

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA

TUESDAY

9:00 A.M.

JANUARY 2, 2001

PRESENT:

Jim Shaw, Vice Chairman
Jim Galloway, Commissioner
Pete Sferrazza, Commissioner

Katy Singlaub, County Manager
Madelyn Shipman, Assistant District Attorney
Amy Harvey, County Clerk

ABSENT:

Ted Short, Chairman
Joanne Bond, Commissioner

The Board met in special session in the Commission Chambers of the Washoe County Administration Complex, 1001 East Ninth Street, Reno, Nevada, with Vice Chairman Shaw presiding. Following the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of our Country, the Clerk called the roll and the Board conducted the following business:

01-01 OATHS OF OFFICE – COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

County Clerk Amy Harvey administered the Oath of Office to newly re-elected County Commissioners Jim Galloway and Jim Shaw.

01-02 AGENDA

In accordance with the Open Meeting Law, on motion by Commissioner Galloway, seconded by Commissioner Sferrazza, which motion duly carried, Vice Chairman Shaw ordered that the agenda for the January 2, 2001 meeting be approved.

01-03 OATHS OF OFFICE – JUDGES/JUSTICES, GID TRUSTEES

County Clerk Amy Harvey administered the Oath of Office to the following newly (re)elected officials:

District Court Judge Jerome Polaha
Reno Justice of the Peace Fidel Salcedo
Sparks Justice of the Peace Susan Deriso
Gerlach Justice of the Peace Phil Thomas
Incline Village Constable Joseph Kubo
Jim Ainsworth, Sun Valley General Improvement District

Fran Short, Sun Valley General Improvement District
Bob Wolf, Incline Village General Improvement District
Kim Toulouse, Verdi Television Maintenance District

Commissioner Galloway expressed his appreciation that these individuals are willing to serve in these positions. Vice Chairman Shaw extended congratulations to all of the newly elected officials. He introduced family and friends in attendance to witness the swearing-in ceremonies. Commissioner Galloway introduced his wife. Judge Deriso introduced several family members and friends.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Al Hesson, area resident, scoffed at the idea that regionalization and consolidation of government services will be successful and criticized Washoe County and the City of Reno, stating the City of Sparks is the only local entity that is close to the people.

Sam Dehne, Reno resident, demanded that he be allowed to apply and be considered for the County position open on the Airport Authority Board of Trustees although he resides within the City of Reno.

Jeanne Hammers read a letter into the record from Assemblywoman Dawn Gibbons to Justice of the Peace Susan Deriso congratulating her on her victory.

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There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

JIM SHAW, Vice Chairman

ATTEST: AMY HARVEY, County Clerk

*Minutes prepared by
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