

*A community partnership between the City of Sparks,  
the Sparks Heritage Foundation, and local volunteers*

# Sparks Museum & Cultural Center

Annual Report  
July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017



Presenter:  
Barbara J. Young, MBA  
President, Board of Trustees

# Volunteers



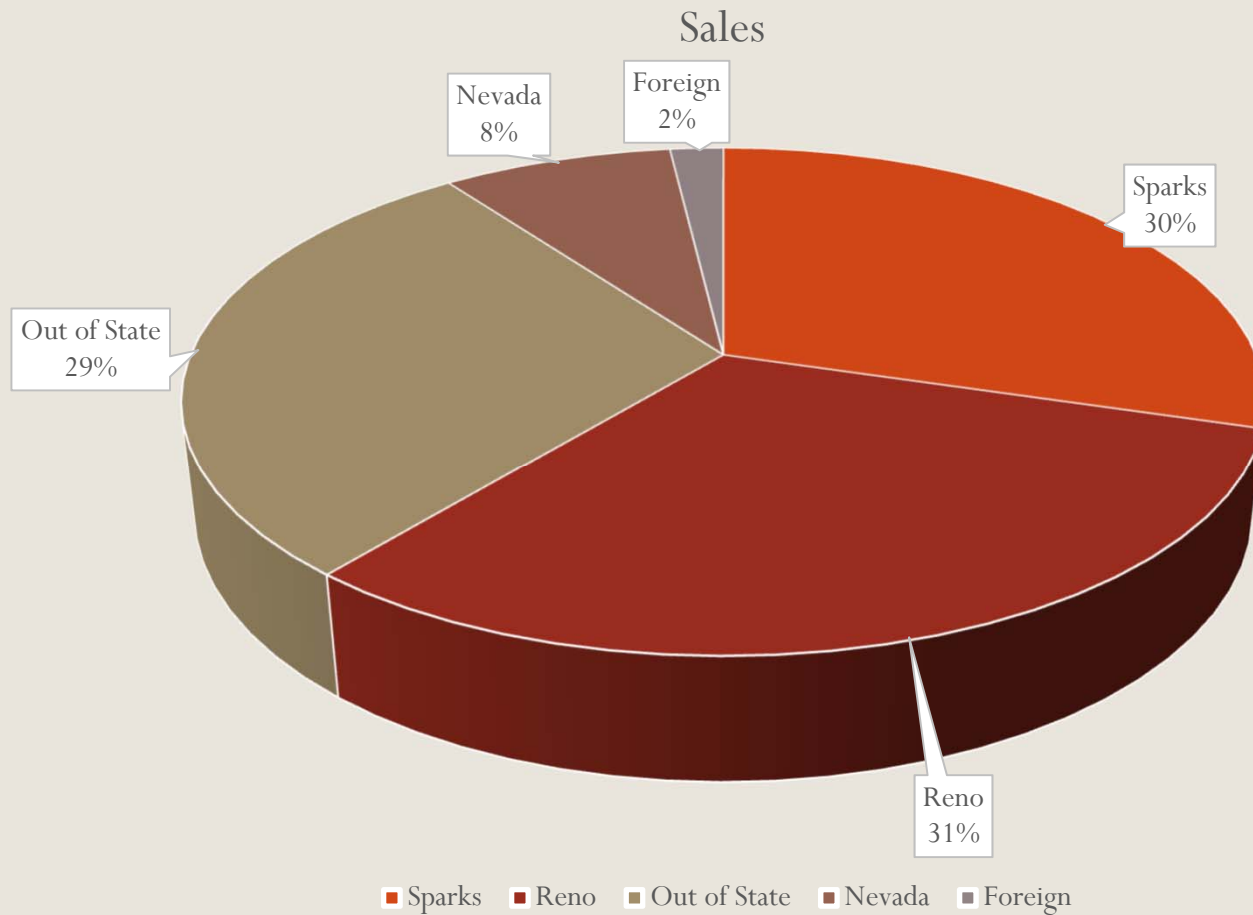
July 2016 – June 2017  
6,405 hours donated  
by 40 volunteers.

- The Bicentennial Train Exhibit

7,000 visitors in Fiscal Year 2017



# 31 % of Visitors outside Nevada



# By Appointment Docent Tours

## Over 500 learn the history of Sparks

- Church Academy
- Church Girls
- Diedrichson
- Excel Christian School
- Florence Drake
- Home School
- Magic Treehouse
- Marvin Moss
- Reed High
- Senior Club
- Van Gorder
- Scouts Boys & Girls
- Cascades of the Sierra



# New carpet provided by City

Old Carpet



New Carpet



# Bringing Art & Culture to Sparks

Monthly Saturday Lectures Free

Sierra Watercolor Society Art Exhibits

Latimar Art Club Exhibit

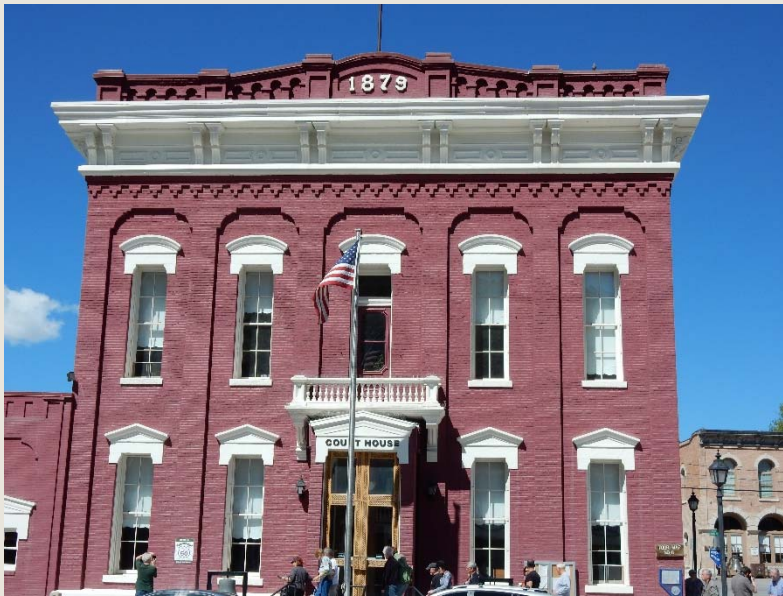
Re-photography Parks now & then

Geographical Divides Nevada artists

Victorian Undress

Sprint of Sparks

# Educational Bus Trip to Eureka





# Community Collaboration



AmeriStamp Expo National  
Convention and Sparks Museum  
Post office artifact



Flag Day in Carson City and  
Sparks Museum 36 Star Flag artifact

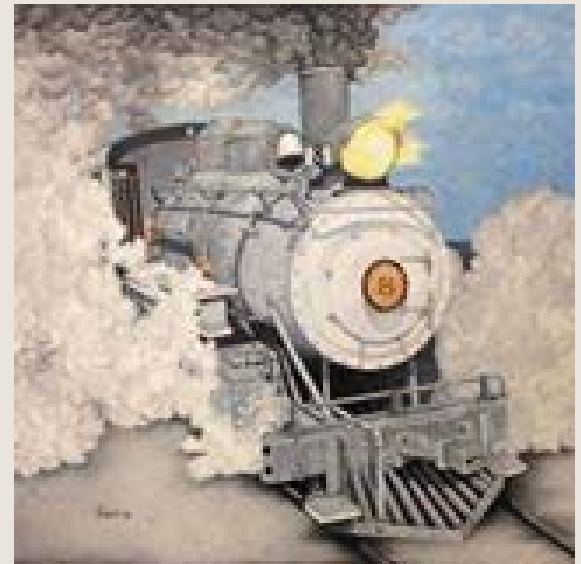
# Cultural Center Rentals

Celebration of Life  
Wedding Receptions  
Baptismal Reception  
Rotary  
Koch Business  
NV League of Cities  
Keller Williams  
Lifeline Screen  
Wooster Reunion  
Sparks High  
Swing Dance  
Many others



# Full Steam Ahead

- Increase community awareness
- Increase educational activities
- Enhance visitor experience
- Expand fundraising strategy to support operations



# Questions

