IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

No. 43441

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VILLAGE LEAGUE TO SAVE INCLINE ASSETS, INC., A NEVADA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION, ON BEHALF OF ITS MEMBERS, AND OTHERS SIMILARLY SITUATED,

Appellant,

vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA ON RELATION OF ITS DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION, THE NEVADA STATE TAX COMMISSION, AND THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION; WASHOE COUNTY; ROBERT MCGOWAN, WASHOE COUNTY ASSESSOR; AND BILL BERRUM, WASHOE COUNTY TREASURER,

Respondents.

ORDER GRANTING MOTION

Appellant has moved for a third extension of time to file the opening brief. In support of the motion, appellant states that "[t]he parties to this matter have met in an attempt to reach a global settlement" and that settlement discussions will resume "after the Tax Department complete [sic] its 'supplemental study' as to the property values in Incline Village." Appellant contends that an additional 60-day extension of time "will allow the settlement discussions to be completed and possibly avoid the briefing process altogether." Appellant has attached a stipulation to the extension of time that is signed by counsel for respondents.

Cause appearing, we grant the unopposed motion. NRAP 31(a)(1). Appellant shall have until September 30, 2005, to file and serve

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the opening brief and appendix. Thereafter, briefing shall proceed in accordance with NRAP 31(a)(1).

It is so ORDERED.

YC.J.

cc: Woodburn & Wedge Attorney General Brian Sandoval/Carson City Washoe County District Attorney Richard A. Gammick /Civil Division

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