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STAFF REPORT BOARD MEETING DATE: December 6, 2016

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TO: Washoe County Open Space and Regional Park Commission

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SUBJECT: Discussion on possible agenda items for joint meeting between City of Reno

Recreation and Parks Commission, City of Sparks Parks and Recreation Commission and Washoe County Open Space and Regional Parks

Commission.

SUMMARY

A joint meeting between City of Reno Recreation and Parks Commission, City of Sparks Parks and Recreation Commission and Washoe County Open Space and Regional Parks Commission is scheduled for January 18, 2017, 6:00pm. The meeting is to discuss broad regional issues, trends or initiatives. Staff is requesting input on possible agenda items for the joint meeting.

BACKGROUND

The last joint meeting was held on March 3, 2015. During this meeting the business items discussed were:

- Washoe County 1 Regional Parks, Trails, Open Space and Libraries Bond 2000 (WC-1) allocation status report and discussion of remaining bond funding.
- Review and discussion of regional dog off-leash areas to include planning, potential future sites, funding and management
- Regional aquatic facility needs and discussion on how to meet identified needs
- Update, review and discussion on local and regional trail master plans within the jurisdiction of City of Reno, City of Sparks and Washoe County
- Budget presentations of funding and staffing levels related to each jurisdiction

Based on feedback from the previous meeting and current regional issues, trends and initiatives, staff from the City of Reno, City of Sparks and Washoe County is recommending the following items for the joint meeting:

- Presentation on the One Truckee River Plan
- Presentation and discussion by each agency on parks and recreation master planning efforts
- Discussion on smoking and vaping in public parks