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Citizens in North Valleys concerned about development

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vernc

Score: 0

6:59 PM on July 9, 2011

We are dealing with two issues here. One is the suburban sprawl which is destroying our downtown. Second is the political corruption which allows developers to buy politicians with campaign contributions. I'm against further sprawl, and I believe any politician voting for it should be in front of a grand jury



3 replies



6genN8V

Score: 0

2:47 PM on July 11, 2011

I don't like the sprawl either. However, I take issue with your "destroying our downtown" comment.



The Downtown area has noticeably improved over the last 5 years. There was a time when nobody frequented the river walk corridor, now the place is teeming with people - and I am not taking the indigent; it is tourists and locals.



vernc

Score: 0

9:39 PM on July 11, 2011

How about when the sun goes down?



6genN8V

Score: 0

10:42 AM on July 12, 2011

The last two times I was downtown it was after dark. It was bustling and safe.



Washoe

Score: 3

7:16 PM on July 9, 2011



Let's see, are there any Casino's sitting vacant in down town. I think one or two and one in the very center of down town has been vacant for six years and is own by another outside group from France. We have the down town for casino's let's leave the outter area for homes and families.



Name withheld

9:07 PM on July 9, 2011

Score: 0

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craigevans123

10:50 PM on July 9, 2011

Score: -1

A handbook for the second phase of the Vista Hills development was filed with the city in December by RMT-HRCF Sky Vista LLC and has yet to make it to Reno's planning commission. When weighing the difference between an FHA-insured loan and a conventional mortgage, homeowners should also consider the future of home prices and mortgage rates, check the "Refinance 123" page for more



traceit2

11:21 PM on July 9, 2011

Score: -1

We don't need no more stinking casinos in Reno, especially in the north valleys. What we need are good, well-paying jobs, not another employer offering minimum wage jobs that only illegal immigrants want. Screw the developer, his stinking casino, and all the extra people living in the north valleys that developments like this bring. We don't want or need 'em!

1 reply



WRONGangle

1:44 PM on July 10, 2011

Score: -1

We do need more casinos, competition is good for the market.



wdomkr

8:29 AM on July 10, 2011

Score: 2

Too bad they don't seek investors in the downtown area as posted by Washoe. Downtown vacant buildings should be razed. Then rebuilt on.

Building in Reno has a "shotgun" pattern. If it were more consolidated, then it would be far better.

Reno is not a large metropolis, the sooner that point gets across the sooner it will become financially better.

Unless this new casino is small like the Bonanza, Rail City, Hobey's, etc. etc. They only draw in a majority of clientele that are locals from the immediate area.

The old Park Lane Mall site is another location that would help out locally and with the tourism economy. A gas station with all the bells and whistles would work to get the ball rolling. But a casino would be a great avenue to seek.



big5364

9:21 AM on July 10, 2011

Score: 0



what is needed is to not to have anymore casinos unless it is in the downtown area reopen the ones that are there first and it should be up to the city govt to reopen these places if the owner of the propertys dont want a bussiness there then the city should have the power to make it a parking lot but as we need to pay attention to the good old boys club because it is alive here and we the people need to stop it and put them in prision for breaking the laws with there freindship and oking the deals for there former workers it is called ethics in witch out city and county govt dont have



livedinrenoallmylife

Score: 2

10:20 AM on July 10, 2011

I live in the north valleys and I really dont want them to build a casino out here.Having Bonanza is good enough cause when I go and play the slots and eat at buffets I go to the Peppermill and the Alantis.I really hope it doesnt get built



1959GMC

Score: 0

11:14 AM on July 10, 2011

Just remember... As the City of Reno dropped into a \$600 million dollar bond debt hole it was the development and construction community that made the \$\$\$. Just follow the money -ala Deep who?

And you folks have Dwight Dortch. He's your boy!

Dwight had to recuse himself along with Dan Gustin everytime the Aces Ballpark or the NYNY boys were in town. That's what will happen with your new buddy, Carlos. And Carlos is backed by... Oh, NY and not the Yanks, the Banks.

Good luck.



northvalley

Score: 2

12:48 PM on July 10, 2011

Another casino? Please,they can't be serious !



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