

**City of Carson City
Agenda Report**

Date Submitted: December 18, 2014

Agenda Date Requested: January 5, 2015

Time Requested: 15 Minutes

To: Mayor and Board of Supervisors

From: Parks and Recreation Department

Subject Title: For Possible Action: To accept the Parks and Recreation Commission's unanimous recommendation to set aside approximately 100 acres west of Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road as the location for a disc golf course complex. (Vern L. Krahn)

Staff Summary: After a year and a half of working with disc golf course advocates and the vetting of nine different sites around Carson City, the Parks and Recreation Commission on December 2, 2014 voted unanimously to recommend to the Board of Supervisors that approximately 100 acres west of Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road be set aside as the new location of a disc golf course complex.

Type of Action Requested: (check one)

- Resolution Ordinance
 Formal Action/Motion Other (Specify)

Does This Action Require A Business Impact Statement: Yes No

Recommended Board Action: I move to accept the Parks and Recreation Commission's unanimous recommendation to set aside approximately 100 acres west of Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road as the location for a disc golf course complex.

Explanation for Recommended Board Action: Approximately a year and a half ago, Parks and Recreation Department staff, the Parks and Recreation Commission, and a group of disc golf course advocates began looking for a large piece of property to build Carson City's first disc golf course complex. This effort culminated at the Parks and Recreation Commission meeting on December 2, 2014 with a unanimous recommendation to the Board of Supervisors to set aside approximately 100 acres west of Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road as the new location of a disc golf course complex (Attached). Disc golf is a recognized outdoor recreation activity that has attracted both a national and local following of young and older players. It is played with "Frisbee" like discs on a course with tee boxes and wire metal baskets (Attached). These courses are typically in either community parks with trees and turf areas or in natural settings.

The nine sites that were vetted were as follows:

- 1) Carson River Park (East Side)
- 2) Open Space Cottonwoods at Deer Run Road Bridge
- 3) Flint Drive (North of the City's landfill)
- 4) Goni Road Water Tank Area
- 5) Arrowhead Drive Area (Open Land – West of Goni Road/Arrowhead Drive Intersection)
- 6) Western Nevada College (West Parking Lot)
- 7) Quill Treatment Plant Property (Off of Kings Canyon Road)
- 8) Koontz Lane Water Tank Area
- 9) Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road Area (West Side of Both Roads) – RECOMMENDED SITE MAP (Attached)

This land is currently under the Bureau of Land Management's ownership but will be coming to Carson City as a part of the Federal Lands Bill and is designated for Parks and Public Purposes. The Parks and

Recreation Department is seeking Board of Supervisors approval to set aside this land for a disc golf course complex. If the Board approves, department staff and the disc golf course advocates will begin planning efforts right away to design two tournament courses and a beginner course on the site, including various appropriate site amenities. Once the course has been designed, the disc golf course advocates will begin fund raising activities for the tee boxes and metal wire baskets. Unfortunately, no construction can begin on the course until the land transfers to the City and a cultural resource study has been completed. Staff is anticipating the land transfer will occur within the next three to six months.

Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation: NRS 407.130 and Carson City Charter, Section 2.140

Fiscal Impact: None at this time.

Explanation of Impact: Not applicable.

Funding Source: \$10,000 Quality of Life/Parks (Question 18) – Budgeted for Cultural Resource Clearances.

- Alternatives:**
- 1) Not accept the Parks and Recreation Commission’s unanimous recommendation and request staff to find an alternative site.
 - 2) Pick one of the previously vetted sites for the disc golf course complex location.

Supporting Material: Parks and Recreation Commission Minutes
Disc Golf Literature
Recommended Site Map / Site Photographs
Support E-Mails

Prepared By: Vern L. Krahn, Senior Park Planner

Reviewed By: *Ann Pellegrini* Date: 12/23/14
(Department Head)

Nicholas Marano Date: 12/23/14
(City Manager)

Jessica L. Ward Date: 12/23/14
(District Attorney)

Michael Spink Date: 12/23/14
(Finance Director)

Board Action Taken:

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

(Vote Recorded By)

PUBLIC COMMENTS

(5:31:58) – Supervisor-elect Lori Bagwell introduced herself, and noted that she looked forward to working with the Commission.

1. ACTION ON APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

(5:32:45) – **MOTION: I move to approve the minutes of the November 5, 2014 meeting.**

RESULT:	APPROVED (5-0-0)
MOVER:	Curtis
SECONDER:	Colburn
AYES:	Lehmann, Colburn, Curtis, Kever, McKenna
NAYS:	None
ABSTENTIONS:	None
ABSENT:	Long, Adams, Cacioppo, Glenn

2. MODIFICATIONS TO THE AGENDA (5:33:05) – None.

3. MEETING ITEMS

* **A. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: TO RECOMMEND TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS THAT APPROXIMATELY 100 ACRES WEST OF FLINT DRIVE AND RIFLE RANGE ROAD AS THE NEW LOCATION FOR A DISC GOLF COURSE COMPLEX.**

(5:33:24) – Mr. Krahn presented the Staff Report, incorporated into the record, and suggested recommending to the Board of Supervisors the approval of a new location on Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road. He added that advocates for the disc golf course were in agreement with this recommendation.

(5:38:47) – Commissioner Curtis was informed that the rifle range orientation and lower elevation from the disc golf course prevented interference by either organization.

(5:41:21) – Commissioner Kever expressed concern over the wait due to the Federal Lands Bill taking into effect.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

(5:42:56) – Greg Swift, a disc golf advocate, agreed that the proposed site was best suitable for his group’s needs. He also did not believe “it [rifle range] was going to cause concern”, and noted that the new site would not pose any conflicts with the landfill.

(5:45:19) – Dave Wiley believed the new site was “worth the wait” and will make an interesting course. He also reassured the Commission that the rifle range was not visible from the proposed site.

(5:46:32) – Dell Martin noted his approval of the location because it could be easily accessed from Highway 50 and had a more suitable terrain for their needs.

(5:47:55) – Commissioner McKenna inquired about timelines and was informed that the Board of Supervisors would hear the item in January to approve the location. Mr. Krahn also stated that the design phase could begin; however, certain environmental and cultural clearances were required prior to the start of construction. Commissioner McKenna suggested speeding up the process by beginning work on private lands first. Mr. Moellendorf stated that the area was not easily accessible on foot and reiterated that the site was superior to the previously-selected one.

(5:52:23) – Commissioner Curtis inquired about the non-profit status of the advocacy group and suggested starting the fund raising efforts soon. Mr. Krahn praised the advocacy group’s efforts and noted that they were well-versed in designing a course. He also stated that \$10,000 in Question 18 funds was set aside for environmental and cultural clearances. Mr. Swift noted that they would “start over” with basket sponsorships upon the Board of Supervisors approval, and estimated the cost of each basket to be \$400.

(6:01:58) – Commissioner Keverer inquired about restroom facilities and Mr. Krahn noted that the design phase would take portable restrooms and a parking lot into consideration.

(6:03:58) – Robert Sullivan introduced himself as a disc golf player and noted that he was “really happy to have a disc golf course”.

(6:05:41) – MOTION: I move to recommend to the Board of Supervisors that approximately 100 acres west of Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road as the new location for a disc golf course complex.

RESULT:	APPROVED (6-0-0)
MOVER:	Keverer
SECONDER:	Curtis
AYES:	Lehmann, Colburn, Curtis, Glenn, Keverer, McKenna
NAYS:	None
ABSTENTIONS:	None
ABSENT:	Long, Adams, Cacioppo

B. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: TO RECOMMEND TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS APPROVAL AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE SCHULZ RANCH LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE DISTRICT PETITION FOR THE PLANNED SCHULZ RANCH DEVELOPMENT AS PRESENTED BY MANHARD CONSULTING, LTD.

(6:06:28) – Mr. Moellendorf presented the Staff Report, incorporated into the record, and introduced Chris Baker of Manhard Consulting.

(6:10:45) – Mr. Baker gave background and summarized the contents of the Schulz Ranch Maintenance District Petition, incorporated into the record.

(6:21:17) – Commissioner Curtis was informed that the maintenance cost would be assessed on a per lot basis, and could differ based on lot size. Mr. Baker also clarified for Chairperson Lehmann that the “numbers” were estimates for the time being, but were well researched to be close to actuals.



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Brief History of Disc Golf

There are two distinct areas involved in the investigation into the origin of disc golf. One, just who first played disc golf and when? The other, how and when did the organized sport of disc golf get started?

So, Who First Played Disc Golf? Sorry, but this turns out to be impossible to answer. There are many historical accounts of people playing golf with a flying disc, some of which pre-date the advent of the plastic flying discs by many years. Each account was an isolated instance of recreational disc golf play, and none of the participants knew of anyone else playing disc golf. Indeed, most of these instances were isolated not only geographically, but in time also, so they couldn't have known about each other.

The first known instance of anyone playing golf with a flying disc occurred in Vancouver BC in 1926. A group of school age kids played a game with tin lids, which they dubbed Tin Lid Golf. They played on a fairly regular basis on a disc golf course they laid out on their school grounds.

As they got older and into the more standard school sports, the Tin Lid Golf play faded out of the picture, only to be remembered many years later by one of the participants when they heard of the organized disc golf play of today.

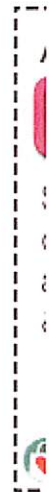
Other similar accounts, both pre and post the advent of plastic flying discs, occurred in the 1930's, 40's 50's, and 60's, each ending in a similar way. One 1960 instance of disc golf was even a commercial attempt to market a packaged game of Sky Golf by the Copar Plastics company in Chicago. However, the Frisbee culture was just in its infancy at that time and the Copar game just didn't catch on.

The most interesting discovery of disc golf that fizzed out came right at the point when the modern day Frisbee culture started to mushroom into its current state of being. It is somewhat of a mystery why it didn't catch on at that time, especially when you learn of the people involved in that account.

In 1965 George Sappenfeld was a recreation counselor during summer break from college. While playing golf one afternoon, he realized that the kids on his playground could play the golf game with Frisbee discs. He remembered his idea when in 1968 he finished college and became the Parks and Recreation supervisor for the Thousand Oaks, CA Parks and Recreation Department.

George contacted the Wham-O MFG Company about his idea and asked if they could help out with his plan to hold a Frisbee golf contest for his recreation program. They sent Frisbees and Hula Hoops to use as targets. The next year, he talked Ed Headrick of Wham-O into including a Frisbee golf event in the big All Comers Frisbee meet that Ed Headrick and Wham-O was planning to hold at Pasadena's Rose Bowl fields. But that was the last that Frisbee golf was heard of from Wham-O for seven years. Even Goldy Norton's Official Frisbee Handbook of 1972, in which is listed all the activities and events that could be played with a Frisbee, there is not one iota of information or acknowledgment about disc or Frisbee golf throughout the entire book! It was as if the concept didn't even exist!

Apparently disc golf didn't fit into the promotional plans that Wham-O had for its Frisbee brand flying discs at that time.



But the game of disc golf did indeed exist. A small group of people from Rochester, NY who had never heard of the IFA or Goldy Norton's Handbook of Frisbee had been playing disc golf as a competitive sport on a regular basis; tournaments, league play and all. They had started in August of 1970, and by 1972 had promoted the Second Annual City of Rochester Disc Golf Championship.

In 1973, this group of avid disc golfers found out about the IFA newsletter, and was amazed to hear of the Frisbee culture that existed beyond their little sphere of disc golf activity. They decided to make their annual City of Rochester Disc Golf Championship a big national tournament to see just how many other people were playing disc golf or would be interested in trying the game. They called the event the American Flying Disc Open put up a brand new 1974 Automobile to be awarded to the winner so as to attract the attention of the Frisbee community.



The same Ed Headrick took another look at disc golf as he assessed the burgeoning interest in the game as it was played at 1974 American Flying Disc Open. After observing the explosive growth in disc golf for about 9 months after that, Ed Headrick hired the winner of that 1974 AFDO, Dan Roddick, to head up Wham-O's new Sports Promotion Department. Upon Dan Roddick's urging, and feedback from the fledgling but rapidly growing disc golf community, Ed Headrick decided to include Disc Golf as an event in his upcoming 1975 World Frisbee Championships.

Ed became so convinced that disc golf could be big, resigned from his position at the Wham-O MFG Company and start up his Disc Golf Association Company in 1976.

One of Dan Roddick's first moves as director of the IFA Sports Promotion Department of Wham-O was to incorporate disc golf as an event in the national tour of qualifying tournaments for the big World Frisbee Championship event that Wham-O was continuing to sponsor on a yearly basis. This move introduced the concept of disc golf to thousands of Frisbee players all in one fell swoop. It also opened up many big markets for Ed Headrick's Disc Golf Association to sell disc golf courses all over the country.

The popularity of disc golf grew with unparalleled rapidity. Each new course spawned more courses in nearby towns and cities.

Many players shared the dream of national tournaments and organized play. They got together and formed the PDGA to help oversee and guide the rapid growth of the sport. The game grew too fast to call it evolution; it was a revolution! The PDGA is now a worldwide force and is growing faster than ever. The sport of disc golf is becoming every bit as professional as its older brother the PGA and its traditional ball and club golf.

— Jim Palmeri, PDGA #23

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A Guide to Disc Golf from the PDGA

What is Disc Golf?

Disc golf is played much like traditional golf. Instead of a ball and clubs, however, players use a flying disc, or Frisbee®. The sport was formalized in the 1970's, and shares with "ball golf" the object of completing each hole in the fewest strokes (or, in the case of disc golf, fewest throws). A golf disc is thrown from a tee area to a target which is the "hole". The hole can be one of a number of disc golf targets; the most common is called a Pole Hole® an elevated metal basket. As a player progresses down the fairway, he or she must make each consecutive throw from the spot where the previous throw has landed. The trees, shrubs, and terrain changes located in and around the fairways provide challenging obstacles for the golfer. Finally, the "putt" lands in the basket and the hole is completed. Disc golf shares the same joys and frustrations of traditional golf, whether it's sinking a long putt or hitting a tree halfway down the fairway. There are few differences, though. Disc golf rarely requires a greens fee, you probably won't need to rent a cart, and you never get stuck with a bad "tee time." It is designed to be enjoyed by people of all ages, male and female, regardless of economic status.

Who Plays Disc Golf?

Disc golf can be played from school age to old age, making it one of the greatest lifetime fitness sports available. Specially-abled and disabled participate, giving them the opportunity to take part in a mainstream activity. Because disc golf is so easy to learn, no one is excluded. Players merely match their pace to their capabilities, and proceed from there. The Professional Disc Golf Association, with a member base of 50,000+, is the governing body for the sport and sanctions competitive events for men and women of every skill level from novice to professional. Permanent disc golf courses are found in countries worldwide.

Where do I play?

Many city parks have golf courses already set up. Most are free to play as often as you like. Disc golfers who do not have the benefit of a permanent disc golf facility in their area often "make up" courses in nearby parks and green spaces.

One of the great features disc golf shares with traditional golf is that they are both played in beautiful settings. A nine-hole disc golf course can be established on as little as five acres of land, and a championship-caliber 18-hole course on 30 to 40 acres. Disc golf courses can coexist with existing park facilities and activity areas. The ideal location combines wooded and open terrains, and a variety of topographical change.

The need for more courses is constant, as the sport continues to grow in popularity. The PDGA has created [resources](#) for the design and installation of new golf courses, to ensure their success in the community.

The PDGA also publishes and sells an annual course directory, and manages and maintains a free online directory of disc golf courses at <http://www.pdga.com/course-directory>.

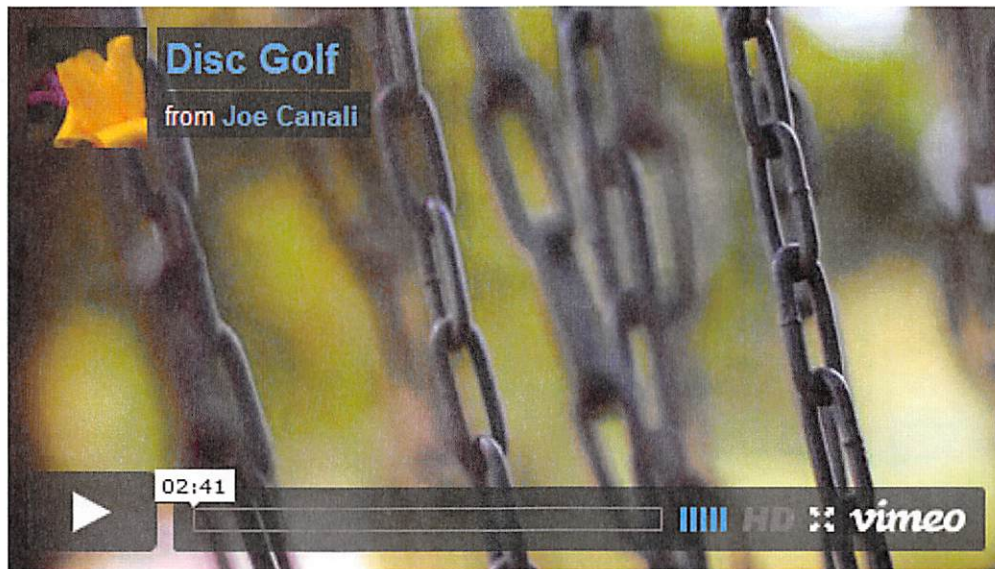
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Why should I play?

The ongoing fitness boom finds more and more people taking up recreational activities in an effort to improve health and quality of life. Disc golf provides upper and lower body conditioning, aerobic exercise, and promotes a combination of physical and mental abilities that allow very little risk of physical injury. Concentration skills increase by mastering shots and negotiating obstacles. Players of limited fitness levels can start slowly and gradually increase their level of play as fitness improves. Scheduling is also flexible; a round takes one to two hours, and may be played alone, eliminating the difficulty of scheduling tee times. And as in traditional golf, disc golfers find themselves "hooked;" increasing the likelihood of frequent participation. Disc golf offers year-round fitness, even in rain or snow. Perhaps the greatest attribute of the sport is the expense - or rather, the lack of it. A professional quality disc costs less than \$15, and it only takes one for basic play.

And, of course, there's the sheer fun of the game - no matter what your age or skill level!

Play disc golf...it's in the air!!!



Disc Golf from Joe Canali on Vimeo.

"Steady Ed" Headrick
MEMORIAL COURSE
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295'
Par 3
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595'
Par 4
INTERNATIONAL DISC GOLF CENTER

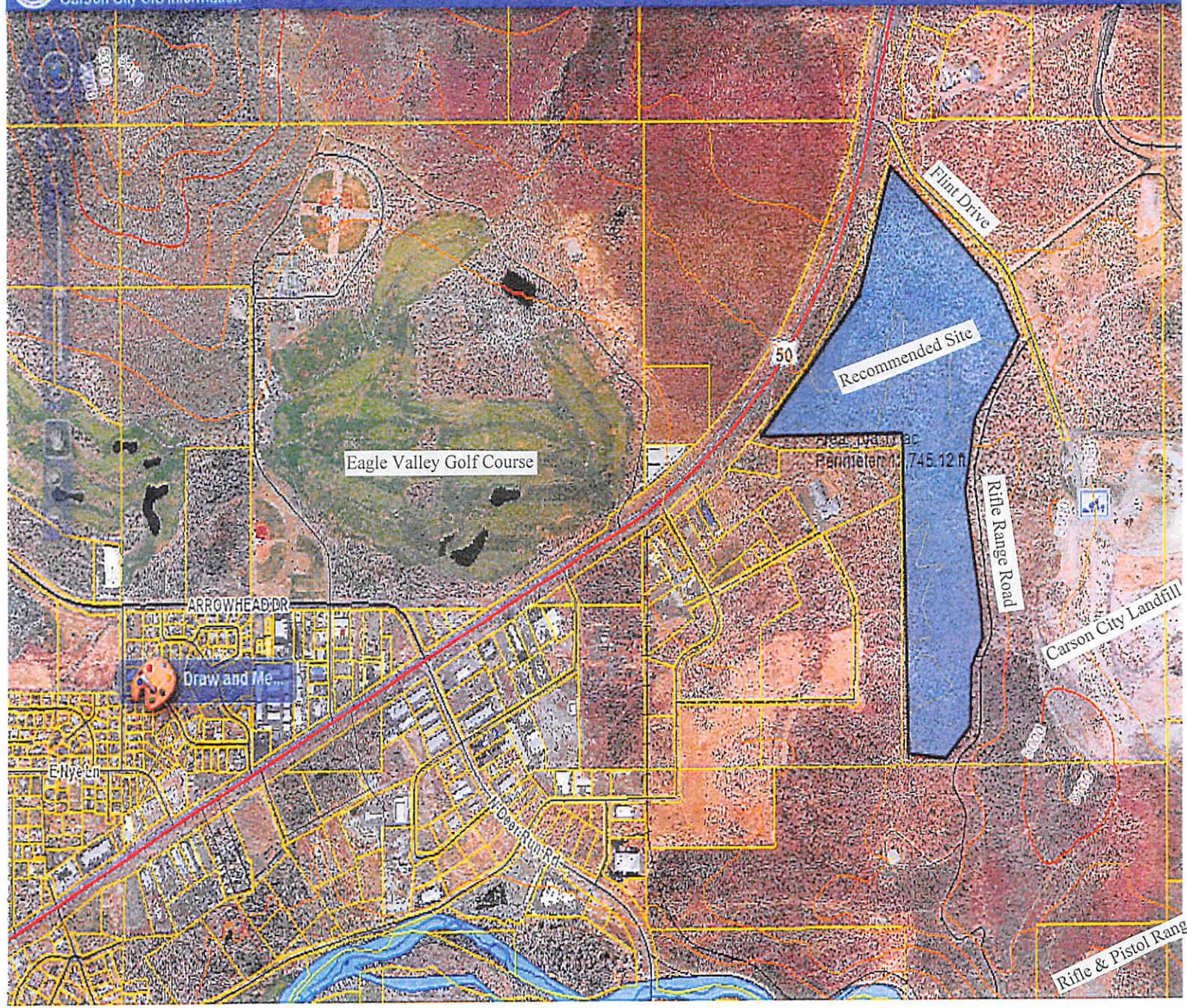




Photo courtesy of Mont du Lac







Eagle Valley Golf Course

Recommended Site

Area: 17,331.83 sq ft
Perimeter: 17,745.12 ft

Flint Drive

Rifle Range Road

Carson City Landfill

Rifle & Pistol Range

Arrowhead Dr

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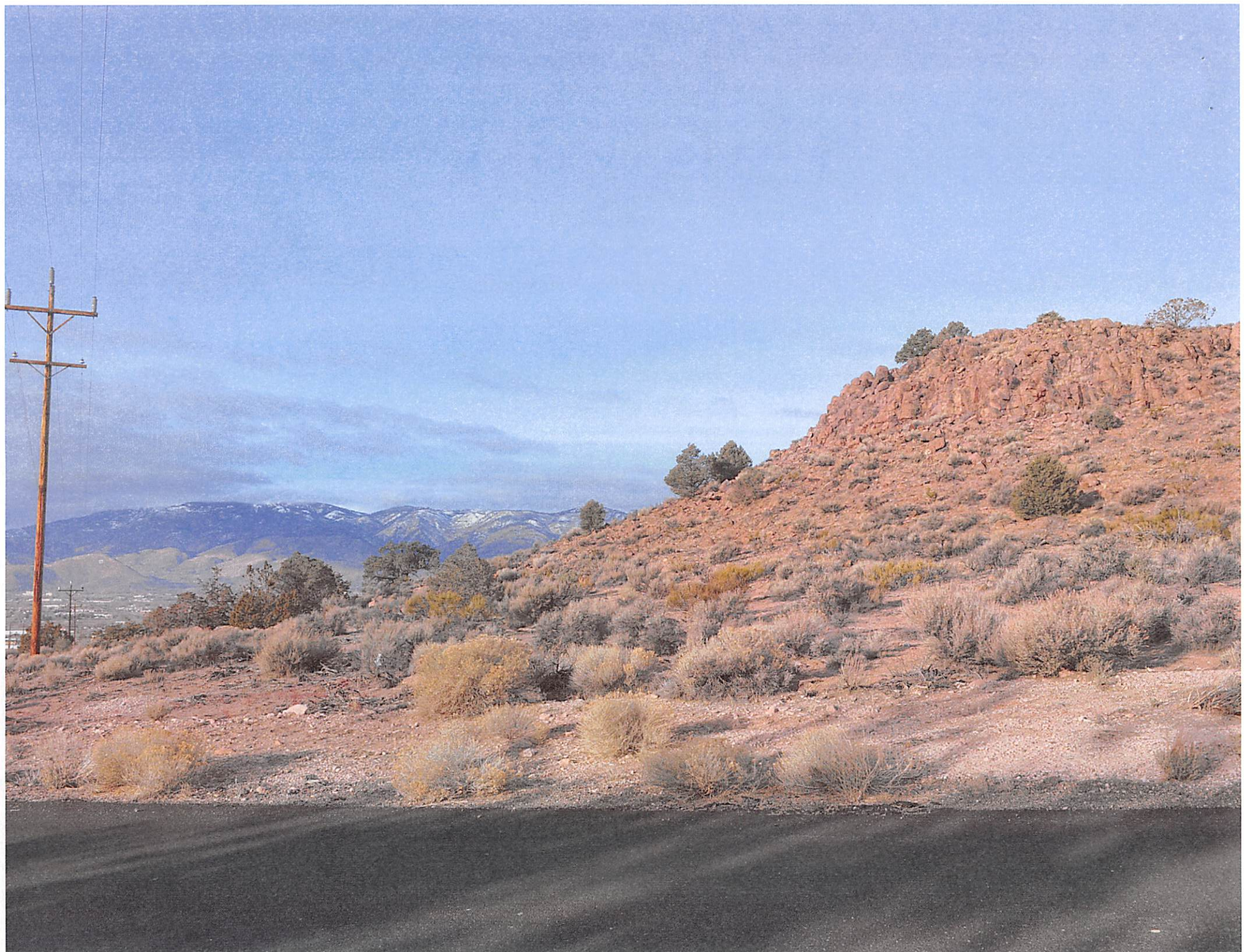
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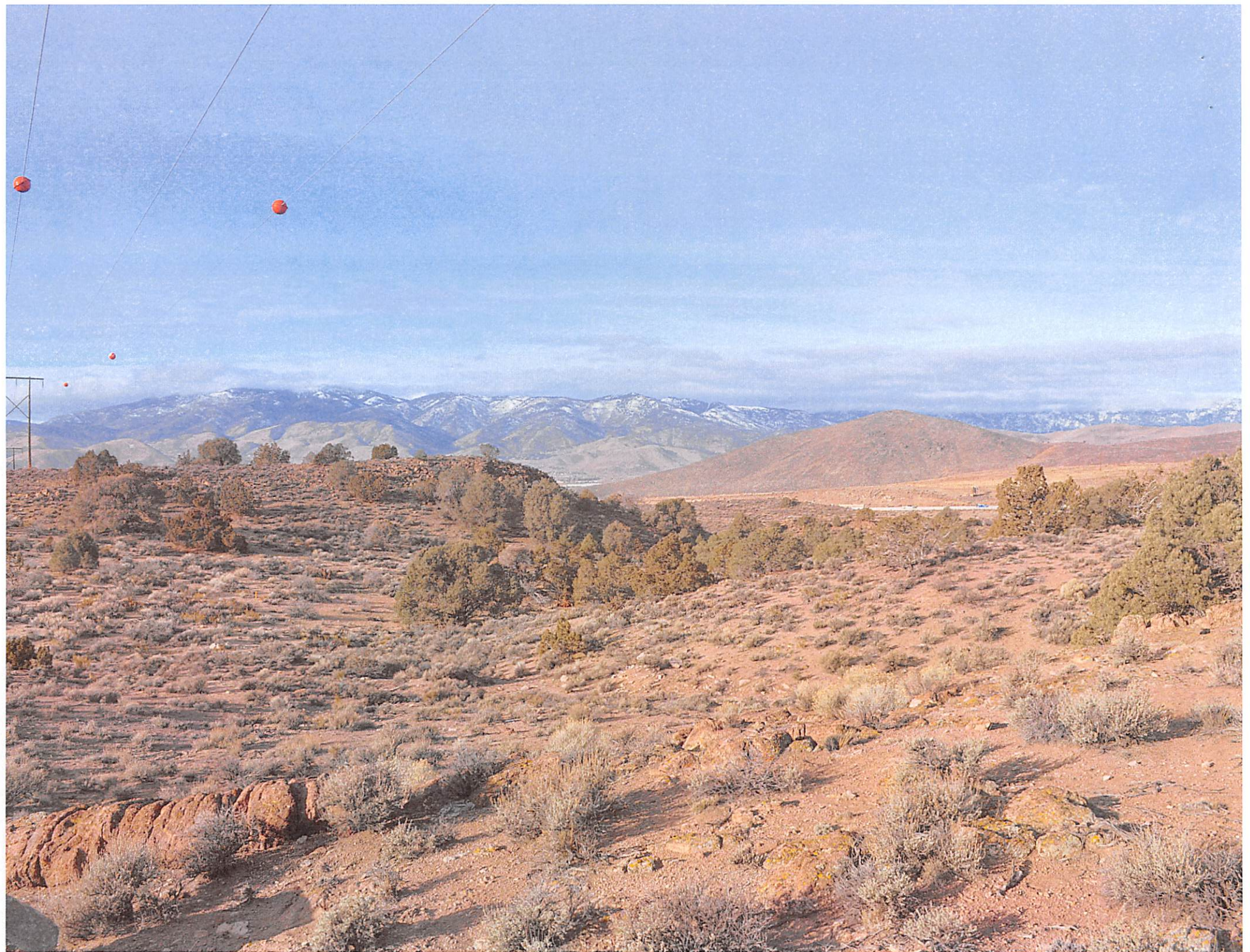
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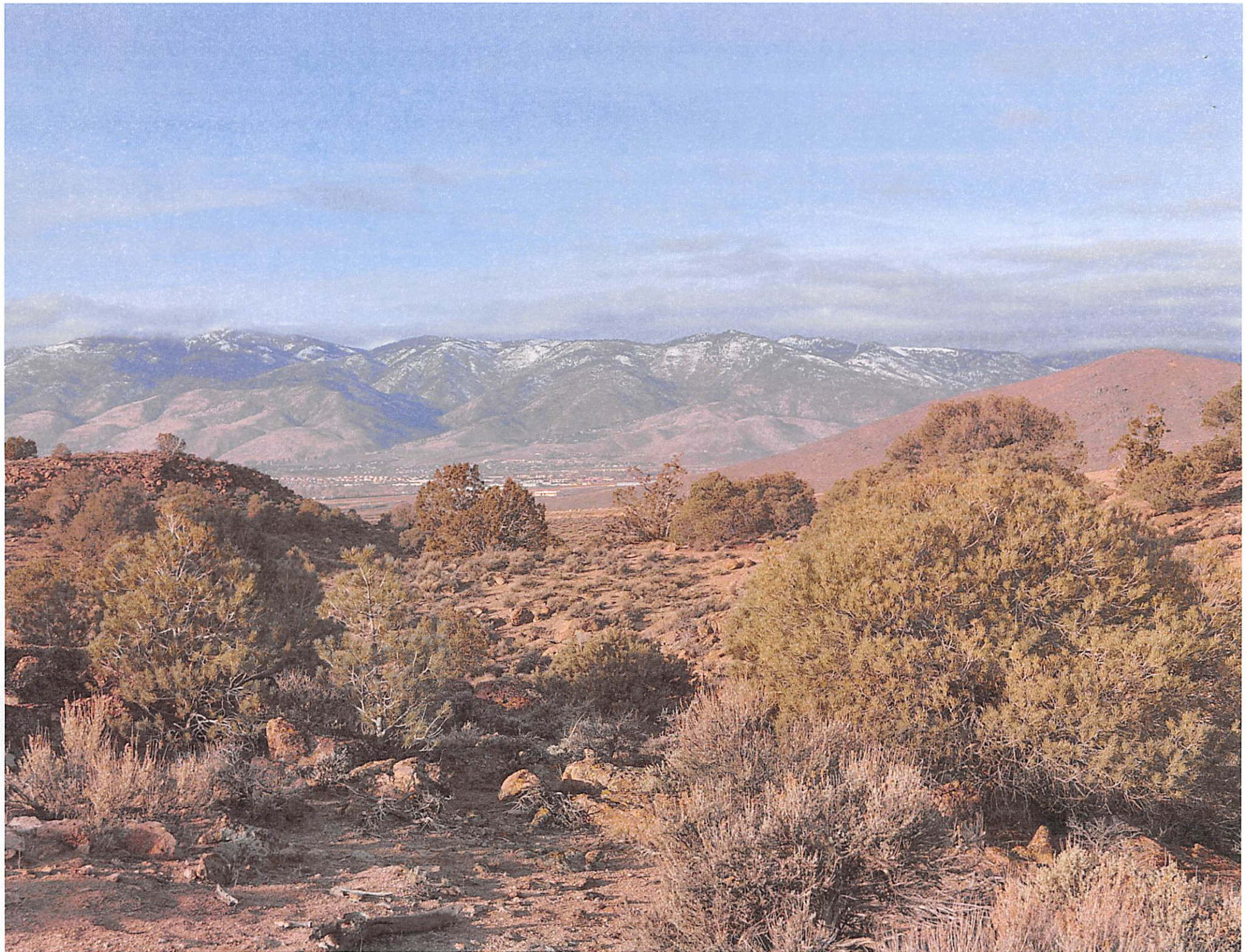
















Vern Krahn

From: Vern Krahn
Sent: Monday, December 15, 2014 1:56 PM
To: 'clark.milholland@gmail.com'
Cc: Daria Wirth; Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch; Kaja Anderson-Howard
Subject: Disc Golf Course - Advocate Support Letter

Mr. Milholland,

Thank you for your comments on the disc golf course complex. I will be sure to include them in the Board of Supervisors' agenda packet for their review.

VERN

From: cjm1504@gmail.com [<mailto:cjm1504@gmail.com>] **On Behalf Of** Clark Milholland
Sent: Monday, December 15, 2014 1:45 PM
To: Kaja Anderson-Howard
Cc: Vern Krahn; Daria Wirth
Subject: Re: FW: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter Request

I Clark Milholland, support the proposed disc golf course complex.

Being an avid player of Disc Golf for the past year, having a course locally will allow me to play more often and also at a cheaper cost.

I predict that having a course locally will increase the # of local players in the area. Being a sport that has a very low barrier to entry (as low as \$8 for a mid range disc at Wal-Mart) I think we will see a large upswing in teens and young adults playing.

Personally I plan on getting some local tournaments going once this course is installed. I would expect others to do the same as well.

Hopefully we can make this happen in a timely manner.

Let me know anyone needs any help building and promoting the course.

- Clark Milholland

Vern Krahn

From: Vern Krahn
Sent: Monday, December 15, 2014 7:53 PM
To: 'Colin Dargert'
Cc: Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch; Kaja Anderson-Howard
Subject: RE: Disc golf course

Colin.....

I will be glad to pass along your comments to the Board of Supervisors on the proposed disc golf course complex proposed on the west side of Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road.

VERN

From: Colin Dargert [<mailto:cdargert@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Monday, December 15, 2014 7:16 PM
To: Vern Krahn
Subject: Disc golf course

Hi my name is Colin Dargert. I've Ben playing disc golf for about 4 years and it would be awesome to have a local carson course that's only a few minutes drive from home. I support this plan and I hope it works out.

Vern Krahn

From: Vern Krahn
Sent: Wednesday, December 17, 2014 7:55 AM
To: 'swin21@aol.com'; Kaja Anderson-Howard
Cc: Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch
Subject: RE: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

Gregg.....

Thanks for sending in your comments. I will be sure to include them with my Board of Supervisors' Board Action Report and associated attachments on the disc golf course complex project. Finally, the Parks and Recreation Department has appreciated your lead role in helping us select the recommended site. It has taken a while but I believe, like you this is the right site for the disc golf course complex.

VERN

From: swin21@aol.com [<mailto:swin21@aol.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, December 16, 2014 12:45 PM
To: Kaja Anderson-Howard; Vern Krahn
Subject: Re: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter Request

To Whom it may concern,

A disc golf course in Carson City has been a long time coming. I think patience has paid off, since the site recommended by the Parks and Recreation Commission is very good and by far the best of those proposed. Disc golf is a sport that is growing. It is actually a High School sport in many areas of the country. The cost for course development and maintenance is very low. This is a way to get our youth and all age groups active outdoors in a healthy way, and in a way that doesn't cost the individual much except for the cost of a few discs. With a nice course layout, the opportunity is also there for tournament play. This would bring in revenue and tourism for our city. This course will be a great addition to our city!

Gregg Swift

Vern Krahn

From: Vern Krahn
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2014 7:21 AM
To: 'Kyle Swift'
Cc: Kaja Anderson-Howard; Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch; Ann Bollinger
Subject: RE: Disc Golf Support

Kyle.....

Thank you for taking the extra time to expand on your support for the Disc Golf Course Complex project and explain why the recommended site is a good location. I will submit your below comments to the Board of Supervisors with our department's agenda item materials. Again, thank you for being a part of this citizen's grass roots effort to bring disc golf to Carson City.

VERN

From: Kyle Swift [<mailto:kyleswift@gmail.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, December 17, 2014 11:36 AM
To: Vern Krahn
Subject: Re: Disc Golf Support

Vern, here's round 2:

The Flint Drive site offered up by the Parks and Recreation department is a great location for a future disc golf course. The topography of the land offers a lot of variety to the types of shots a player would need, which is an important aspect to disc golf. There are many inviting obstacles with which to design a fun and testing course. Of all the sites in Carson that we were able to view, this was the clear standout location based the myriad hills, rock outcroppings and juniper trees. The site also offers up plenty of acreage to potentially add multiple basket positions (a very common practice for disc golf courses). Overall, this was the clear cut, best site for a future course.

The views of all three of the locations offered up were very scenic, but none, in my opinion, offered up a truer view of what Carson City has to offer. Downtown could be seen, as well as the Sierra Nevadas. Other recreational opportunities could easily be seen from this location. Multiple (ball) golf courses were plainly visible, vast desert (BLM lands), and of course the crown jewel of this area, Lake Tahoe, is known to be just a few minutes away.

Overall, the Flint Drive location offered everything we were looking for from a potential disc golf course site. The site has plenty of elevation change, without being too extreme. There are plenty of obstacles to make it a challenging, yet fun course. And lastly, the location of the site is very easy to find. There are already other tourist activities out that direction (V&T Railroad and gun range), so I feel that this site has the most to offer our community.

-Kyle

On Wed, Dec 17, 2014 at 8:06 AM, Vern Krahn <VKrahn@carson.org> wrote:

Kyle.....

If you wouldn't mind, can you expand a little more on "why" the recommended site is a good site. It is important for the Supervisors understand "why" the site (views, topography, vegetation cover/trees and road access) are critical to creating a complex that will be fun to play and be a "Carson City" experience for out of town folks that will provide them memories so they will want return to the course and play.

Thanks !!!

VERN

From: Kyle Swift [mailto:kyleswift@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 16, 2014 12:53 PM
To: Vern Krahn
Subject: Disc Golf Support

Hi Vern, my dad (Gregg Swift) forwarded me the email about supporting the disc golf course in Carson.

I went on the tour with you to check out the three most recent proposals and agree completely with the Parks and Rec's recommendation that the site off of Flint Dr will be a great asset to Carson's recreation facilities.

If you need any more words of support, let me know and I'll happily provide them. Thank you for the work you've put into this.

Kyle

Vern Krahn

From: Dave Wiley <DWiley@dmv.nv.gov>
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2014 7:32 AM
To: Vern Krahn; Kaja Anderson-Howard
Cc: Daria Wirth; Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch; Ann Bollinger
Subject: RE: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

Thank you and I'll continue to help with what I am able. Enjoy the holiday's.

Dave

-----Original Message-----

From: Vern Krahn [<mailto:VKrahn@carson.org>]
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2014 7:31 AM
To: Dave Wiley; Kaja Anderson-Howard
Cc: Daria Wirth; Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch; Ann Bollinger
Subject: RE: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

Dave.....

Your comments are important for the Board of Supervisors to hear and I will be putting your comments along with others in the materials for this agenda item . Also, your past willingness to assist the Parks and Recreation Department staff to locate the recommended site was certainly appreciated and I know you will stay involved in this process until those "disc" are flying on a Carson City disc golf course. Again, thanks for all your hard work with us !!!

VERN

-----Original Message-----

From: Dave Wiley [<mailto:DWiley@dmv.nv.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2014 6:59 AM
To: Kaja Anderson-Howard
Cc: Vern Krahn; Daria Wirth
Subject: RE: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

Good Morning,

I know this isn't much but hopefully it will be helpful at the very least.

To whom it may concern,

My name is Dave Wiley. I have been a Carson City resident for over ten years now and disc golfer for several decades. I would like to express my support for a disc golf course here in Carson City. I am willing to help with what I am able to make this come about.

Thank you for the consideration.

Dave Wiley

Vern Krahn

From: Vern Krahn
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2014 10:20 AM
To: 'RTSully1@aol.com'
Cc: swin21@aol.com; Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch; Kaja Anderson-Howard
Subject: FW: Advocate Support Re: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

Bob.....

Thank you for sending in your comments to support the proposed disc golf course complex off of Flint Drive and Rifle Range Road. I will be sure to include your below comments in our department's Board of Supervisors' materials on this agenda item.

VERN

From: swin21@aol.com [<mailto:swin21@aol.com>]
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2014 9:26 AM
To: Vern Krahn
Subject: Fwd: Advocate Support Re: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

-----Original Message-----

From: RTSully1 <RTSully1@aol.com>
To: swin21 <swin21@aol.com>
Sent: Wed, Dec 17, 2014 5:07 pm
Subject: Advocate Support Re: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

Vern:

Thank you for this opportunity to support the Proposed Disc Golf Course at the "Flint Drive and Rifle Range Area".

Bob Sullivan
Carson City, Nevada

In a message dated 12/16/2014 12:36:03 P.M. Pacific Standard Time, swin21@aol.com writes:

Hi Bob,
Wanted to make sure you got this. Our support is important. Thanks. Gregg

Vern Krahn

From: Vern Krahn
Sent: Monday, December 22, 2014 3:10 PM
To: 'pjhanson65@gmail.com'
Cc: Roger Moellendorf; Scott Fahrenbruch; Ann Bollinger; Kaja Anderson-Howard
Subject: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

Paul.....

Thank you so much for your timely comments on the proposed disc golf course complex site in Carson City. I will be sure to pass your comments along to the Board of Supervisors.

Thanks for your interest in the project and your potential financial support in sponsoring a hole !!!

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From: Paul Hanson [<mailto:pjhanson65@gmail.com>]
Sent: Thursday, December 18, 2014 6:04 PM
To: Kaja Anderson-Howard
Subject: Re: FW: Disc Golf Course - Advocate's Support Letter

I would support the proposed site, disc golf is a great activity for the community. I helped design and build the one at Truckee regional park. Average park usage prior to the disc golf course was approximately 30-40 people a day, it is now 200-300 a day. As this sport continues to gain support, I believe it is a great asset to every community. Not only is there potential for additional revenue for the city through tournament events, but a great free activity for families and a place to make new friends. I have witnessed this first hand in Truckee and know the course would get plenty of support from our local businesses. I am currently a manager at Costco in Carson City and sure we would sponsor a hole, as I'm sure many other local businesses would.

If you have any additional questions, I will be happy to answer/ assist.

Sincerely, Paul Hanson.
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