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1 October Memorial Committee Meeting Aug. 25 Public Invited to Join Email List to Get Updates, Offer Feedback

Clark County's 1 October Memorial Committee will meet at **9 a.m.** on **Wednesday, Aug. 25**, in the Clark County Commission Chambers at the Clark County Government Center located at 500 Grand Central Parkway in downtown Las Vegas.

Committee members will review the results of an online survey conducted from Aug. 2-15 to gather more input from the public to develop a permanent memorial in the Las Vegas Valley. The survey, the second to be conducted since March, was designed to get feedback on what artistic, design and educational features should be included in a memorial. County staff and committee members also will discuss the next steps in the process for soliciting proposals to design and build a memorial. The goal of a memorial project is to remember those who perished in the 1 October attack, honor survivors, first responders and all those affected by the incident, and celebrate the resiliency of our community.

Committee meetings are held at 9 a.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month in Commission Chambers at the Government Center. The meeting agenda is posted on the 1 October Memorial Committee's website page at www.ClarkCountyNV.gov/1OctoberMemorial. The agenda includes information about participating in the meeting online using WebEX for those unable to attend the meeting in the Commission Chambers. Anyone affected by the 1 October attack is encouraged to participate in the memorial development process whether you live in the Las Vegas Valley or outside our community. The public can watch all the meetings live on Clark County Television (CCTV) or online at www.youtube.com/user/ClarkCountyNV/live and www.Facebook.com/1OctoberMemorial.

The County Commission appointed the seven-member 1 October Memorial Committee to gather input from the public and develop a proposal for a memorial. The public is encouraged to visit the committee's website page to join its email list to receive updates about the committee's activities and information about opportunities to offer ideas and input. General comments or inquiries about the committee's work also can be emailed to 1OctoberMemorial@ClarkCountyNV.gov.

Members of the 1 October Memorial Committee include Tennille Pereira, director of the County's Vegas Strong Resiliency Center, serving as Chairman; Karessa Royce, a 1 October survivor, serving as Vice Chairman; Mynda Smith, the sister of 1 October victim Neysa Tonks; Kelly McMahill, Deputy Chief of the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department; architect Dr. Robert Fielden, who established the UNLV School of

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Architecture; Rebecca Holden, public art project manager for the city of Las Vegas Office of Cultural Affairs; and Harold Bradford, a local artist and sign industry designer. Punam Mathur, a well-respected community leader and consultant, is facilitating committee meetings, while staff from Clark County's Parks and Recreation Department and other departments help support the group's activities.

CCTV is available in the Las Vegas area on Channel 4/1004 on Cox cable and on CenturyLink on Channels 4 and 1004 as well as in Laughlin on Channel 14 via Suddenlink. Live streaming of CCTV programming is available at <https://www.youtube.com/user/ClarkCountyNV/live>. CCTV is also available in Boulder City on Channel 4 and in Moapa Valley on Digital Channel 50.3. One may watch CCTV on streaming devices such as Roku, Apple TV and Amazon Fire TV via the YouTube app.

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