

# BLAST Business License/Web Update





## **BLAST**

(Business License Accountability Support Team)

#### **GOAL**

Collecting delinquent fees for city services and permits provided to commercial businesses/vendors.



## **BLAST BENEFITS**

Protect Sparks' businesses from unfair competition by unlicensed businesses



## **BLAST BENEFITS**

Protect Sparks' citizens from Fire/environmental dangers of uninspected/unlicensed businesses





## Problem:

691 Business License Accounts were delinquent or status was unknown (closed, etc.)



## **BLAST RESULTS**

## Outcome:

From the initial 691:

232 were renewed

were retired

183 pending

\$65,358 in fees were collected



#### **BLAST NOW**

Since the big 'push' to collect licenses, more have become delinquent, causing a renewed effort to stay up on this process.

One way to stay current is the new Business License On Line Lookup Tool



## Business License On Line Look Up Tool

**Demonstration** 



#### **BLAST** into the Future

Press Release
Ordinance Revisions
Multi Jurisdictional Computer Processes
Online Renewal
Up-front Fee Collection
.....Just to name a few



Questions?