

MAY 2019



NAFT TO HOST TRAFFIC SUMMIT

Traffic Safety Event to Discuss Solutions



In an effort to increase awareness of traffic safety issues plaguing Southern Nevada, Commissioner Naft and Chairwoman Kirkpatrick will be hosting a Traffic Safety Summit on Thursday, June 20, 2019. The educational event will bring together the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department, University of Nevada Las Vegas, Nevada Department of Transportation, Clark County, business owners, and all other individuals and entities impacted by traffic-related incidents in our community.

The day-long meeting focuses on bringing stakeholders together to discuss possible solutions for improving the way we design our roads, implement policy, and enforce laws. "It is our responsibility to ensure that all agencies and individuals within our community are working together and all tools are being utilized to improve the conditions on our roads," said Naft.

If you, your business, or agency would like to get involved, please contact ccdista@clarkcountynv.gov or 702-455-3535.

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Coffee and Conversations, School Visits, Neighborhood Meetings, and more!

In April, Commissioner Naft hosted a series of "Coffee and Conversation" events held at local cafe's throughout District A. The events were held in partnership with members of the Nevada Assembly, whose districts overlap with A. Participating legislators included Assemblywoman Cohen (Protein House), Assemblywoman Jauregui (Joe Maxx Coffee), Assemblywoman Swank (Coffee Bean), Assemblywoman Hardy (Coffee Bean), and Assemblyman Fumo (Grouchy John's). "Outreach and constituent service are among my top priorities as your representative for District A on the Clark County Commission," said Naft.

Commissioner Naft also attended many events in April, including a high school assembly designed to prevent teenagers from drinking and driving, a ribbon cutting of the new Dignity Health Rehabilitation Hospital, and Level Up, where you can play video games while enjoying ice cream and boba.



2019 MOJAVE MAX EMERGENCE CONTEST

Pat Diskin Elementary School Student Sierra Love-Crayton Recognized



“This is the 20th year that we’ve had this contest, and a whole generation of Southern Nevadans have grown up on Mojave Max” said Commissioner Naft.

Fifth-grade student Sierra Love-Crayton of Pat Diskin Elementary School was announced as the winner of the 2019 Mojave Max Emergence Contest on April 11th. She was surprised by the news of her winning contest submission with a visit by the Mojave Max team, including the Mojave Max mascot, as well as County Commissioner Naft and news media outlets. More than 7,100 students entered the 20th Mojave Max Emergence Contest, which ended on March 30, 2019 at 1:28 p.m. with Mojave Max’s emergence. Sierra guessed that Max would emerge on March 30th at 1:26 pm.

NSPCA SEEKS CANDIDATES FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Deadline to Apply for the Board is June 4, 2019

The Humane Network is looking for individuals interested in serving on a new board of directors for the Nevada Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (NSPCA). The Humane Network is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization that helps non-profit animal welfare organizations increase their efforts to provide lifesaving resources to local pet populations. The Humane Network is the appointed trustee over the NSPCA.

“The NSPCA is of critical importance to our community. We need them to function in a safe, reliable manner. This fresh start is an important step in restarting this vital community service,” Naft said.

The NSPCA’s mission is to provide an essential safety net to vulnerable cats and dogs in the Las Vegas area, find loving homes for them, and engage the community in its work. The NSPCA does this by operating a no-kill animal shelter in Las Vegas, offering pet adoptions and providing volunteer opportunities to the community. The deadline to apply for the board is June 4, 2019. To access the application, visit the Humane Network website at www.HumaneNetwork.org. For more information about the opportunity, e-mail Bonney Brown and Mark Robison at info@humanenetwork.org.

KEEP CLARK COUNTY CLEAN

Help Eliminate Litter and Stop Illegal Dumping

Trash damages our community in many ways. Anything that gets dumped in the desert or tossed onto our streets or sidewalks can wind up washed into our flood control network during a storm and end up in Lake Mead.



Cardboard boxes, tree branches, and other types of improperly discarded trash can clog inlets and cause neighborhood flooding. Clark County spends \$12.1 million annually to clean up graffiti and remove trash and debris from streets, parks, public areas, and flood control channels. Illegal dump sites present health hazards. They attract rodents and insects and present physical hazards that can injure people and property. Trash, garbage, and debris harm water quality and natural wildlife habitats. The improper disposal of household chemicals, yard waste, motor oil, rubber tires, and other items damages our environment and can potentially taint Lake Mead. Just like graffiti, illegal dump sites serve as a magnet for additional dumping, vandalism, and criminal activity.

An advertisement for KeepClarkCountyClean.com. It features a blue sofa in the foreground. A green banner at the top contains the website name and a hand icon. Below the sofa, there is a white banner with the text "REPORT ILLEGAL DUMPING (702)759-0600" and the Southern Nevada Health District logo. A small green recycling logo is also present on the left.

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