

The logo for the City of Sparks features the words "City of Sparks" in a green, cursive font. The word "Sparks" is significantly larger than "City of". To the left of the letter "S" in "Sparks" is a stylized orange sunburst or flower icon with eight petals. The background of the slide is white, with a decorative green and orange wavy graphic at the bottom.

City of Sparks

77th Nevada Legislative Session Wrap-Up
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Disclaimer

Note: As of this date for agenda submittal, June 4, 2013, this presentation is subject to change as bills are enrolled, and reviewed and approved or vetoed by the Governor.

New Legislation

- **AB 7** - Changes definition of a casino/resort in Washoe County
- **AB 18** – Addresses relinquishments of state highways to local governments and vice versa.
- **AB 25** – Provides local governments to impose special assessments on property owners for the abatement of certain conditions and nuisances.

New Legislation

- **AB 44** – Address storage of trash and recycling containers in HOAs (NLCM)
- **AB 46** – Washoe County School District Capital Improvements. Requires 2/3 Vote of the County Commission.
- **AB 68** – Revises C-Tax Formula
- **AB 85** – Eliminates joinder contracts for construction projects

New Legislation

- **AB 87** – Provides for consistent school development standards in Washoe County.
- **AB 139** – Requires local government's to participate in the Secretary of State business portal.
- **AB 150** – Establishes a local government oversight committee during interim.

New Legislation

- **AB 145** – Optional funding for complete streets
- **AB 172** - Changes for use of preferences within NRS 338. Would require 100% of workers on the job to possess a NV Driver's License as well as a higher percentage of vehicles being titled in NV.
- **AB 247** – Buy American Act (Steel and Iron)

New Legislation

- **AB 286** – Special events and medical personnel and first aid
- **AB 417** – Establishes a revolving loan account for business in redevelopment areas
- **AB 496 (*SB 1)**– More Cops Bill – Metropolitan Police Department

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New Legislation

- **SB 4** - Expands testing of public employees who come into contact with blood borne pathogens or other diseases
- **SB 37** – Increases penalties for destruction or theft of public property (NVLCM)
- **SB 165** – Tax credits for the movie industry

New Legislation

- **SB 237** – Expands graffiti offenses
- **SB 374** – Medical Marijuana Dispensaries
- **SB 304** – Sparks Charter Bill
- **SB 404** – Prohibits deceptive trade practices on-line i.e.: “Sparks Florist”

New Legislation

- **SB 406** – STAR Bonds Revision, no impact to Legends
- **SB 509** – Sparks Room Tax Bill, preserves current account, and continues tax

Not Enacted this Session

- Tax Reform
- Prevailing Wage Reform
- PERS Reform
- Collective Bargaining Reform
- Public Safety Consolidation

- **SB 2** - Functional Home Rule
- **SB 68** - Required underground utilities in Redevelopment Areas
- **SB 171** – Matching grants for public works projects
- **SB 457** – Ward only voting during general elections (Sparks, Reno, Henderson, Carson City) - **VETO**

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