## Agenda Item 6. Presentation, discussion and possible action on Economic Development (For Possible Action)

- 6.1 Briefing on and discussion of region's economic development initiatives
  - State of Nevada
    - AB 449
    - Governor's Office of Economic Development (GOED) (http://www.diversifynevada.com/)

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(for key industries see <a href="http://www.diversifynevada.com/key-industries/">http://www.diversifynevada.com/key-industries/</a>)

- Catalyst Fund
- Development Authority funding
- ➤ ReCharge Nevada
- Western Nevada Development District (WNDD)
  - Overview of WNDD
  - Stronger Economies Together (SET) initiative (<a href="http://www.unce.unr.edu/programs/sites/set/">http://www.unce.unr.edu/programs/sites/set/</a>)
  - Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS)
- 6.2 Discussion of the City's economic development role in regional initiatives and strategies
  - > EDAWN has prepared and gained GOED approval of a 3 year strategic plan (copy attached)
    - On what Objectives and Strategies in the plan is EDAWN focusing resources?
    - Which Objectives and Strategies should Sparks and EDAWN work on collaboratively? In what manner?