for 4 years, batting cages would make a difference for all ages of the sport.
I think one of the most important factors no matter what indoor facility it is, that it's located properly for ease of use, including parking and traffic. Thank for asking...

265 Add hockey

266 more room for activities

267 Wintertime--We need indoor hockey, basketball, racquetball. Many other communities have much more. I went to multiple CCRD meetings in the late 1990s and these same questions were discussed. I have seen no changes in the facilities. Kids need this especially during poor weather months.

268 more indoor facilities for winter sports, there's not much to do when it is cold outside.

269 I'm not sure if you are including the auditorium in this question however, it is a continuously used facility that is in need of many remediations: 1) repairs on pit so it is usable 2) repairs on pit so that performers may use entire stage area 3) replace seating 4) install risers to accommodate larger ensembles which would also involve restructuring pit area.

270 Carson City needs an indoor hockey rink...kids in this town don't have enough to do. After 16 years of hockey, an indoor rink would be wonderful.

271 More access to the theatre

272 Visits would increase to 20 or more if Racquetball was available.

273 Indoor tennis or racquetball would be great for the winter time. Charge for it since there is no other option in town.

274 Racquetball courts and additional basketball courts

275 Racquetball courts

276 I would personally love a Racquetball court. We also were disappointed to hear the pre-school was losing the 3 year old group, which my daughter was looking very much forward to. My son will be moving on to the 5 year old group, despite the drastic cost increase.

277 Improve the tot pool (fun water toys) and increase the temp.

278 I would like to have a hockey rink indoors year around. Great team sport that brings money and community involvement.

279 CCLL is building an indoor facility....

280 A new floor in the gym! Outdoor-lighted racquetball courts on the west side of the Community Center.

281 Better Floor

282 Gym, walking track, fitness room, strength training equipment, rock climbing wall, and indoor leisure pool facilities.

283 Mas instalaunes adecuados nova cada peporb.

284 Expand the facility to make more space for more activities.

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286 Si.

287 Que agan equipos de ninos para que ellos ballon viendo el deporte como un evento familiar.

288 Mas grandes, mas comodas, mejor cuidadas, mejor mantenimieuto.

289 Si, porque tendrian mas centros de recreacion y esparcimiento.

290 Si.

291 Prokaion para el publico. Por a que sea galapo por algun balon.

292 Horarios flexibles

293 banos

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2. PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING - 7:00 P.M.

PRESENT: Chairperson Donna Curtis
Vice Chair Steve Lasco
Commissioner Charles Adams
Commissioner Janice Brod
Commissioner Sean Lehmann
Commissioner Todd Westergard

STAFF: Roger Moellendorf, Parks and Recreation Department Director
Joel Dunn, Parks and Recreation Operations Manager
Kurt Meyer, Aquatic Facility Operations Manager
Kristin Luis, Senior Deputy District Attorney
Deborah Gottschalk, Recording Secretary

CALL TO ORDER AND DETERMINATION OF QUORUM (1-0083) - Chairperson Curtis called the meeting to order at 7:36 p.m. Roll was called; a quorum was present.

3. ACTION ON APPROVAL OF MINUTES - June 1, 2010 (1-0103) - None.

4. MODIFICATIONS TO THE AGENDA (1-0105) - None.

5. AGENDA ITEMS:

*** 5-A. ACTION TO RECOMMEND TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS THE FINDINGS OF THE CARSON CITY RECREATION INDOOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT SURVEY (1-0107)** -

Chairperson Curtis introduced this item. Mr. Moellendorf reviewed the agenda report and the survey results, copies of which were included in the agenda materials. Mr. Moellendorf noted the high rating associated with performing arts, but was uncertain as to whether this indicated strong interest or that performing arts needs are not being met. Mr. Moellendorf further noted the strong interest in an indoor shooting range.

Mr. Dunn discussed the results of the survey and how it can be applied to the current programs. He noted many of the preferences indicated the need for capital investment in current or new facilities. He further noted the opportunity to reach out to stakeholders via the public meetings held throughout the community. He inquired as to how the Recreation Division can meet the needs of the performing arts community, and suggested the possibility of partnering with other programs. He affirmed the need for a larger multi-purpose facility in order to meet the needs of the community. In response to a question, he stated they can obtain more specific information from the survey in order to narrow down interest in various programs.

Commissioner Lehmann commented on the survey and suggested placing a rock climbing wall in the Community Center. He inquired as to why the new track at the high school is not available for public use, and suggested a rentable space for birthday parties, and improving the toddler pool or expanding it. Mr. Moellendorf advised that consideration has been given to enhancing or expanding the toddler pool. A party area was available in the aquatic facility in the past; however, it wasn't very visible indoors and, therefore, didn't work out very well.

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Commissioner Lasco commended staff on an outstanding job on the survey, but expressed concern that only 1 percent of the community had participated. He noted the conclusion that the community needs a broad-based community center with a lot of different offerings tells us what we already know. Commissioner Lehman noted that 90% of the respondents were age 18 or older, and ranked youth programs for ages 17 and under, as first priority. Mr. Dunn noted the difficulty associated with offering a lot of teen and youth programs which recapture 100 percent of the cost, as mandated. Youth programs are the national trend due to community gang issues, but Mr. Dunn reiterated the need to consider cost recovery.

Chairperson Curtis called for public comment and, when none was forthcoming, entertained a motion. **Commissioner Westergard moved to recommend action to provide the Board of Supervisors the results of the Carson City Recreation indoor needs assessment survey. Commissioner Lehman seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**

5-B. UPDATE ON THE COMMUNITY CENTER'S WEST PARKING LOT PROJECT(1-1061) - Chairperson Curtis introduced this item, and Mr. Krahn reviewed the agenda report. He discussed reasons for the project, including pedestrian safety and current development standards. He provided background information on the project, and reviewed the drawing included in the agenda materials. He noted the new bus stop, and that the parking lot will improve ADA accessibility to the Sierra Room. In response to a question, Mr. Krahn offered to look into a method by which to improve safety when crossing from the Aquatic Facility to the Community Center. Discussion ensued.

6. COMMISSIONERS' ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION (1-1535)
- None.

7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS (1-1537) - A brief discussion took place regarding the status of Question #18 and the final budget.

8. ACTION ON ADJOURNMENT (1-1564) - Commissioner Smolenski moved the adjourn the meeting at 9:01 p.m. The motion was seconded and carried 6-0.

The Minutes of the July 13, 2010 Parks and Recreation Commission meeting are so approved this _____ day of September, 2010.

DONNA CURTIS, Chair