IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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.

No. 43441

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ORDER DENYING MOTION

Appellant has filed a motion requesting that this appeal be removed from the settlement conference program. Respondents Washoe County; Robert McGowan, Washoe County Assessor; and Bill Berrum, Washoe County Treasurer, have filed a joinder in that motion. Under NRAP 16(a), the settlement judge assigned to an appeal may recommend that the appeal be removed from the program. Thus, any request for removal must be directed to the settlement judge. Accordingly, we deny appellant's motion.

It is so ORDERED.

Pegosti,

A.C.J.

SUPREME COURT OF NEVADA

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cc: Cathy Valenta Weise, Settlement Judge
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