



STAFF REPORT

Report To: Board of Supervisors **Meeting Date:** February 21, 2019

Staff Contact: Nancy Paulson, City Manager

Agenda Title: For Possible Action: Discussion and possible action on the Board of Supervisors' position on Nevada League of Cities and Municipalities' (NLC&M) sponsored bills, including Assembly Bill (AB) 3, AB 18, and Senate Bill (SB) 10 of the 80th (2019) Session of the Nevada Legislature. (Nancy Paulson, npaulson@carson.org)

Staff Summary: NLC&M requests support on three bills it is sponsoring this legislative session. AB 3 authorizes the Department of Taxation to issue additional marijuana licenses at the request of the governing body of an incorporated city; AB 18 authorizes a city, town or General Improvement District (GID) to install Americans with Disabilities Act compliant ramps within a utility easement; and SB 10 revises provisions governing compensation of members of the board of trustees of a GID.

Agenda Action: Formal Action / Motion **Time Requested:** 5 Minutes

Proposed Motion

I move to (approve, oppose, or remain neutral) on Nevada League of Cities and Municipalities' sponsored bills AB 3, AB 18, and SB 10.

Board's Strategic Goal

Efficient Government

Previous Action

None.

Background/Issues & Analysis

During each session of the legislature, the City Manager reports proposed legislative bills that are of interest to or that impact Carson City. In this case, NLC&M is seeking action by the Board on bills it is sponsoring. The Board may vote to support, oppose or remain neutral on any proposed bill. NLC&M is requesting the Board support its sponsored bills. A summary of the bills is attached and full text can be found at the following:

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/5887/Text>

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/5904/Text>

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/5866/Text>

Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation

NRS 244.146; Carson City Charter, Art. 2, Sec. 2.090

Financial Information

Is there a fiscal impact? No

If yes, account name/number:

Is it currently budgeted? No

Explanation of Fiscal Impact:

Alternatives

Take a position to support, oppose or remain neutral on NLC&M sponsored bills;
Not take a position;
Mayor remand back to staff with instructions based on discussions on the record.

Attachments:

[League of Cities Legislative Bills.pdf](#)

Board Action Taken:

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

(Vote Recorded By)



NLC&M
Council of Mayors & Chairs
TeleMeeting
January 28, 2019 – 10:00am

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call – Mayor Bob Crowell, Chair
- II. Informational Item – Chairman’s Comments
- III. Informational Item – Update on the 2019 Legislative Session
- IV. Informational Item – Update on Plans for “Mayors Day at the Legislature”.
- VII. **For Possible Action** – Discussion and Possible to Elect a 2019 Chair and Vice- Chair
- VIII. Adjournment

Connection Information

Council of Mayors and Chairs

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Information Sheet

2019 League Bills

The League's Board of Directors approved the submittal of the following Bills for the 2019 Legislative Session at their August 20, 2018 meeting.

AB3

Amend language in NRS chapters 453A and 453D to allow the Department of Taxation to issue additional licenses for a medical marijuana dispensary (453A) or retail marijuana store (453D) in excess of the number allocated in the respective statutes upon the request of the governing body of an incorporated city.

AB18

Add language to NRS Chapters 268 (cities), 269 (towns) and 318 (GIDs) to allow for the construction, installation and maintenance of wheelchair ramps compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) within any public easement or right-of-way, including without limitation, a public easement or right-of-way dedicated or restricted for use by any utility.

SB10

Amend the cap on compensation that each member of a board of trustees of a General Improvement District by increasing the current limits of \$6,000 and \$9,000 to \$9,000 and \$12,000 respectively. Add language defining compensation as used in this section to be wages and salaries. (NRS 318.085(5)).



NLC&M
2019 Legislative Session
Bills of Interest

BILL#	Sponsor	Purpose
AB2	Clark County	Increases threshold requirement for use of professional engineer, surveyor or architect on a public works project to \$100K (\$35K)
AB3	NLC&M	Authorizes the Department of Taxation to issue additional marijuana licenses at the request of the governing body of an incorporated city.
AB4	City of Reno	Authorizes the governing body of an incorporated city to create a district for a city fire department.
AB5	City of Las Vegas	Creates an exemption to provisions that limit the number of annual amendments to the land use plan of the master plan.
AB18	NLC&M	Authorizes a city, town or GID to install ADA compliant ramps within a utility easement.
AB21	NACO	Authorizes a board of county commissioners to appoint members to certain local governing bodies.

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BILL#	Sponsor	Purpose
AB40	Lt. Governor	Enacts provisions prohibiting gifts by lobbyists to public officers in the State Executive Branch, local public officers and their immediate families; revising Provisions governing financial disclosure Statements filed by public officers and candidates for public office; revising provisions prohibiting gifts by lobbyists to members of the State Legislative Branch and their immediate families.
AB48	Nye County	Enacts provisions making it optional for a board of county commissioners to levy a tax for the support of a district for a county fire department or certain county fire protection districts.
AB50	Secretary of State	Requires all municipal elections to be held on the state cycle (November of even-numbered years).
AB70	Attorney General	Makes various changes to the open meeting law including use of teleconference or videoconference by officials or the public.
AB73	City of Las Vegas	Imposes an additional tax on the transfer of real property in certain larger counties to provide funding for services and affordable housing for persons who are homeless or indigent in the county; authorizing the governing body of an incorporated city to impose an annual surcharge on users of the sewer service of the incorporated city to provide funding for support services and affordable housing for persons who are homeless or indigent in the incorporated city.

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BILL#	Sponsor	Purpose
AB79	Clark County	Creates an expedited procedure for the sale by a county of abandoned property on which delinquent certain taxes, assessments, penalties, interest and costs are owed; establishing the criteria to determine whether property is abandoned
AB82	NACO	Revises deadlines by which certain petitions of minor political parties and independent candidates must be filed; revising the circumstances under which candidates of major political parties appear on or are omitted from the ballot at a primary election.
AB86	Purchasing Division	Makes various changes regarding purchasing by local governments.
SB10	NLC&M	Revises provisions governing compensation of members of the board of trustees of a General Improvement District.
SB11	City of Las Vegas	Exempts certain cities from certain regulations of the State Fire Marshal Relating to building codes; extending the deadline to adopt certain building and fire code standards as required to maintain an exemption from certain regulations of the State Fire Marshal.
SB12	NACO	Authorizes a county to use revenue collected from certain telephone surcharges to pay for an analysis or audit of the surcharges collected by a telecommunications provider.
SB13	NACO	Authorizes the board of county commissioners of a county to form a nonprofit corporation to aid the county in providing certain governmental services.

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BILL#	Sponsor	Purpose
SB25	City of Reno	Revises provisions relating to the imposition of a surcharge which may be collected and used for the enhancement of the telephone system for reporting an emergency; providing that such a surcharge may also be used for the purpose of paying costs for personnel and training associated with portable event recording devices and vehicular event recording devices.
SB36	Clark County	Revises certain provisions relating to the purchase of real property by a board of county commissioners; revising certain provisions relating to the appraised value of certain real property a board of county commissioners offers for sale or lease; authorizing a board of county commissioners to offer real property for sale at auction on the Internet or other electronic medium.
SB42	Division of Environmental Protection	This bill repeals the provisions of chapter 486A of NRS, relating to the use of alternative fuels in certain public fleets of motor vehicles in counties whose population is 100,000 or more.

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SB48	NACO	Authorizes boards of county commissioners in certain smaller counties to impose an additional tax on diesel fuel; authorizing persons who use diesel fuel in motor vehicles operated or intended to operate interstate to request and obtain reimbursement for the tax paid on diesel fuel consumed outside this State under certain circumstances; enacting provisions governing the distribution of the portion of the proceeds of the tax on diesel fuel reserved by the Department of Motor Vehicles to pay reimbursement for the tax; revising provisions governing the projects for which certain smaller counties may use the proceeds of an additional tax on diesel fuel.
SB58	State Controller	Revises provisions relating to relations between local governments and certain public employees.

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BILL#	Sponsor	Purpose
SB61	City of Fernley	Creates the City Diesel Fuel Tax Law; authorizing certain incorporated cities in this State to impose an excise tax on the sale of diesel fuel used in motor vehicles; setting forth certain mandatory provisions of an ordinance by which a city imposes an excise tax on diesel fuel; authorizing certain persons who use diesel fuel in motor vehicles operated or intended to operate interstate to request and obtain reimbursement for the tax paid on diesel fuel consumed outside this State; establishing the approved uses of the revenues of any excise tax on diesel fuel imposed by a city; establishing certain reporting requirements concerning the proposed use of revenues from any excise tax on diesel fuel imposed by a city; providing for the administration by the Department of Motor Vehicles of any excise tax on diesel fuel imposed by a city.
SB64	City of Boulder City	Makes appropriation for construction of a visitor center and linear park at the Nevada State Railroad Museum in Boulder City.
SB65	City of West Wendover	Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the creation and maintenance of branch offices in the City of West Wendover and the City of Caliente.
SB67	Division of Emergency Management	Revises provisions governing local emergency management.