



**NYE COUNTY
BEATTY TOWN ADVISORY BOARD MEETING**

Beatty Community Center
100 South A Avenue, Beatty, NV 89003

Monday, September 23, 2024

6:00pm

Large Room

Erika Gerling, Chair
Randy Reed, Treasurer
Kelly Carroll, Member
Perry Forsyth, Member
Kyle Lewis, Member

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The Chair of the Beatty Town Advisory Board will open public comment periods by announcement.

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NOTE: All items are approximate except for bid openings, public hearings, and any other items agendized at a specific time. Items on the agenda without a time designation may be taken out of order. The Board may combine two or more agenda items for consideration. The Board may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time. **NOTICE:** It is anticipated that the items of business before the Advisory Board on *September 23, 2024*, will be fully completed on that date. However, should item(s) not be completed, it is possible item(s) could be carried over and be heard before the Advisory Board beginning at 8:30 a.m. on the next day.

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Public Comment during the Advisory Board Meeting on *September 23, 2024*, will be for all matters, both on and off the agenda, and be limited to three minutes per person. Additionally, public comment of three minutes per person will be heard during individual action items. The Advisory Board reserves the right to reduce the time or limit the total time allowed for public comment. The Advisory Board may prohibit comment if the content of the comments is a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of, the Advisory Board, or if the content of the comments is willfully disruptive of the meeting by being irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational, or amounting to personal attacks or interfering with the rights of other speakers. Persons are invited to submit comments in writing on the agenda items and/or attend and make comment on that item at the Advisory Board meeting.

Pursuant to NRS 241.020, the Agenda for the Advisory Board Meeting has been posted at the following locations. Beatty Community Center, 100 South A Avenue, Beatty, NV; US Post Office, 600 East Highway 95, Beatty, NV; Beatty Library, 400 North 4th Street, Beatty, NV, and the Beatty Senior Center, 200 South A Avenue, Beatty, NV

Support documentation for the items on the agenda provided to the Advisory Board is available to members of the public upon request. Please contact Carrie at the Beatty Town Office (100 South A Avenue, Beatty, NV).

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Special Note: Any member of the public who is disabled and requires accommodation or assistance at this meeting is requested to notify the Beatty Town Office in writing or call 775-553-2050 prior to the meeting.

NOTICE OF TIMED AGENDA ITEMS

BEATTY TOWN ADVISORY BOARD

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT (Three-minute time limit per person.) Action will not be taken on the matters considered during this period until specifically included on an agenda as an action item.
3. Approval of the Agenda for the Beatty Town Advisory Board meeting of September 23, 2024
4. For Possible Action – Approval of the Beatty Town Advisory Board minutes dated; November 27, 2023
5. For Possible Action - Emergency Items
6. Board Member's Comments (This item is limited to announcements, brief discussions of public comments, correction of factual inaccuracies, direction to staff or topics proposed for future board meetings. Lengthy deliberation of topics not on the agenda is prohibited by the Nevada Open Meeting Law.)
7. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation, and decision to select and appoint vacant Vice Chair.
8. Presentation by Patrick Donnelly – As demands on groundwater increase, can the Endangered Species Act save the Amargosa River in Oasis Valley, followed by a question and answer session.
9. Consent Agenda Items – These are items that Staff recommends for approval. The Board reserves the right to move any consent agenda item to the regular segment of the agenda should issues arise that need to be addressed.
 - a. For Possible Action – Discussion of any item from the Consent Agenda Items that needs review before a decision is made.
 - b. For Possible Action - Approval of Town Vouchers
10. Reports (informational only)
 - i. Secretary

11. General Business

- a. **For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation, and decision to adopt, amend and adopt, or reject the Fiscal Year 2025 Public Safety Sales and Use Tax (PSST) plan for the town of Beatty. – Nye County Sheriff’s Office**
- b. **For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation, and decision to approve, amend and approve, or reject the protest letter to the Bureau of Land Management regarding the Bureau of Land Management Utility-Scale Solar Energy Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)/Resource Management Plan Amendments (PRMP), comment deadline September 28, 2024. – Beatty Town Office**
- c. **For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation, and decision to contribute \$500.00 to the Beatty VFW John Strozzi Post 12108 toward their 2024 free Community Christmas Dinner costs. – Perry Forsyth**
- d. **For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation, and decision to send a letter to the Bureau of Land Management Tonopah Field Office and Best In the Desert regarding route restoration efforts following the 2024 Vegas to Reno race held on August 16, 2024. – Beatty Town Office**
- e. **For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and decision to grant permission to add the Beatty Town Advisory Board signature to other agency letters regarding the Bureau of Land Management Utility-Scale Solar Energy Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)/Resource Management Plan Amendments (PRMP) that primarily concur with Beatty’s land use designation positions. – Beatty Town Office**

12. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT (Three-minute time limit per person.) Action will not be taken on the matters considered during this period until specifically included on an agenda as an action item.

13. Adjourn

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING

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COUNTY OF NYE

By the authority of the Beatty Town Advisory Board, I do hereby certify that I have caused same to be posted at the places below mentioned, the Agenda for the Beatty Town Advisory Board's Meeting for *September 23, 2024*, not later than 9:00 a.m. on *September 18, 2024*. The undersigned further deposes and says: That on or before *September 18, 2024*, he/she delivered or caused to be delivered, the notice of the Agenda to the above meeting to the Beatty office of the United States Postal Service not later than 9:00 a.m.

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If you would like to speak, please identify yourself by saying and spelling your first and last name.

Signed C. Radomski

Date: 9/17/24

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