IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

CITY OF LAS VEGAS, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OF NEVADA.

Appellant,

VS.

180 LAND CO., LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED-LIABILITY COMPANY; AND FORE STARS, LTD., A NEVADA LIMITED-LIABILITY COMPANY,

Respondents.

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Appellants/Cross-Respondents,

vs.

CITY OF LAS VEGAS, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,

LAW OFFICES OF KERMITT L. WATERS

Respondent/Cross-Appellant.

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PLEADINGS REQUIRED

Plaintiff Landowners hereby submit these Supplemental Appendix Exhibits in Support of Plaintff Landowners' Opposition to City's Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings on Developer's Inverse Condemnation Claims and Countermotion for Judicial Determination of Liability on the Landowners' Inverse Condemnation Claims and Countermotion to Supplement/Amend the Pleadings Required.

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99	Deposition of Greg Steven Goorjian	16	LO 00003833-00003884
100	2019.01.07 Robert Summerfield Email	16	LO 00003885
101	2019.02.06 Judge Williams' Order Nunc Pro Tunc Regarding Findings of Fact and Conclusion of Law Entered November 21, 2019	16	LO 00003886-00003891
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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 2 I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am an employee of the Law Offices of Kermitt L. Waters, and that on the 4th day of March, 2019, pursuant to NRCP 5(b) and EDCR 8.05(f), a true and correct 3 4 copy of the foregoing document(s): Supplemental Exhibits in Support of Plaintff Landowners' 5 Opposition to City's Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings on Developer's Inverse 6 Condemnation Claims and Countermotion for Judicial Determination of Liability on the 7 Landowners' Inverse Condemnation Claims and Countermotion to Supplement/Amend the 8 Pleadings Required was made by electronic means pursuant to EDCR 8.05(a) and 8.05(f), to be 9 electronically served through the Eighth Judicial District Court's electronic filing system, with the 10 date and time of the electronic service substituted for the date and place of deposit in the mail and 11 addressed to each of the following: 12 McDonald Carano LLP 13 George F. Ogilvie III Debbie Leonard Amanda C. Yen 14 2300 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 1200 Las Vegas, Nevada 89102 15 gogilvie@mcdonaldcarano.com 16 dleonard@mcdonaldcarano.com ayen@mcdonaldcarano.com 17 Las Vega City Attorney's Office 18 Bradford Jerbic, City Attorney Philip R. Byrnes 19 Seth T. Floyd 495 S. Main Street, 6th Floor Las Vegas, Nevada 89101 20 pbynes@lasvegasnevada.gov 21 Sfloyd@lasvegasnevada.gov 22 Pisanelli Bice PLLC Todd L. Bice 23 Dustun H. Holmes 400 S. 7th Street 24 tlb@pisanelli.com dhh@pisanelli.com 25 26 /s/ Evelyn Washington 27

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Exhibit A Peccole Ranch Master Plan, A Master 101 Plan Amendment and Phase Two Rezoning Application, dated 2-6-90

identical, to the one you would take before our judge. Do you understand that?

A. Yes.

Q. All right. And obligates you to tell the truth. Right?

23 A. Yes.

> Q. Okay. To me the most important instruction is just to make sure you understand my question.
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1	because if a judge were to or a jury were to look	1	financial, are not at issue in this case; and this is a
2	at your question and answer, they're going to presume	2	dispute between Fore Stars and the other company the
3	you understood my question and then you chose to give	3	other plaintiffs, and Mr. Peccole and his wife. Do you
4	the answer that you gave. Okay?	4	understand that?
5	A. Yes.	5	A. The other plaintiffs, can you be clear on who
6	Q. So because that would be the natural	6	they are?
7	assumption or presumption that a judge or jury would	7	Q. The land companies of my clients. So
8	have, do make sure that you understand my questions or	8	Fore Stars, Ltd., 180 Land Co and Seventy Acres LLC.
9	opposing counsel's questions before you answer; and if	9	A. Okay. And they're all under the
10	you don't or you're not certain, just ask me to	10	Q. They own different aspects different
11	rephrase it and I'm happy to do that. This is not a	11	property of the overall, formerly known as, Badlands
12	contest of iron wills.	12	Golf Course.
13	A. Yes.	13	A. Got it. Understood.
14	Q. It's just a matter of trying to learn about	14	Q. The 250 acres are owned by those three
15	the facts and circumstances that you might bring to	15	companies.
16 17	this testimony in this case, and I'll explain to you	16 17	A. Yes.
18	why there are issues here that you would have some answers to. Okay? At least I think they're relevant.	18	Q. Originally owned by Fore Stars, and then
19	A. Okay.	19	Fore Stars transferred property to the two other properties, kind of matching their names. Transferred
20	Q. And as we go along. And so make sure you	20	about 180 acres to 180 Land Co and about 70 acres to
21	understand the question.	21	Seventy Acres LLC, retaining to itself the PD-zoned
22	A. Yes.	22	land of the club and the property adjoining the
23	Q. Also, you're doing great. Just let me finish	23	Queensridge Towers, the high towers. That area.
24	my question or opposing counsel finish his question and	24	Right?
25	then answer. Let's don't speak over each other,	25	A. The members in those LLCs, are they
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1	because the court reporter cannot take down things	1	different?
2	down in stereo. Okay?	2	Q. They are. I believe individual trusts of the
3	A. Yes.	3	Dehart family and the Lowie family.
4	Q. So just wait, one at a time. This is	4	MR. PECCOLE: I'd like just for the record to
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	again, this is I'm trying to be as easy as I can for	5	read into the record who the plaintiffs are. It's
6	again, this is I'm trying to be as easy as I can for you. I think I have about an hour, hour and a half's		read into the record who the plaintiffs are. It's Fore Stars, Ltd
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Greg Steven Goorjian Fore Stars, Ltd., et al. v. Robert N. and Nancy Peccole Page 13 through a marriage and through employment, connected to Q. All right. And at some point there had been the Peccole family as they owned property in what I a joint venture between Peccole and Triple Five. Is call the general area of what -- Rampart or Fort Apache 3 that right? and West Charleston. Is that right? 4 A. Yes. 5 Q. Okay. And in a general term, what property A. Yes. Q. Okay. So in your own words, would you tell did they have during the period of joint ventureship us what your historical relationship has been to the before they had litigation and separated their -- their Peccole family and if you had a job title or duties and own properties? What property did they have a general responsibilities, like, for example, playing a role in 9 joint ventureship with? 10 10 the sale of estate lots, which I understand you were A. They had -- my understanding would be that involved with. Just kind of give us an outline, 11 11 their partnership was everything but Canyon Gate, what overview of that. 12 12 was Canyon Gate at the time. So that would have been 13 13 A. Was married to the youngest daughter, and everything that was west of Hualapai -- I mean west of 14 entered the family in 1983, '82, '83. 14 Rampart and Fort Apache, same street, and everything 15 Q. The daughter's name was what, please? 15 north from -- north Charleston to south Alta. 16 A. Leann. Q. Got it. Okay. Now, following up your 16 17 Q. Okay. Thank you. 17 narrative and your answer, I have some questions. One 18 A. Worked directly with the Peccole family from 18 of the tasks that you had, you've indicated, was about the summer of '83 to -- it must have been right 19 helping the family develop the property; and part of 19 20 around '8 -- '90, '89, '90, planning the property, 20 that initial work would be obtaining zoning. Is that 21 assisting in planning the property, assisting in zoning 21 right? the property. Assisted in some of the start-up 22 22 A. Correct. 23 development as a marketing and sales director, would Q. And there are three classifications of 24 have been my -- my title once we started developing, 24 zoning, the largest one being R-PD7, but there's some which the first was the corner of Sahara and Durango. 25 other, commercial and others, multifamily. Page 14 Page 16 1 Was that part of the role that you had, was And then the family divorced and separated in late '89 or '89. Left and went to work for another working and obtaining the R-PD7 zoning? company, not in the development business. Came back to 3 A. It wasn't my direct responsibility. We had the Peccole family in -- gosh, I want to say '94, and engineers and planners. They represented us when it got very much involved in what was then going to be came time to get zoning. We, as a family, were all Oueensridge and then became Queensridge North as 6 involved in planning and engineering and reviewing and well -- so the two, Queensridge and Queensridge North 7 looking at, you know, how it was going to be further developed. as well -- as VP of marketing of sales and/or marketing 8 director, whatever they felt like calling me that day. 9 At that point in time, now, was much more 10 10 Q. Okay. And who were the owners or who were involved in zoning issues prior to 1990. Okay? 11 11 your employers within the meaning of that last answer? Q. The zoning that was placed on that 12 A. My employers would have been Peccole-Nevada property -- I call it the golf course -- was in 1990. 13 Corporation and the trusts, which was the -- I think it 13 It was the R-PD7, along with the other two types of was the 1986 Trust and there was a limited liability 14 zoning. Do you recall that? 14 15 15 company as well that was involved in that. A. I do. 16 Q. All right. 16 Q. Okay. And the -- I thought one of the more

- A. And Peccole-Nevada Corporation was the 17 manager, I believe; and that's who I directly worked 18 for. 19
- 20 Q. There was one entity that I've seen some papers and names. I'll refer to it as Legacy. Are you familiar with that? 22
- A. I'd have to be refreshed. 23
- Okay. Fair enough. 24
- But I am familiar with it. 25 A.

17 unique things about this property was it was zoned 18 R-PD7 as a basic zoning. Even though in later years it 19 was going to be used as a golf course, it still 20 retained its zoning classification from 1990 right 21 through the present date. 22

MR. PECCOLE: I would like to object on the 23 form of the question.

Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) And he -- just so you understand it, Mr. Peccole can object to any question I

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Page 17 have. Then after he does so, you're obliged to still before we would have had any golf course deal. 2 respond, okay, if you could. We master-planned that property and -- boy, A. Okay. 3 back in the '80s, we master-planned that whole Q. But he can object to maybe the way I ask a 4 property; and Bill had master-planned or had a plan on question or the substance, whatever. So appreciate it prior to that plan. Okay? So there was always -- that was always 6 that. Okay. 7 So I'll go back to the question. Was -- what residential land. 8 8 was the purpose for the companies zoning the property Q. Got it. 9 MR. PECCOLE: I would like to object to the R-PD7 or the other two zoning classifications, 10 10 commercial and multifamily? question as being speculative. 11 MR. JIMMERSON: All right. Thank you. 11 A. That's a -- the purpose -- okay. Now we're -- I'm semi-speculating and also have some 12 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Now, there's two 13 background to it. I would say that it would have different projects, as this turns out. The way we look 13 been -- it would have been there as a fallback 14 at it now, we have the benefit of hindsight. There is 15 15 position, call it. the Peccole Ranch plan to the south of Charleston 16 Q. And you mean in case they didn't always Avenue, West Charleston Avenue. Right? 16 17 maintain the property as a golf course, they had the 17 A. Correct. 18 ability to develop it? 18 Q. And then there is, as we see, the Queensridge 19 19 master plan homes that are on the -- I call it the A. Mr. Peccole had tremendous foresight, and 20 always, believe it or not, planned for the worst. north of West Charleston. Is that true? 21 Q. And so in that regard, he planned for the 21 A. Correct. fact that the property may not always be a golf course 22 Q. All right. And there were two different 2.2 and it could be developed? Is that right? 23 plans and two different projects? Is that right? 24 A. That there might be circumstances that it 24 25 would no longer be able to be a golf course, whether it 25 Q. And separated by years of time? Page 18 Page 20 1 1 was financially, water. He always brought up issues A. Correct. like war. He always was very cautious, conservative 2 Q. With the Peccole plan south of Charleston 2 being the first to be developed in the '80s and early Q. And that's why he laid down the zoning of 4 '90s; is that right? 5 R-PD7 and the others as the first level before he got A. Yes. into the use of the golf course? 6 Q. Okay. And then the Queensridge master plan 7 MR. PECCOLE: I object to the form of the was begun in roughly the middle of 1990s, going forward 8 after that? Is that right? 8 question. 9 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Is that right? A. Yes. 10 A. I couldn't speak to why he did -- directly Q. Okay. Now, your roles, you wore many hats 10 11 in -- I guess as needed, as family would need you to do 11 why he did it. It was there as a fallback. Because of 12 the timing of everything, I can't recall whether the 12 during those different years; is that right? 13 zoning came before we even had a golf course deal. 13 A. Yes. Okay? So I do recall that there was -- you know, 14 Q. Okay. And did you have any involvement in 14 wasn't always going to be a golf course automatically, the creation through Karen Dennison and Lance Earl of because you had to find somebody that would do it, 16 the CC&Rs for each of the projects? In other words, somebody who would develop it and be responsible for 17 for the Queensridge -- I'm sorry -- for the Peccole 17 18 plan to the south of West Charleston and later the it, something that the family never really wanted to 19 Queensridge CC&Rs to the north of West Charleston? 19 do. 20 Q. And the zoning predated the finding of the 20 A. Less involvement. Queensridge. Less on the 21 Peccole Ranch side. golf course operator? 22 22 Q. All right. A. See, now this, I can't -- that's -- the two 23 MR. JIMMERSON: Can I see the Queensridge --23 happening, I don't -- can't remember which happened

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chronological.

I'm sorry, the Peccole Ranch. I want to do it

first; but I would, you know, to the best of my
 knowledge, think that we would have had the zoning

Page 21 THE WITNESS: I can't even remember if I was Q. And assuming that that packet is those CC&Rs, the purposes for the developer was to have rules and 2 involved, to be honest with you, on the Peccole Ranch side when we were in partnership with Triple Five. restrictions that would govern that property; is that Prior to Triple Five, yes. After Triple Five, not as 4 right? 5 much; and then with Queensridge, very much. A. Yes. Yes, sir. 6 Q. And it would reserve rights to the developer Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) And to help you, because and would also tell the homeowners who eventually it has been some time, I'm trying to do things in bought in that area what their rights and chronological order, at least as I understand the 9 responsibilities were? chronology. 10 MR. PECCOLE: I object on the grounds as 10 A. Yes. 11 leading the witness and it's form of the question. 11 Q. If I get it wrong, you'll let me know. If I have something out of sequence and you remember it's 12 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) You may answer the 13 13 out of sequence, please tell us, tell us both. question, sir. 14 A. Yeah. 14 A. Yes. I mean, they're covenants, codes and 15 MR. JIMMERSON: We'll mark this first exhibit 15 restrictions. They're part of every -- most as -- what did you mark this one? 16 master-planned communities, if not all master-planned 16 17 MS. POLSELLI: 18. 17 communities, for the purpose of putting into place 18 MR. JIMMERSON: Number 8? 18 certain codes and restrictions that make it -- some 19 might consider it a developer's preserving value. MS. POLSELLI: 18. 19 20 MR. JIMMERSON: 18? All right. Thank you. 20 O. And these on the first -- on the face of 21 (Exhibit 18 marked.) 21 them, is -- appear to be prepared by the law firm of 22 McDonald, Carano, Wilson, McCune, Bergin, Frankovich & 22 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) We've marked as 23 Hicks. Exhibit 18 -- we have a list of exhibits. I don't know 24 that we'll get to all of them, so the fact that we Are you generally familiar with that law firm start with 18, it doesn't mean anything. It's just the 25 in that time period? Page 24 Page 22 way we've marked it before. I'm not certain that we'll 1 1 A. Generally. Just basically Sean McGowan. 2 go 1 through 18. Q. Got it. Okay. A. Okay. 3 A. I didn't hear. Was that part of the Q. So don't get frightened about that, but 4 McDonald, Carano? that's how I've marked it. And these are also having 5 Q. Yes, it was. to do with other exhibits in other depositions, so 6 A. Yes, I do recall that. 7 trying to mark that the same documents. And that is the firm, McDonald, Carano. 8 So I'm showing you what's been marked as Exhibit 18. This document by its face is the Q. And the Peccole Ranch plan to the south of 10 West Charleston is a different project than the later 10 11 MR. PECCOLE: I'd like to pose an objection 11 developed Queensridge master plan; is that right? 12 to this document as being totally irrelevant. 12 A. Yes. 13 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) -- to the Peccole Ranch 13 Q. Both in terms of physical geography as well 14 master declaration. And I believe this applies to the as in time and years? 14 15 15 property largely to the south of West Charleston. A. Yes. 16 A. Uh-huh. 16 Q. Okay. 17 17 Q. And have you seen that document before --A. I believe they were separated by a lawsuit as 18 18 A. I don't believe I have. well. 19 Q. -- today? Okay. Now, you are familiar, of 19 Q. Okay. Now, tell us about that lawsuit, what 20 course, that the Peccole Ranch property to the south of 20 you generally recall about it. West Charleston was governed by CC&Rs --A. There was a partnership that we were involved 22 22 in prior -- it happened prior to my divorce, so it 23 23 Q. -- covenants, conditions and restrictions. would have been in the late '80s -- that we got into Is that right? with Triple Five; and then I left and then that part --

A. Yes.

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1	two partners and ended up in a settlement	1	A. Right.
2	Q. Okay.	2	Q. Right. So I just want to show you the
3	A to avoid a lawsuit.	3	exhibit, number 16, just to help you with the timing.
4	Q. All right.	4	MR. PECCOLE: What is this exhibit?
5	A. And the settlement was, I believe gave	5	MR. JIMMERSON: This is 16, number 16.
6	Triple Five all the Peccole land, which was the	6	MR. PECCOLE: 16.
7	under Peccole what was then Peccole Ranch, which was	7	MR. JIMMERSON: One six, yes, sir.
8	Hualapai to or not all of Hualapai, actually. We	8	Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) This is the lawsuit that
9	retained part of Hualapai. But it was most it was	9	Triple Five Development Group Central
10	what at the time was being developed as Peccole Ranch	10	MR. PECCOLE: I'd like to pose an objection
11	south of Charleston.	11	as being totally irrelevant to our case. Our case
12	Q. Got it.	12	deals with Queensridge. It deals with nothing with
13	A. And then they retained a commercial piece	13	regard to Triple Five.
14	that we had that was on the northeast corner of Rampart	14	MR. JIMMERSON: Your objection has been
15	and Charleston.	15	noted. Thank you, sir.
16	Q. Which is now known as Boca Park?	16	Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) And versus William
17	A. Is now known as Boca Park.	17	Peccole, individually and trustee of the Peccole
18	Q. Got it. Okay. So as part of the resolution	18	1982 Trust and THE PECCOLE 1982 TRUST. Do you see
19	or settlement in the dispute between Peccole and	19	that?
20	Triple Five, just to summarize, the property south of	20	A. Yes, I do.
21	West Charleston became under the ownership of	21	Q. And just again for purposes of the date, it's
22	Triple Five?	22	August of 2000 of 1990. Do you see that?
23	A. And I have that wrong. I have that wrong.	23	A. Yes.
24	Q. Okay.	24	Q. Okay. And as you've indicated, this
25	A. It was just everything south. Triple Five	25	litigation resulted in a settlement and essentially an
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1	ended up with that property they backed into that	1	unwinding of the partnership and an allocation of
2	property a different way years later.	2	properties, or some property under Triple Five's
3	Q. The Boca Park?	3	control, some property under the Peccole family
4	A. The Boca Park. They did not get it in the	4	control; is that right?
5	settlement.	5	A. Yes.
6	Q. Got it. Okay. And Peccole retained the	6	Q. Along the lines generally, geographically, as
7	property	7	you just now described?
8	A. Everything north.	8	A. Yes.
9	Q north of West Charleston?	9	Q. All right. Very good. All right.
10	A. Correct.	10	And do you recall when that settlement
11	Q. Okay. So let me show you what we'll mark as	11	occurred? In other words, the lawsuit begins in August
12	Exhibit 16.	12	of 1990. Is the settlement in '92 or '93 time period,
13	(Exhibit 16 marked.)	13	or if you remember?
14	Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Again, this is just to	14	A. I can't recall.
15	help define the chronology.	15	Q. Okay.
16	A. Yeah. And again, to add, it wasn't	16	A. I do know that it was had to have been
17	everything, because there were properties that were	17	settled before I went back to work there.
18	south I mean, excuse me, east of	18	Q. Okay.
19	Q. Rampart?	19	A. So
20	A Fort Apache and south of Charleston that	20	Q. And you came back to work in 1994, according
21	the Peccoles did retain.	21	to your best recollection?
22	Q. Got it.	22	A. Yes, correct.
	Q. 300 II.	1	0 777

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A. They were commercial pieces. And -- but that 24 goes back to was it east of -- it was east of Rampart.

25 Q. Got it. Or Fort Apache?

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Q. What you earlier said. Okay.

Now, do you know the defendant Robert

Page 29 a named defendant in the litigation? 1 MR. JIMMERSON: Two. 2 2 A. Yes, sir. Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) All right. I'm showing O. Okay. And how or why do you know Robert 3 you what's No. 2. This document is called Master 4 Peccole? 4 Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and 5 5 A. Family and through -- through -- through Easements for Queensridge. Do you see that? marriage and family and Nevadan. 6 A. Yes, I do. 7 Q. Okay. So when -- if you remember generally, Q. Okay. And you can look at the document. It when was the first occasion when you met Mr. Peccole? 8 8 looks to me in the next page that it is recorded in 9 9 1996. A. It would have been around '83. 10 10 And you've known him from then to the present A. Yes. date? 11 11 Q. Is that generally consistent with your 12 12 recollection, Mr. Goorjian? Correct. 13 13 Q. Okay. Now, how -- what has your relationship A. Yes, it is. 14 been with him? I understand family, but are you 14 Q. All right. Now, we've talked about the someone who will have Christmas dinner with him next 15 Peccole master plan development to the south of West 15 Charleston in the 1980s. We've talked about the week? are you somebody who sees him once or twice a 16 16 17 year? How would you describe the nature of the 17 litigation. Now we've talked about the Queensridge. 18 relationship? 18 So tell us what is Queensridge and why it's different 19 A. Cordial and treated like family, but we don't from the Peccole Ranch. 19 20 spend time. We don't socialize together, but very 20 A. Okay. Well, it was intended to be completely 21 warm. 21 different. It was driven by the Peccole family 22 Q. Okay. And have you had any conversations 22 completely, without a partner, so they could do more 23 with him with regard to the litigation that you are things that they really wanted to do. 24 asked to come to the deposition for today of Fore Stars So we had consultants involved. Came up with and the other companies versus Robert Peccole? 25 the name, all the way from naming the project to -- to Page 30 Page 32 moving forward in the project. And the family wanted 1 A. No. 1 Q. Okay. Now, if we could take the chronology 2 to leave a legacy and wanted to do something different, now forward a little bit. We know that there was the 3 so it needed to be and look and feel completely development of Peccole Ranch to the south of West 4 different from everything that's in Southern Nevada. Charleston in the 1980s. We know of the litigation in 5 It was meant to be kept separate -- separated. 1990 that gets resolved some time after 1990 that we've 6 So by -- the ways to do that was basically 7 just discussed between Triple Five and Peccole. Is the guidelines and the -- the building guidelines for that right? the developers that came in there. So we wanted to A. Correct. see -- we had more restrictions in regards to wanting Q. All right. And then something happens after 10 to see stone on the front of the homes, didn't want to 10 that, and that is the development of the Queensridge 11 11 see a lot of clay, barrel-tiled roofs. Wanted to have 12 master development. Is that right? 12 more of a European feel, with pine trees instead of 13 A. Correct. 13 palm trees and -- just have the whole development feel Q. Okay. And I have suggested in my earlier 14 a little bit different than -- than what we see in all 14 questioning that that was in the mid-1990s, like 1995 15 15 of the southwest, which every -- everywhere looks like 16 time period, 1996. Do you have a general recollection 16 a Taco Bell stand. So we tried to avoid that through of that? 17 17 planning and zoning. A. Right around that time, a little earlier, I 18 Q. All right. And there was an amendment, I'm 18 19 advised in the documents, Exhibit 3 to these 19 believe, because we were up there planning off of declarations, dated in 2000. I'd like to show you 20 Charleston. 20 Q. Okay. And I'm going to confirm your 21 that. 21 22 excellent memory by showing you some documents now. So 22 (Exhibit 3 marked.) if can I show you Exhibit No. 2, please. 23 23 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) And are you familiar with 24 (Exhibit 2 marked.) 24 this document? It's called Amended and Restated Master Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and LO 00003841 MR. PECCOLE: What number? 25 25

is that right? A. Yes. Q. Okay. And they were governed by these CC&Rs --A. Yes. Q. -- that we've talked about, Exhibits 2 and 3?

A. There were -- well -- well, I don't know. I

25 believe there were parts of the property that were not

16 MR. JIMMERSON: All right. 17 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Now, as the property that 18 is within the Queensridge master plan which was annexed 19 over the years, between 1996 and the years thereafter, 20 did -- you had a role with the development of those 21 lots --22 A. Yes, sir. 23 Q. -- and the sale of those lots; is that right? 24 A. Yes, sir. Q. Okay. And let me show you -- there were a LO 00003842 25

A. Yes.

Q. All right. Now --

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15 MR. PECCOLE: I'd like to interrupt. I

didn't hear your answer. THE WITNESS: Hale Lane Peek Dennison were the law firm that put together all of our regime of documents. MR. PECCOLE: Could you spell that, the name? THE WITNESS: H-a-l-e.

22 MR. PECCOLE: Hale? Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) And Lane is Steve Lane, 23 L-a-n-e?

25 A. Yeah. 15 the zoning was, what the use was, the different

16 disclosures; is that right?

17 A. Yes.

18 Q. And in some regards, I think the purpose of

19 these documents would be to protect you or the family

20 in terms of making sure that the buyers know what their

21 rights, responsibilities were? Is that a fair

22 statement?

23 MR. PECCOLE: I object to the form of this

24 question. 25

A. Yes. Not me, but the family and, you know, LO 00003843_

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signature of Mr. and Mrs. Peccole below that. Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Do you see that, Mr. Goorjian? A. Yes, I do.

15 16 Q. And you can read the language. It basically 17 is a -- it is a representation being made by Mr. and Mrs. Peccole that they've been on their property and 19 have literally walked the property. Isn't that right? 20 A. Yes. 21 O. Now --

22 MR. PECCOLE: Here again I pose that same 23 objection, that that is blank in the areas where Mr. Jimmerson is referring to. Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) The language that is not

A. Never physically on the lot, no, I don't recall.

13 Q. All right. Do you recall having met with him 14 with regard to the lot?

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Q. Okay. Now, from other testimony, we've -- I had this question to ask you. I'm not going to lead you. I'm going to ask you. But from other testimony, 19 I have reason to ask this question.

20 Did Mr. Peccole ask you for a restrictive deed or some writing that would preclude development of 22 the golf course in future years, or the property behind his property or in front of his lot? 23 24 A. He asked for written assurance that the golf

course would always remain a golf course.

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1	beautiful the area was and stuff like that, of course.	1	A. My best recollection was that we met a few
2	"Well, I'm asking you what he said. I'm	2	times I can't recall if I went to the property with
3	asking you everything the man said	3	them. First was negotiating price, of course, and, you
4	"Everything he said?" she asked.	4	know, I couldn't do that; so he worked that out with
5	Answer	5	the Peccole family and I was told what to price the lot
6	" that you can recall as you sit here,	6	at.
7	ma'am.	7	And then I just the other thing I recall
8	"And he also said	8	was was him asking, you know knowing that there
9	"You've had a lot of time to think about	9	potentially could be something else built there and not
10	this, so please tell us now what this man said.	10	liking it, and asking me if we could make assurances
11	"Answer: He also said that as a bonus, there	11	that that wouldn't happen. And that's all I recall.
12	will never be anything built in front of our home	12	And I couldn't give him those assurances, so
13	either, because it was a golf course and open space.	13	_
14	"Okay. That" "What is the distinction	14	the family.
15	what did you understand Mr. Goorjian to mean when he	15	That's about the extent. I don't feel like I
16	said 'open space' and the words 'golf course' and 'open	16	really had to sell them on the property. They wanted
17	space'? What do you mean" "What do the words 'open	17	the they wanted to live in there. They wanted to
18	space' mean to you as you understand it?	18	buy the lot.
19	"Answer: That there would never be anything	19	Q. And it was being developed by the family?
20	built on the property.	20	A. Yeah. It wasn't like a hard sell.
21	"No, no, but what do the words 'open space'	21	Q. All right. Now I'd like to read from you
22	mean as opposed to 'golf course'?	22	from the deposition of Robert Peccole. Mr. Robert
23	"So 'golf course' means golf course; right?	23	Peccole's testimony occurred on August 13, 2018, in
24	"Answer"	24	these offices. And I'd like to read beginning at
25	"And it was a golf course at the time?	25	Page 177, line 17 through 178, and ending at Page 180,
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1	"Answer: Yes.	1	line 4.
2	"So it was sort of a duplicative statement?	2	So this is the testimony:
3	In other words, 'golf course' means about the same	3	"All right. Did" speaking now to Robert
4	thing as 'open space'?"	4	Peccole, and I'm asking the questions. Jim Jimmerson
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MR. JIMMERSON: Absolutely, sir. No problem.

We'll take a five-minute break

Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Okay. All right.

A. That's all my answer.

21 Q. Okay.

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A. Maps and everything.

Q. Okay. Now I'd just like to show you a few

more exhibits that have to do with the purchase of the

property. The next would be Exhibit 6.

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Q. Okay. And the date is May 1 of 2000? Do you

Q. And Larry Miller signed it as CEO of Nevada

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question, sir.

19 that right?

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. And whether or not you have clear title or 22 not, whether there's a mortgage or not, whether there's CC&Rs or not, that kind of thing, right?

A. Yes.

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Q. And so it gives notice to the property owner

question, please.

A. Could you re-ask it?

1 2 (Page 71, Lines 13 through 16 read by 3 the reporter.)

THE WITNESS: This is correct.

Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) And why was it abandoned? Why was the Peccole Ranch master plan abandoned?

MR. PECCOLE: He's telling him what he wants

Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) You may answer the

MR. JIMMERSON: Would you restate the

A. There was a settlement with Triple Five where they ended up with -- with Peccole Ranch, basically; 10 and -- and so the family took the rest and created

11 Queensridge.

Q. A question I may have asked you before. If I did, I'm not trying to duplicate it. I apologize.

In your conversations -- conversation with Mr. Peccole and/or Mr. Peccole and Mrs. Peccole, do you

remember whether or not you used the words "open

17 space," as Mrs. Peccole quotes you as using?

A. Do not recall, but it is a term I use.

Q. Okay. All right. And what were the

20 purpose -- what was the purpose for you, or other men

or women selling property at Peccole Ranch in the 1990s

22 and 2000s, for having purchasers like Mr. and

23 Mrs. Peccole sign these special instructions and

24 disclosures that I've shown you?

A. Again, so they could be aware of what they're LO 00003851

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1 as to what he takes the property subject to. Is that a fair statement?

A. Yes.

Q. And is that what you are aware of as you did your job for the Peccole family in the 1990s and 2000s? A. Yes.

Q. All right. And so it would not be surprising to you to note that the title insurance would reflect the CC&Rs of the Queensridge master plan, correct?

10 A. They would be recorded against the property, 11 yes.

O. And the earlier and unrelated Peccole Ranch master plan would not be reflected on their deed?

A. Correct. It's not a part of.

15 Q. It's not a part of. And whatever conditions, 16 restrictions, like, for example, if there's a mortgage, that would be reflected here, correct? 17 18

A. Yes.

Q. All right. Thank you.

Now, the Peccole Ranch master plan was never recorded against the real property known as the Queensridge master plan; isn't that right?

A. That's correct.

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MR. PECCOLE: I object to that question as

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Page 73 1 purchasing. 1 Q. Okay. 2 2 Q. All right. Do you recall -- and this may not A. Easements that were needed and items like 3 be within your memory because of your employment. My that. And -- but I don't really know if that was the recollection from your earlier testimony was that you reason why it was consolidated. ceased working for the Peccole family in about 2004. 5 Q. Okay. And by -- would you look at Exhibit Is that right? Do you remember? No. 12 to satisfy yourself that as it relates to the A. No. golf course property that's shown in, you know, the Q. Okay. Tell me when you left. 8 grant, bargain and sale deed, you'll see that there's A. I -- I worked with the family from '82 to no reference to the Queensridge master plan CC&Rs as '89, '90. Came back to work for them '94, and stayed 10 10 somehow being subject to this property. with them to perpetuity. 11 A. It wouldn't have been. 11 Q. Okay. So well after 2004, then? 12 12 O. Okay. And that's because the Queensridge 13 13 A. Correct. master CC&Rs had nothing to do with the golf course 14 Q. All right. Then I can ask you this question. 14 property? 15 Take a look at Exhibit No. 12, please. 15 A. It had not been annexed, yeah. (Exhibit 12 marked.) 16 Q. And so therefore it wasn't something -- the 16 17 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) By our looking at the --17 golf course property wasn't subject to the Queensridge you know, the recorder's records, it appears as if the 18 CC&Rs? 18 19 Peccole family transferred the golf course into the A. Correct. 19 20 20 company known as Fore Stars, Ltd. --Q. Thank you. 21 MR. PECCOLE: I object on the grounds the 21 (Exhibit 13 marked.) 22 22 document speaks for itself. Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) I'm showing you 23 MR. JIMMERSON: Okay. 23 Exhibit 13. This is a map that I think you may have 24 24 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) So my question is, seen before. I don't know. I'll ask you if you have. 25 showing you Exhibit 12, which is the grant, bargain and 25 As you've testified earlier, the Queensridge Page 74 Page 76 sale deed, which, as Mr. Peccole says, speaks for master plan started out with a small piece of property; 1 itself, and says that, "For valuable consideration, and then as the Queensridge master plan was developed, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Peccole 3 they would annex additional property. Is that right? 1982 Trust, dated February 15th, 1982, as to an 4 A. Yes. undivided Forty Five percent interest and William Peter Q. Looking at Exhibit 13, this is what my and Wanda Ruth Peccole Family Limited Partnership, as understanding is: This is a map that references what to an undivided Fifty Five percent interest" -- and it property was annexed into the Queensridge master plan. Have you seen this map before? goes on... makes this transfer. Do you recall in 2004 these two trusts 9 A. Yes, I have. conveyed over to Fore Stars, Ltd., the golf course 10 Q. And have I accurately represented what it is? 11 11 property described in Exhibit 12, the grant, bargain A. Yes, you have. 12 and sale deed of two thousand --12 Q. Okay. And the golf course property, which 13 A. I do recall. 13 was not annexed, is the white --Q. -- five? All right. And the signatory of 14 A. Correct. 14 15 15 the trust at this time was Larry Miller; is that right? Q. -- in this map. And the property that was 16 A. Yes. 16 part of Queensridge master plan is the brown. Is that Q. For both trusts; is that right? 17 right? 17 18 18 A. Yes. A. Yes. 19 Q. All right. Thank you. 19 Q. Do you remember the reason why the company 20 consolidated the golf course property into the entity 20 Let me show you Exhibit No. 14. I just have called Fore Stars, Ltd., and transferred it from the 21 one or two questions about it. 22 (Exhibit 14 marked.) 22 two trusts to Fore Stars, Ltd., in 2005? 23 23 A. My recollection is I believe it was to -- in Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Just completing these concert with the development of the towers, and it had documents, do you recognize Exhibit 14, which is known as a Public Offering Statement for Queensridge North -- LO 00003852 something to do with the towers as well. 25

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A. Yes. Yes.

And so this particular annexation is the

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16 A. Yes, I do. Q. Okay. "Purchasers shall not acquire any 17 rights, privileges, interest, or membership in the Badlands Golf Course or any other golf course, public 19 20 or private, or any country club membership by virtue of purchasing the lot." End of quote.

A. Yes. 22 23 Q. All right. Next, would you look at Paragraph 7 in the same document, please, called "Views/Location advantages." Do you see that? 702-476-4500

Q. And there was a lawsuit between BCG Holdings, 16 LLC, and Fore Stars arising from the desire to develop the golf course property; is that right?

A. BCG?

O. Yes.

A. Is?

Q. BGC. It's a company that Mr. Lowie had an interest in.

A. Okay. Ask me the question again.

Q. Okay. So just remember that the golf course property the Peccoles have transferred into Fore Stars, LO 00003854

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together. That's all.

That's all I have for that. Appreciate it.

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Q. Fair enough. Thank you, sir.

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Page 93 professionals to help them with zoning matters, MR. PECCOLE: And in response, I just say to 2 Mr. Jimmerson it's irrelevant and immaterial to the development matters and the like; is that right? A. Yes. lawsuit that he has filed against my wife and I. Q. Okay. Do you remember the name A. Wayne 4 MR. JIMMERSON: And so that begs the question 5 of why you would make reference to the Peccole Ranch Smith & Associates as a planner --6 master plan in your motion for summary judgment in this A. Yes. 7 lawsuit, Mr. Peccole. O. -- in the mid-'80s? 8 A. Yes, I do. Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Would you also look at 9 this exhibit, Mr. Smith's exhibit. I just want to call Q. Okay. And how do you remember them? 10 A. He was the -- not the original, but he did 10 one document -- one sentence to your attention. the master plan for what was at the time about 11 11 Does this letter, who was the representative 2300 acres of Peccole lands from Durango to Hualapai 12 of the Peccole family, Jackie Guthrie of Wayne Smith & 12 13 Associates, state in the third paragraph, last and Charleston to Alta. 14 Q. All right. I'm showing you number -- I want 14 sentence, quote, The R-PD category is requested, at the 15 to show you an exhibit, then, Exhibit No. 25. 15 direction of the planning staff, as it allows the 16 developer flexibility and the City design control, end (Exhibit 25 marked.) 16 17 17 of quote? Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) This is a letter that 18 bears the date March 26, 1986. Do you see that? 18 A. Yes. 19 A. Yes. Q. All right. Let me just show you -- I'm 19 20 Q. And I just wanted to confirm your own 20 omitting Exhibit 25, and the omission is intentional. 21 testimony earlier today about, in the third paragraph, 21 MS. POLSELLI: 26. That would be 26. 22 MR. JIMMERSON: I'm sorry. 26. I misspoke. 22 the zoning approvals --23 MR. PECCOLE: I would interpose an objection No -- 26, that's right. I'm omitting Exhibit 26, and 24 on the grounds that anything that has to do with the the omission is intentional. And I'm also omitting initial Venetian Foothills has no relevancy with regard Exhibit No. 27 as an intentional omission. Page 94 Page 96 1 to this lawsuit or Queensridge South -- or North. 1 I'll show you Exhibit No. 28. Excuse me. 2 (Exhibit 28 marked.) 3 Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) All right. And I was Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Relative to No. 28, this interrupted in the middle of my question. Let me is a letter from the City of Las Vegas, City Clerk, 5 finish the question, and then I'd like to respond to Kathleen Tighe, to the William Peccole 1982 Trust, the objection. 6 dated May 1, 1990, with regard to zoning that was 6 So it refers to zoning C-1 for the commercial approved by the city council, specifically the R-PD7 sites, P-R for the office sites, C-V for a 5-acre and R -- you know, R-PD7 zoning that's referenced here. community center parcel, and the R-PD for residential. 9 My question to you is, do you know whether or 10 Do you see that? 10 not you've seen this letter before, sir? 11 A. Yes, I do. 11 A. I have not. 12 Q. And these are different zoning designations, 12 Q. Fair enough. Thank you. 13 depending upon the intended use? 13 And this 1990 time period was before A. Correct. 14 Queensridge was ever created, right? Do you see the 14 15 15 O. All right. Thank you. letter I showed you? 16 MR. JIMMERSON: Now just to respond to the 16 A. Yes, it is. objection. Mr. Peccole has raised these issues in a 17 Q. So the Queensridge came to be known six years 17 18 motion for summary judgment; and while I may agree that later, 1996? they have nothing to do with the instant litigation, 19 19 A. Correct. 20 because he has made these express references to these 20 Q. And then the years thereafter? different -- different plans and the Peccole Ranch 21 A. Correct. 22 master plan to the south of West Charleston, I feel Q. After which the old plan of Peccole Ranch was 22 abandoned and then you started with Queensridge six that I'm obliged to at least respond to those in this 23 23 record. But I do agree that the whole issue of Peccole 24 years later? 25 Ranch is irrelevant to the instant lawsuit. 25 A. Correct.

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or -- I can't remember if I was an employee of the project. I really can't recall who paid me. I know 22 that my job was to put the marketing materials together and to presell the towers.

24 Q. And how long would you say you worked for 25 him?

O. Now, in --

A. Let me --

22 I'm sorry.

> Α. Conceptual plan.

24 1986, there was filed an application with a

25 master plan map. Is that correct?

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22 A. Yes, I do.

23 Q. And that's the Peccole Ranch master plan,

correct?

25 A. Yes. 702-476-4500

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to your father.

Q. To who?

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don't think he did own that's shaded here. It belonged

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1	A. Your dad, I believe.	1	A. I don't know what he's asking for. Well,
2	Q. That's correct. So it was it's eliminated	2	this is what the document says, yes. If it's
3	from the map. Correct? You can see it's dark, is	3	whatever this document is stating, that's what
4	what	4	Mr. Peccole was attempting to do.
5	A. Everything that's dark is what's represented	5	Q. Now, when you look at the map of the overall
6	in this partnership, but I believe some of what is dark	6	master plan and that shows you the zoning that
7	here belonged to Bob and Lena, if I'm correct.	7	happens to be designated different parcels; is that
8	Q. No. No, that's not correct.	8	correct?
9	A. Okay. So where is Charleston? Okay. You're	9	A. For those parcels shown in white? Yes.
10	right. It's here is it says Bailey-McGah. And	10	Q. So if you're looking at the portion that
11	that did not belong to Bailey-McGah, right?	11	starts with the going north from Charleston over
12	Q. That's correct.	12	towards the Angel Park Golf Course
13	A. Okay. I got that correct. That's right.	13	A. Correct.
14	Q. And I was if you go along	14	Q those were the zonings in each of those
15	A. That's correct. I got confused.	15	white parcels that he was asking for, is that correct,
16	Q. If you go a couple of pages further in, you	16	for Phase Two?
17	will come to the overall development of the entire	17	A. For Queensridge master or for Queensridge.
18	partnership, correct?	18	These were the zonings he was asking for.
19	MR. JIMMERSON: I'm just going to object.	19	Q. And actually Phase One has already been
20	The document speaks for itself, and	20	almost completed by then, 1990?
21	A. Yes.	21	A. Correct. Which was which they were no
22	MR. JIMMERSON: as Mr. Peccole's	22	longer involved in.
23	indicated, this is all irrelevant to the instant	23	Q. So he was already moving on the north side of
24	dispute.	24	Charleston, and that's what this application is about?
25	THE WITNESS: Yes.	25	A. Because he was no longer involved in the
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1	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) And it does show from	1	south side.
2	Charleston, going north, towards Angel Park it shows	2	Q. Okay.
3	the development that Bill was presenting at that time	3	A. If my mind if my brain here serves me
4	for zoning; is that correct?	4	correctly, he was already I can't recall if he was
5	A. I'm not I can't answer that.	5	already in 1990, if he was already in litigation
6	Q. Doesn't it say this is a zoning application?	6	with Triple Five, but I can't recall.
7	MR. JIMMERSON: I just object	7	Q. If you look at Page 8 of this application,
8	A. I'm not sure if this is what he used.	8	Exhibit A.
9	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) And Phase Two rezoning	9	A. Yup.
10	application?	10	Q. Beginning it talks about Phase Two?
11	MR. JIMMERSON: I'm just going to object.	11	A. Where does it say anything about Phase Two?
12	The witness has testified that this was abandoned in	12	Q. Could you see what it says? It's saying
13	favor of Queensridge years later, and he's not familiar	13	A. Am I looking at this?
14	with the document.	14	Q. No. You should be at Page 8.
15	I can't instruct the witness not to answer	15	A. Eight. Mine are not paginated, so let me see
16	the question, but it's unfair to the witness. So	16	here. Okay. There we go. Eight. I'm there.
17	that's my objection.	17	Q. It's saying Phase Two, Peccole Ranch
18	THE WITNESS: Ask the question again, Bob.	18	comprises approximately 996.4-acre.
19	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Is this an application, for	19	A. Okay.
20	Phase Two rezoning application? Directing your	20	MR. JIMMERSON: I'm just going to object to
21	attention to the first page.	21	the question. The document speaks for itself.
22	A. That's what it that's what it states,	22	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) And that's bounded by Angel
23	correct.	23	Park Golf Course on the north, Durango on the east,
24	Q. And so in this application he's Bill was	24	small sections of Sahara Avenue, Charleston Boulevard
25	asking for rezoning? Is that correct?	25	and Alta Road on the south and Hualapai on the west.

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1	F on pages 13 and 14). The surrounding community as	1	and R-PD18, R-MHP, P-R, C-1, C-2 to R-PD3 (residential
2	well as project residents may use the open space system	2	planned development), R-PD7 (residential planned
3	to travel to neighboring areas including Angel Park."	3	development) and C1, (limited commercial). Okay.
4	In other words, it was offered to the city at	4	Q. Okay.
5	that time by Bill Peccole that there was going to be	5	A. But I'm not aware if there's something that
6	all this open space	6	came after this.
7	MR. JIMMERSON: Objection.	7	MR. JIMMERSON: Also object there's no
8	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) and I would assume that	8	question pending.
9	a salesperson would be aware of that.	9	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) When you were involved in
10	MR. JIMMERSON: I'm just going to object on	10	the actual the south side
11	the grounds there are several objections. Number	11	A. Yes.
12	one is the witness is not familiar with this document,	12	Q Phase One, there was this full map was
13	and was not an employee of the Peccole family when this	13	in effect of the overall master plan. How did they
14	document was being prepared, number one.	14	carry that? Were those carried as resolutions of
15	Number two, this document reflects a plan	15	intent?
16	that was later abandoned by the family in favor of a	16	MR. JIMMERSON: Object to the form of the
17	new plan and a different area called Queensridge. And	17	question.
18	number three, the document speaks for itself.	18	A. Don't know. Don't have that answer to that.
19	THE WITNESS: And I'd like to comment that	19	Bob, I wasn't I was not around, again,
20	that's that's kind of how I see it. This document	20	from 1989 till 1994.
21	is superseded by another document, another plan,	21	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) I'm talking about 1986 to
22	so	22	1990.
23	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Well, let me just put it	23	A. Okay. We and all we did was focus on
24	this way: This was the initial adopted plan. And just	24	we had a lot of things that we did an overall
25	to, you know, make a point, take a look at Exhibit 28	25	conceptual plan for the property. Okay?
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Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Anyway, the only question I

was trying to ask you is if you had any idea were

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MR. PECCOLE: I'm asking him to read the

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17 required to, include single-family residential subdivisions, attached multi-family dwellings," et cetera, et cetera, and then it says "golf course," 19 20 "open spaces"?

21 The point I'm making here is you have another type of property. It's called a use, and use of the 22 23 land. 24

MR. JIMMERSON: I'm going to object. That completely misstates the words of Paragraph B.

A. Absolutely. Q. Have you ever read them? A. Yes. Q. Well -- and you don't know what -- the property may be a use and it doesn't have to be land? MR. JIMMERSON: I'm going to object to the argumentative nature of the question. A. It is land. It's all land. I don't get where you're going, Bob. Page 128

Page 126 O. (By Mr. Peccole) Is that correct? A. I don't know where -- I don't --Q. You can't see that, can you? And you were selling land under -- handing these documents to people. This is the CC&Rs.

A. When you say "use of the land" --MR. JIMMERSON: I'm just going to object to 8 the question.

A. -- I don't -- ask your --

10 MR. JIMMERSON: There's no question being 11 asked.

12 A. Ask your question again. You didn't ask me a 13 question.

14 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) I did.

A. Okay. Ask it, please.

16 Q. Okay. Do you see the term "The Property,"

with a capital P, right after --17

A. Yes. Okay. Yes.

19 Q. -- "may" --

20 A. Okay.

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Q. -- "but is not required to include," and then 22 it comes down to "golf course," "open spaces."

23 A. So is it saying that it may or may not

include those? 25 Q. Yes. And if they're built, it includes them. Q. (By Mr. Peccole) It says it's a use. The

A. May be. It could have various uses.

Q. That's what I'm saying. It's a golf course

that's got drainage as a use.

A. Yes.

property may be.

7 Q. It's got a golf course as a use.

A. Yes.

Q. And it's got open space as a use.

A. And it has underlying zoning of R-PD7.

Q. We don't know that because the application

12 said it was zero -- oh, excuse me. Dash.

13 A. No, but my disclosures that I had you sign 14 and the maps that I showed you --

A. -- stated that it could be. Okay? And in

17 these CC&Rs, it states what it could be some day.

18 Okay? I believe -- if I read them correctly. 19

Q. Wouldn't you be saying to me, "Well, Bob,

20 I've read the CC&Rs and property could be a use," which

would be the golf course, which would be drainage, and which would be open space?

23 MR. JIMMERSON: I object to the form of the

A. When did I say that to you? ? Now? **LO 00003865**

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drainage could go away? That's assuming that the golf course is all

drainage. Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Okay. Let's assume that. How about an 84 --

A. No, I never told you that it could go away. 24 25 Q. No, you didn't.

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Smith and affirmed by the Nevada Supreme Court on

MR. PECCOLE: Judge Smith isn't in this

MR. JIMMERSON: -- and the question,

Page 133 1 The provisions of 5.2.4 have to do only with engage in insults, you would have difficulty speaking 2 the, capital P, property, not with property that is not 2 the English language. defined within this agreement. That's my objection. 3 O. (By Mr. Peccole) I'll ask you this question. Therefore, it is an intentional misstatement 4 A. Okay. by the questioner, and it's unfair to this witness in 5 5 Q. If I tell you there is an 80-foot-wide light of that fact. 6 easement that goes all the way through the 18 holes, 7 You may answer the question, Mr. Goorjian, what would your answer be under this paragraph, 5.2.4? 8 8 after I've made my objection. A. An 80-foot easement that goes through the 9 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Was the -- in your 9 whole property? 10 10 knowledge, was the golf course, both the 18-hole and Q. Through the whole 18 holes. the 9-hole courses -- were they part of the flood 11 A. I don't know what it is. I may have at one drainage system? 12 time, but I don't recall it now. I know that -- I do 13 13 A. Portions of, not all of. And if I -- this know that we -- I do recall helping water get to 14 is -- I'm just recalling to the best of my 14 Summerlin somehow, but I don't know if that's the 15 15 recollection. 80-foot easement. It wouldn't be that wide, so . . . 16 That most of the -- you know, portions of the Q. How about -- how about the nine holes being 16 17 golf course was in Barranca area, which was natural 17 entirely dedicated flood drainage easement? drainage, okay. So there is some of it that was and 18 A. Are we talking about the last nine holes? 19 then there was some that was not. So it's not all. Q. Yes. 19 20 20 And there's other forms of drainage other A. Absolutely not. 21 than just that piece of property as well. So 21 You're saying it's not -- I'm just saying to drainage -- drainage and storms and these things cover 22 22 you --23 the whole property, and there's -- there's portions A. I'm saying it's not all drainage, no. 24 that, yes; and there's portions, no. 24 There's a good portion of that property that's not MR. JIMMERSON: Let me also note my objection 25 25 drainage. Page 134 Page 136 that the last sentence of Paragraph B of Page 1 and 2 1 Q. I'm just saying, too, you never said anything of the recital states, quote, The existing 18-hole golf 2 about drainage that -- to prospective buyers of the course, commonly known as the Badlands Golf Course, is 3 lots? not a part of the, capital P, property or a part of, 4 MR. JIMMERSON: I'm going to object to the 5 quote, annexable property, end of quote. question --THE WITNESS: And then became 27 holes. 6 A. No. 7 Q. See, he's trying to, you know, give you a MR. JIMMERSON: -- as it misstates -- there's 8 8 hint here. no question pending, and it misstates the facts. 9 (Mr. Lowie joined the deposition.) 9 A. I don't know why I would talk about drainage, 10 MR. JIMMERSON: Object. 10 no. I mean, it's in the document that's supposed to be Q. (By Mr. Peccole) But it doesn't work that 11 11 reviewed and read by the buyer. 12 way. 12 I don't go over -- I go over the purchase of 13 A. No, that's fine. Go ahead. 13 contracts, but you don't go over the CC&Rs, each MR. JIMMERSON: Let me just object -- let me 14 sentence, with a buyer. They take these documents and 14 15 15 just -have -- I believe it's five days or so to review them, 16 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) The language --16 to take them to their attorneys and review them. MR. JIMMERSON: -- object to the improper 17 17 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Will you take a look at 18 18 assertion by Mr. Peccole about, quote, giving a hint, Page 103. 19 19 end of quote. 2.0 I'm suggesting that Mr. Peccole is either 20 Q. Down in the very bottom, Paragraph 13.2.4. 21 negligently or intentionally misrepresenting the words Okay. 22 of this document, Exhibit 2, as part of his questions. 22 Q. "Form of Amendments." 23 23 A. Uh-huh. MR. PECCOLE: I do not misrepresent like some 24 people, like you do. O. It reads, "All amendments to this Master 25 MR. JIMMERSON: Mr. Peccole, if you couldn't 25 Declaration or any Declaration of Annexation or **O 00003867**

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1	Supplemental Declaration must be" and then you carry	1	the where we bought our lot?		
2	over to the next page "in writing, and executed,	2	A. I remember meeting with you guys. I don't		
3	Recorded and" "and certified on behalf of the	3	remember exactly where we met. My recollection always		
4	Association by the President and the Secretary of the	4	with you guys was in the trailer, but we may very		
5	Association."	5	may well have been on the property. I don't recall.		
6	Now, having that in mind, would you take a	6	Q. Is it so you can't say that what Nancy		
7	look at Mr. Jimmerson's Exhibit 3.	7	testified to, that you met with us on the property?		
8	MR. JIMMERSON: I just object to the	8	A. I cannot with certainty		
9	characterization of Mr. Jimmerson's Exhibit 3. It's	9	Q. You can't say that?		
10	Exhibit 3 to Mr. Goorjian's deposition. It is a	10	A. Not with certainty, I cannot.		
11	recorded document with the Clark County Recorder's	11	Q. You just don't remember?		
12	office.	12	A. I don't remember that. I do remember in the		
13	MR. PECCOLE: I'll refer to them as that.	13	trailer and I do remember questions you've asked me, so		
14	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) But have you got it?	14	I'm surprised that I don't remember being on the		
15	A. Yeah.	15	property. So that must mean that I wasn't, but		
16	Q. Okay.	16	Q. I'm not surprised you remember what you want.		
17	A. What page?	17	A. Right.		
18	Q. Can you look at the signature page at the	18	MR. JIMMERSON: Gentlemen, please.		
19	end?	19	Mr. Peccole, you should please, keep the		
20	A. What page? Oh, at the very end?	20	decorum of counsel, and not engage in these kinds of		
21	Q. Yes.	21	personal attacks.		
22	A. Okay.	22	MR. PECCOLE: Are you finished?		
23	Q. Do you see Larry Miller's signature?	23	MR. JIMMERSON: I am, sir.		
24	A. Yes, I do.	24	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Do you recall a discussion		
25	Q. Do you see any signature of a homeowners	25	that we had that involved Larry Miller?		
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1	association president or a homeowner association	1	A. Not with me present, no.		
2	secretary?	2	Q. Do you recall me telling you what Larry had		
3	A. I do not see it here, no.	3	told me?		
4	Q. So it doesn't meet the requirements of the	4	A. I do not. I just recall that you wanted to		
5	amendment, does it?	5	go meet with the family and then you came back and		
6	MR. JIMMERSON: I'm going to object.	6	bought the lot. That's all that I recall.		
7	A. I don't know. That's not my I don't I	7	Q. Would it refresh your memory if I were to say		
8	don't determine what meets the requirements of an	8	that I told you that Larry Miller had met with my son		
9	amendment, and I don't know if there's another document	9	Rob and I on your ex-wife's lot, one of the huge ones,		
10	that might have taken care of that.	10			
11	MR. JIMMERSON: Let me also note that these	11	in buying this"? Do you remember me telling you that?		
12	arguments Mr. Peccole has asked you about	12	A. No. No. Absolutely not.		
13	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) In other words, you have no	13	Q. And do you remember me telling you that Larry		
14	knowledge?	14	said, "Well, if you don't want this, take a look at the		
15	MR. JIMMERSON: Mr. Goorjian, was made by	15	Verlaine, because he says that's just coming up"?		
16	Mr. Peccole and rejected by the trial court and the	16	A. No. All I recall is you being interested in		
17	Nevada Supreme Court.	17	Verlaine. I don't recall anything else.		
18	So just note my continuing objection.	18	Q. Do you recall that Larry brought us to you?		
19	THE WITNESS: I can see why.	19	When I say "us," my wife and I.		
20	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Let's take you back to when	20	A. You mean physically?		
21	my wife and I were in the market for buying a lot in	21	Q. He brought us physically.		
22	Queensridge. Do you remember how it came about that	22	A. No, I don't recall that. It wouldn't have		
23	you met with Nancy and I?	23	mattered, because we were family. So I don't know why		
24	A. No.	24	Larry would have delivered you.		
25	Q. Do you recall meeting with us in that area of	25	But yes, if he would have brought me I		
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Greg Steven Goorjian Fore Stars, Ltd., et al. v. Robert N. and Nancy Peccole Page 141 don't recall that he brought you in. I recall me and 1 Q. Isn't it --2 you only and some Nancy. I don't recall Larry ever A. I do recall that we would have liked to have being involved other than the fact that you didn't like had you play some golf, if you chose to play; and if we what I had to say, so you -- you wanted to go get it -could help you get on there for free, we would have 5 get it from Larry. You wanted something from Larry loved to have done so. 6 that I could not give you. I can't make those guarantees, so . . . 7 I didn't lease the golf course; I didn't Q. If you'll recall, did you and I, with Nancy operate the club. standing there, have the conversation, "Is there any 8 8 chance of getting a break on the price?" 9 Q. Okay. So do you -- do you recall using the 10 10 A. Absolutely. words that "This open space will be here forever"? 11 11 Q. And then did you --A. Never. 12 A. I don't know if Nancy was there, but I do Q. Did you ever use the words "open space" to 12 13 Nancy and I? 13 recall you and I having that. 14 Q. And you did say you've got to talk to Larry? 14 A. I may have used that term. I've used "open 15 A. Yes, I do. 15 space." I may have used it. Okay? But I remember you Q. And then after that, we called Larry on the 16 wanting assurances -- after you had seen the documents, 16 17 phone, you and I and Nancy? 17 you came back. You wanted assurances that it could 18 A. Don't recall that. 18 remain a golf course forever, and I could not give you 19 Q. And Larry says, "I'll give you a break." that. And you said you would go talk to the family, 19 20 A. I know that we wanted to give you -- we 20 and that's -- and then you came back and bought the 21 wanted to make you happy. I do know that. I know that 21 lot. So I don't know what happened. we wanted to sell you the home at a price that was 22 Q. So you don't know what happened? 22 23 happy for everybody. I do recall that, and I do recall A. Right. that you wanted to negotiate it, and I know that I 24 Q. You know, when Mr. Jimmerson was talking to 25 can't negotiate it. 25 you about the Boca Park, and you started to say it was Page 142 Page 144 1 part of a settlement with Triple Five --Q. Yes. A. But I don't recall it taking place on the 2 A. I was incorrect. 3 phone, no. And I don't recall me picking up the phone MR. JIMMERSON: He corrected himself, 4 and calling. Counsel. 5 5 Q. And do you recall Larry being there with all Q. (By Mr. Peccole) -- and you said you were 6 6 incorrect? of us --7 A. No, I do not. MR. JIMMERSON: Counsel, he corrected Q. -- you, me and Nancy, and trying to talk me 8 himself. 9 into taking the end piece of land because they were MR. PECCOLE: Right. 10 just now vacating the perimeter of that lot, which Q. (By Mr. Peccole) And then you made the 11 11 would give it an extra 10, 15 feet? comment about Triple Five backing into it. 12 A. I don't -- no. 12 A. Yes. 13 13 Q. You don't remember any of that? Q. Tell me that -- tell me about that. 14 A. That wasn't -- no, I don't. That was -- to A. Well, there were plans for the Peccoles to 14 me that sounds like you had a conversation with Larry develop that property. We had a partner that we were 16 that I was not involved in. That's what that sounds working with, Donahue Schriber, to do a -- we wanted to 17 like. 17 do a regional mall. We wanted to do a shop -- a mall 18 18 Q. Do you recall saying to me, "Bob, you know, there. 19 19 we've got a lifetime membership here and you can play We were for years trying to get three

20 this course any time. Just call me"?

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A. Might have been something said like that, that the family had privileges to use senior tour

23 players golf course whenever we wanted, and that if you

would like to golf, we could probably get you on the 25 course to play. Yes.

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tenants, secure three tenants to do the deal. And then

I cannot -- because I left and was not there for all of

believe we had agreed, because we couldn't get the

tenants, if I recall correctly -- that we agreed to

it, but I know that there was somehow -- there was -- I

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Q. Would you be surprised if Bruce Bayne and

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to the buyers.

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line of questioning as completely outside the scope of this litigation.

14 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Did you ever --

15 MR. JIMMERSON: Also outside the scope of 16 direct examination.

Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Did you ever make a 17 representation you probably sold 80 homes? 18

19 MR. JIMMERSON: Object to the line of 20 questioning.

21 A. Did I ever make that representation?

22 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Yeah.

23 A. No.

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Q. Did you ever sell any of the homes that

25 Mr. Lowie developed on those lots?

12 properties. Entities that he had may have purchased

13 some lots.

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Mr. Lowie, other than his own personal residence, would never have bought that piece of property in his own name. So the questions are just wrong to begin with.

You may answer the question, Mr. --

MR. PECCOLE: I would like to reply to you,

20 Mr. Jimmerson. You had the gall in the deposition of

my wife to present a federal law that deals with

22 telephonic money laundering, and I found that very

23 offensive. And if you think I'm offensive, you'd

24 better take a look in the mirror.

MR. JIMMERSON: I don't know what the heck LO 00003871

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1	you're referring to, Mr. Peccole. I'm just making an	1	A. Yes, I did, sir.	
2	objection to the line of questioning here.	2	Q. Were the values on those lots enhanced by the	
3	MR. PECCOLE: Don't worry. It's going to	3	golf course and open space?	
4	come up.	4	MR. JIMMERSON: I'm going to object to the	
5	MR. JIMMERSON: Again, you just threaten and	5	term "open space." It can only apply to the property	
6	threaten, Mr. Peccole. Please try to stay on focus.	6	owned by Queensridge master plan. It's a defined term.	
7	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) I was on the luxury loan	7	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) You can answer that.	
8	luxury lots on Verlaine. You say you sold some of	8	A. If you can ask me it again, please.	
9	those to Mr. Lowie?	9	Q. Were the values of the lots on Orient Express	
10	A. No.	10	enhanced by the golf course and open space?	
11	MR. JIMMERSON: Objection. Misstates the	11	A. Enhanced. I don't know. I don't know how to	
12	testimony.	12	answer that question, enhanced by.	
13	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) You didn't?	13	Q. Made made more expensive?	
14	A. No. Companies companies that he may	14	MR. JIMMERSON: I object to the form of the	
15	have or limited liability companies that he may have	15	question as outside the scope of direct. It has no	
16	been a partner to, yes. Not him personally, no.	16	bearing upon the litigation and it's harassing this	
17	Q. No? But you knew that he was building the	17	witness.	
18	homes?	18	A. Yes.	
19	A. Yes.	19	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Were you at the dedication	
20	Q. Actually, he was buying or one of his	20	of the new Queensridge, in the beginning, when they	
21	entities was buying the lots on Verlaine?	21	came over in 1990, 1996?	
22	A. Yes, sir.	22	MR. JIMMERSON: Same objection. Outside the	
23	Q. From who?	23	scope of direct. Completely	
24	A. From the Peccole family.	24	A. I don't know what you're asking.	
25	Q. Would that have been Legacy 14?	25	MR. JIMMERSON: irrelevant to this.	
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1	A. I don't know who was the I'd have to be	1	A. Was I at the grand opening?	
2	referenced or referred back to who actually was what	2	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Yes.	
3	entity was conveying the property.	3	A. Would that have been the one that would later	
4	Q. Do you know what the prices were?	4	be the Badlands clubhouse?	
5	A. I did. Do I know now? No.	5	Q. No.	
6	Q. Were they over a million dollars?	6	A. Okay. Then I wasn't at it. It was at it	
7	A. For what?	7	was at Sir Williams Court, where Sir Williams Court was	
8	Q. Well, actually let's go back	8	to be some day.	
9	A. For a lot, the answer is no.	9	Q. Let me just ask you, do you recall	
10	Q. It probably would have been somewhere in the	10	MR. JIMMERSON: Objection. No foundation.	
11	vicinity of 200,000?	11	Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Do you recall going to a	
12	A. Somewhere in there.	12	dedication it would be on West Charleston, going	
13	Q. And the homes, when you sold them, were over	13	north, as you come in the entranceway that's there now,	
14	a million?	14	but it was all dirt and Bill had big tents set up all	
15	A. Somewhere in there, right around a million	15	over? Did you ever go to that?	
16	dollar homes.	16	A. Was that the one where the lipi the	
17	Q. Now, your home was located right along the	17	stallions were there and yes, I was there.	
18	same lots, right?	18	Q. Now, after that occurred do you recall	
19	A. Correct.	19	approximately what that what date that was, what	
20	Q. And who did you buy your home from?	20	year?	
21	A. I bought my lots from the Peccole family.	21	A. I don't, but I do I don't believe that it	
22	Q. And that's Legacy 14?	22	had anything to do with what ended up being the north	
23	A. I can't recall.	23	portion of Queensridge developed. It was only in	
24	Q. Did you sell any luxury lots on Orient	24	regards to our first builders. That was Christopher	
25	Express?	25	Homes and LO 00003872	

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Page 157 1 It was a grand opening for the overall, the 1 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) After the dedication -whole development. So we had -- it would have been 2 MR. JIMMERSON: -- to consider sanctions 2 Christopher Homes, it would have been Capital Pacific 3 against you for asking the line of questions that has Homes, it would have been Pulte Homes and it would have nothing to do with this case and refusing to provide any foundation with regard to the line of questioning. been Trophy Homes. MR. JIMMERSON: Note my continuing objection. 6 It's completely irrelevant. This is outside the scope of direct, irrelevant to the Q. (By Mr. Peccole) After the dedication, did you have any conversations with Bill Peccole as to what 8 9 A. I recall that. he was going to do with the ravines? 10 10 MR. JIMMERSON: Harassing to the witness. A. Do not recall, no. Q. (By Mr. Peccole) After that, the question I 11 Q. Did you already know what he was going to do 11 would ask is, did you ever walk any part of the 12 with the ravines? 12 property with Bill? 13 A. Yes. 13 14 14 A. Yes. MR. JIMMERSON: Same objections, same line of 15 Q. So that was a common thing for him to do, 15 objections. Incorporate my objections by reference. wasn't it? 16 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) And what was that? 16 17 MR. JIMMERSON: Object. Same objection, 17 A. We were going to develop a golf course. Not 18 incorporated by reference. 18 us, but we have someone else that was going to do it. 19 A. Not at that time. Prior -- years prior. Q. Did he ever say to you that "I will be 19 He's not doing too well at this time we're talking 20 20 selling lots along there and I'm going to make it a 21 about. 21 golf course, open space and drainage and I'm going to 22 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Well, when he had the 22 get more money for those lots"? 23 dedication. A. No. A. Yeah. Yeah. No, he wasn't doing a lot of 24 24 MR. JIMMERSON: Same objection. Incorporate 25 walking around the properties. 25 by reference. Page 158 Page 160 1 A. Just know that the plan was already in place, MR. JIMMERSON: I'm also going to object -so when -- when those -- when those tents were there, 2 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Would it --3 MR. JIMMERSON: Excuse me, Counsel. 3 we already knew what was going to go there. So did all I have no date. There's been no foundation, 4 the builders, and so did -- so did everybody. So I no year. None of this has been established. don't get where you --Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Well, those -- I'm not Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Would it surprise you if I 7 walked portions of the property with him after the going to argue with you. 8 major dedication? A. No. 9 MR. JIMMERSON: Object to the form. Q. Did you have an actual price list at that 10 A. Would it surprise me? 10 time? 11 11 MR. JIMMERSON: Object to the question. MR. JIMMERSON: Same objection. Incorporate 12 A. I don't know. I can't answer that. 12 by reference. 13 13 A. No. Not on the estate lots. No. I don't 14 recall. Might have. I don't recall, Bob. Q. (By Mr. Peccole) You didn't walk the 14 property with him after the dedication? 15 15 Q. (By Mr. Peccole) When you were selling the 16 A. No. No. 16 lots in the Queensridge North, did you always follow 17 the same procedure in your representations? 17 Q. Did Bill ever say to you --18 18 MR. JIMMERSON: Mr. Peccole, can you give A. I don't recall. 19 19 us -- can you give us, and the court reporter, any Q. Did Larry Miller ever say to you that there 20 suggestion as to what year you're referring to? The 20 was a 50-year lease on the golf course, with four witness doesn't know it. You said you don't know. ten-year options? 22 22 MR. PECCOLE: What was that? A. Did not know the terms of the lease, no. 23 23 MR. JIMMERSON: I want to have some Q. He never mentioned that? foundation for this line of questioning so I can ask 24 A. No. MR. PECCOLE: I have no further questions. LO 00003873 25 25 Judge Bulla --

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he's -- Bill was asking for rezoning? Is that correct?

"Answer: I don't know what he's asking for.

19 Well, this is what the document says, yes. If it's --

20 whatever this document is stating, that's what

Mr. Peccole was attempting to do.

"Question: Now, when you look at the map of the overall master plan -- and that shows you the

zoning that happens to be designated different parcels.

25 Is that correct?

Q. All right. Now, going back to this Peccole

master plan, again, Mr. Peccole kept trying to say that

| 19 | zeros were here and you said, no, they're dashes.

20 Right?

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A. Yes.

Q. Okay. So here's my point: This has actually

been developed with the Queensridge master plan, but

24 the Peccole Ranch having been abandoned and the

Queensridge being developed. There has been, in LO 00003874

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Q. We also know there's something called the 8 Suncoast Resort, resort-casino, that's developed now that was a dash then, right? 11

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A. Correct.

Q. So we know that this plan was abandoned in favor of other development and other plans; is that 14 right?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Including the Queensridge master plan we've 16 17 already discussed?

A. Yes.

19 O. All right.

> Now, taking a look, if you would, at Exhibit 1. That was the original Peccole master plan. I just want to spend --

Two. Excuse me. Exhibit 2.

24 I just ask the following question: When you talk about commercial, office and there's a dash, it

Yeah. It's the definition under 1.1 -- 1.16,

8 Common Area and Common Areas.

A. Okay.

Q. Do you see that?

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. All right. Does that language state as

13 follows: "'Common Area and Common Areas' shall mean

14 (a) all Association Land and the improvements thereon;

15 (b) all land within Peccole Ranch which the Declarant,

16 or its successors or assigns, by this Declaration or

17 other recorded instrument, makes available for use by

18 Members of the Association and evidences its intent to

19 convey to the Association at a later date;

"(c) all land within Peccole Ranch which the Declarant, or its successors or assigns, indicates on a recorded subdivision plat or Tract Declaration is to be used for landscaping, water retainage, drainage and/or flood control for the benefit of Peccole Ranch and/or

25 the general public;

Page 166 doesn't tell you how many units of commercial can be 1 developed, correct?

A. Yes.

Q. Under the Peccole conceptual master plan of 1990?

A. Yes.

Q. Okay. But we know many units, many square foot was developed in the years that followed; is that right?

10 A. Yes.

11 Q. Okay. And so this plan obviously went away 12 and new plans were developed; is that right?

A. Yes.

Q. All right. 14

> Now, I just want to show you some provisions in this Peccole Ranch plan that related largely to the south of West Charleston, but I just want to show you some language.

Would you look at Page 7 of Exhibit 2.

(Discussion off the record.)

Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) It's 16.

A. 16?

Q. Yeah. Sorry.

MS. POLSELLI: 16 or 18?

MR. JIMMERSON: 18.

"(d) areas on a Lot, Parcel or golf course 1

within easements granted to the Association or its

Members for location, construction, maintenance, repair

4 and replacement of a well, fence, sidewalk,

landscaping, utility, utility easement and access, and

general access or other uses, which easements may be

granted or created on a recorded subdivision plat or

8 Tract Declaration or by a Deed or other conveyance

9 accepted by the association;

10 "Or (e)" -- "and (e) all land within Peccole 11 Ranch which is owned privately or by a governmental

12 agency for which the Association has accepted

13 responsibility for maintenance, and/or for which the

14 Association benefits by limited use, full use, or

aesthetic consistency for the benefit of the

16 numbers" -- "of the members." End of quote.

Have I read that accurately?

A. Yes.

Q. Okay. So it is -- common area is the land

20 that the declarant dedicates, through annexation, land

that will be so used for the commonality of its

22 membership; is that right?

A. Yes.

Q. And therefore, if there's going to be a

common area, it has to be land that has been dedicated LO 00003875

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1	for that purpose by the declarant; is that right?	1	the actual dimensions of what was actually built there.
2	A. Yes.	2	A. Okay.
3	Q. Okay. Now, would you look at the	3	Q. Now, you're familiar by virtue of your
4	provision Page Page 11, four pages later,	4	lengthy work there of what was actually constructed
5	Paragraph 1.31. And master plan, which is for the	5	over the years?
6	Peccole Ranch master plan, is defined as, quote, shall	6	A. Yes.
7	mean the Peccole Ranch Master Plan approved by the City	7	Q. And we see that, in terms of acreage, there
8	of Las Vegas, and described on Exhibit "A", as the same	8	was 430 acres of single family; 47 acres of
9	may be from time to time amended in Declarant's sole	9	multifamily; there's 138 acres of commercial/office;
10	discretion, a copy of which shall be on file at all	10	there's 52 acres for resort-casino, which is the
11	times in the office of the Association. End of quote.	11	Suncoast Hotel; you see the golf course property,
12	Have I accurately read that?	12	265 acres.
13	A. Yes.	13	A. Yes.
14	Q. And so the declarant, the Peccole family,	14	Q. Right-of-way of 61 acres. And I guess no
15	reserved to itself the right to amend from time to time	15	elementary school was ever developed there?
16	its in its sole discretion, the design of the plan;	16	A. Correct.
17	is that right?	17	Q. So you can see what was actually developed
18	A. Yes.	18	under the Queensridge master plan in the years that
19	Q. Okay. And indeed, as we know, it was amended	19	followed; is that right?
20	by essentially abandonment, in favor six years later of	20	A. Yes.
21	the Queensridge master plan to the north of West	21	Q. Okay. So does that provide additional proof
22	Charleston?	22	to you that the Peccole Ranch master plan of 1990 was
23	A. Yes.	23	abandoned in favor of later plans by the family?
24	Q. And this is land that applied largely to the	24	A. Yes.
25	south of West Charleston; is that right? Exhibit 18?	25	Q. All right. Thank you.
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1	A. Yes.	1	A. Can I add something?
2	Q. All right. Thank you.	2	O. Please.
3	A. Not a hundred percent sure, but I believe	3	A. That they were you know, there's clear
4	Triple Five is part of the declarancy [sic].	4	definition based on how things were maintained as well
5	Q. Correct. I think that's right. At least	5	and how things were you know, what associations were
6	that's exactly right.	6	building and you know. I mean, the way that
7	A. Yeah.	7	Charleston was treated was it had to be split. The
8	Q. All right.	8	medians had to be split between who maintained what
9	MR. JIMMERSON: Now, do you have the map of	9	medians, based on Peccole Ranch had responsibility to
10	how it was actually built?	10	every other median
11	(Discussion off the record.)	11	Q. Well, that's interesting.
12	MR. JIMMERSON: Let me mark this as	12	A and Queensridge had responsibility to
13	Exhibit 30 mark it as Exhibit 32. Next in order.	13	every other median.
14	Mark it as 32, two pages.	14	Q. I see.
15	(Exhibit 32 marked.)	15	A. Okay? I lived in Queensridge. I never paid
16	Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) Mr. Goorjian, if you look	16	a fee to Peccole Ranch ever.
	at Exhibit 32	17	Q. Got it.
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18	A. Yes.	19	A. I never had a document that referred to Peccole Ranch.
19	Q there is what I you and I would call an		
20	as-built; in other words, as history has combined, now	20	Q. And, of course, you never paid a fee to
		21	maintain a golf course either, did you?
21	sitting here in 2018, we see what's actually built to	2.0	A NT
22	the north of West Charleston. Do you see that under	22	A. No.
22 23	the north of West Charleston. Do you see that under Queensridge?	23	Q. And indeed, I think, if my memory serves me,
22	the north of West Charleston. Do you see that under		

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Q. Did I meet with you before this deposition

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over a thousand homes.

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to create within the," capital P, "Property and the,"

14 capital A, "Annexable," capital P, "Property is three 15 thousand."

Do you remember opposing counsel asked that 16 17 question? 18

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MR. PECCOLE: Objection. Asked and answered. 19

Q. (By Mr. Jimmerson) All right. And so if a 21 thousand has been built through 2018, there's at least 2,000 to be built presently; is that right? 22

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. All right. Thank you. And also the next 25 sentence indicates that the golf course was not a part Q. Okay. And such other projects as may be

Is there any reference in those categories to the term "open space"?

Q. Is there any reference to the term

Q. Is there any reference to the term "golf

Q. All right. And is it clear that in each of 14 those categories, about such other, that there has to 15 be a declaration of annexation?

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17 Q. And the use of the land is anything that's 18 consistent with the zoning, right?

A. Yes.

Q. And that's what it says there? All right.

Page 18. All right. Thank you.

Now, opposing counsel asked you a line of questioning on cross-examination along the lines that made reference, for example, to drainage. Do you remember that?

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of the Badlands -- was not part of the, capital P, property or the, capital A, annexable property, correct? A. Yes.

Q. Would you turn to Article II, please, which is at Page 17. And this is called "General Intent," 6 7 2.1. 8

Would you just read that quietly to yourself, please.

10 A. (Witness examined document.) Okay.

11 Q. Now, this is the general intent without being 12 too specific? Agreed?

A. Yes.

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Q. Now, the project types are then defined 14

15 immediately below. Correct? 2.2?

A. Yes.

17 Q. And you see custom lots, luxury lots,

executive lots, upgraded lots, such other residential

19 products that may be designated, multiple-dwelling 20 projects, residential condominiums, executive

condominiums, upgrade condominiums, move-up

condominiums, such other residential products that may

23 be designated. Then commercial/office projects,

shopping center projects, and hotel time-share. 24 25

Do you see that?

A. Yes.

Q. Okay. And the -- and to the term "open

3 space." Do you recall that?

A. Yes.

Q. But the drainage or the open space is that which is on the, capital P, property or the, capital,

7 annexation property, right?

A. Yes.

Q. He's not referring to property -- or drainage

10 or golf courses on somebody else's property? Correct?

11 A. I don't know what he was referring to, to be 12 honest with you.

Q. Okay. But the document --

A. Right.

15 Q. -- only speaks to the property as defined

16 within the agreement? Correct?

A. Yes.

18 Q. Okay. It's not controlling or attempting to

19 control somebody else's property?

A. No.

Q. Okay. And the -- there's no way that the

22 Queensridge master plan could control, for example, the

23 city's definition of drainage or the city's regulation

24 over drainage?

25 A. No.

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Okay. And where was that lot located?

That was on Orient Express.

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A. On the golf course. And the thing was, too,

20 Badlands Golf Course.

A. Okay. 21

22 Q. All right.

MR. LOWIE: Quite simple.

THE WITNESS: Thank you. Because I

25 thought -- I'm sorry, but I thought Bob said it was

20 Q. Maybe 500 rooms?

A. Yes.

22 Q. Is that the project we're talking about? 23

A. Yes.

Q. And was that in this 2006, 2007?

A. Yes.

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22 the page, Badlands -- 18 holes, known as Badlands, is

23 not a part of?

A. Before Article I, right, on Page -- I'm

25 reading Page 3. I'm supposed to be Page 2?

examiner.

23 A. I don't know what you're asking me. It says

24 what it says. 25

Q. (By Mr. Peccole) Look, just admit you're not LO 00003881

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Mr. Peccole?

MR. PECCOLE: Too many basketballs.

MR. JIMMERSON: I have just one question.

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MR. PECCOLE: I'm not finished yet.

Q. (By Mr. Peccole) So having that in mind, do

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Exhibit 100

2019.01.07 Robert Summerfiled Email

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Frank – I wanted to reach out to you about the question you had for Steve G. in the Planning Office last week regarding an EOT related to SDR-62393. As you know, as a result of Judge Crockett's order in Case No. A-17-752344-J, the approvals of applications GPA-62387, ZON-62392, and SDR-62393 were "vacated, set aside and shall be void." Because there are no longer any approvals for the aforementioned applications, there is nothing for the City to extend at this time and we cannot process any application for such an extension.

I hope this answer helps as your team moves forward and please let me know if there is anything else I, or the Department, can help with.

Best - Robert

Robert Summerfield, AICP

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Exhibit 101

2019.02.06 Judge Williams' Order Nunc Pro Tunc Regarding Finding of Fact and Conclusion of Law Entered November 21, 2019

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on the 6th day of February, 2019, an Order *Nunc Pro Tunc* Regarding Findings of Fact and Conclusion of Law Entered November 21, 2018, was entered in the above-captioned case, a copy of which is attached hereto.

Dated this 6th day of February, 2019.

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ORDER NUNC PRO TUNC Regarding Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law Entered November 21, 2018

Plaintiff, 180 LAND COMPANY, LLC ("Plaintiff" and/or "Landowner") Request for Rehearing/Reconsideration of Order/Judgment Dismissing Inverse Condemnation Claims and the City of Las Vegas' Motion to Strike Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment on Liability For the Landowners' Inverse Condemnation Claims On Order Shortening Time and the Intervenors' Joinder thereto having come for hearing on January 17, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in Department XVI of the Eighth Judicial District Court, Kermitt L. Waters, Esq., James J. Leavitt, Esq., and Mark Hutchison, Esq., appearing for and on behalf of the Plaintiff, George F. Ogilvie III Esq., and Debbie Leonard, Esq., appearing for and on behalf of Defendant, the City of Las Vegas, and Dustun H. Holmes, Esq., appearing for and on behalf of Intervenors. The Court having read all the papers filed by the parties and good cause appearing:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that Plaintiff Landowners' Request for Rehearing/Reconsideration of Order/Judgment Dismissing Inverse Condemnation Claims filed on December 11, 2018, is GRANTED, as this Court had no intention of making any findings of fact, conclusions of law or orders regarding the Landowners' severed inverse condemnation claims as part of the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law entered on November 21, 2018, ("FFCL"). Accordingly, as stated at the hearing on January 17, 2019, the findings, conclusions and order set forth at page 23:4-20 and page 24:4-5 of the FFCL are hereby removed nunc pro tunc.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that Defendant, City of Las Vegas' Motion to Strike Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment on Liability For the Landowners' Inverse Condemnation Claims On Order Shortening Time filed on December 21, 2018, and the Joinder thereto is DENIED AS MOOT.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 5th day of January, 2019.

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Exhibit 102

2019.02.15 Judge Sturman's Minute Order re Motion to Dismiss

DISTRICT COURT CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

Other Judicial Review/Appeal COURT MINUTES February 15, 2019

A-18-775804-J 180 Land Company LLC, Petitioner(s)

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Las Vegas City of, Respondent(s)

February 15, 2019 03:00 AM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Sturman, Gloria COURTROOM:

COURT CLERK: Shell, Lorna

RECORDER: REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

This matter came on for argument on January 15, 2019 on the Motion to Dismiss filed by the City of Las Vegas (City) and Opposition/Countermotions to allow a More Definite Statement/ or for Stay/ and/or for NRCP 56(f) relief filed by Plaintiff 180 Land Co. (Landowner), supplemental briefing having been provided by the parties and the matter having been taken under advisement COURT HEREBY FINDS as follows:

COURT ORDERED, City's Motion to Dismiss GRANTED IN PART as to the Petition for Judicial Review only on the grounds of issue preclusion; Judge Crockett having decided the same issue in his Order issued in A-17-752344 and as that decision is currently on appeal, the dismissal herein is WITHOUT PREJUDICE should that decision be overturned.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED, Landowner's Countermotion for a More Definite Statement and/or for Stay and/or 56(f) relief DENIED AS MOOT as to the Petition for Judicial Review; however, the Complaint on file herein states alternative claims for Inverse Condemnation which may proceed in the ordinary course.

Counsel for the City shall prepare an Order in accordance with this minute order and provide counsel for the Landowner an opportunity to review for form and content, within 30 days from this date.

CLERK'S NOTE: A copy of this minute order was e-mailed, mailed, or faxed as follows: James Leavitt, Esq. (Jim@kermittwaters.com) and George Ogilvie, Esq. (gogilvie@mcdonaldcarano.com) ./ls 02-15-19

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2019.01.23 Judge Bixleer's Transcript of Proceedings

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1 TRAN DISTRICT COURT 2 CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA 3 4 5 6 FORE STARS, LTD., SEVENTY ACRES, LLC, CASE NO. A-18-773268 7 Plaintiffs, 8 DEPT. NO. SENIOR JUDGES vs. 9 10 CITY OF LAS VEGAS, STATE OF Transcript of Proceedings NEVADA EX REL EIGHTH JUDICIAL 11 DISTRICT COURT, DEPT. 24, COUNTY OF CLARK, 12 Defendants. 13 BEFORE THE HONORABLE JAMES BIXLER, SENIOR DISTRICT COURT JUDGE 14 ALL PENDING MOTIONS 15 WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2019 16 **APPEARANCES:** For the Plaintiffs: JAMES J. LEAVITT, ESQ. 17 KERMITT L. WATERS, ESQ. 18 AUTUMN L. WATERS, ESQ. For the State: STEVEN G. SHEVORSKI, ESQ. 19 THERESA M. HAAR, ESQ. GEORGE F. OGILVIE, ESQ. For the City: 20 DEBBIE LEONARD, ESQ. 21 PHILIP BYRNES, ESQ. 22 PATTI SLATTERY, DISTRICT COURT RECORDED BY: TRANSCRIBED BY: KRISTEN LUNKWITZ 23 24 Proceedings recorded by audio-visual recording, transcript 25 produced by transcription service. 1

1 WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2019 AT 12:59 P.M. 2 3 THE COURT: This is -- everybody, have a seat. 4 Relax. 5 MR. SHEVORSKI: Good afternoon, Your Honor. 6 THE COURT: Good afternoon. Are we on the record? 7 THE COURT RECORDER: Yes. We are, Your Honor. 8 THE COURT: Okay. We're on the record in the 9 matter of Fore Stars, Limited, Seventy Acres, LLC, versus 10 City of Las Vegas, Eighth Judicial District Court, 11 Honorable Judge Crockett. This is case number A-18-773268. 12 Would everybody identify themselves for the record, please? MR. SHEVORSKI: I'll go first. 13 MR. OGILVIE: Go ahead. 14 15 MR. SHEVORSKI: Good afternoon again, Your Honor. Steven Shevorski of the Office of the Attorney General, 16 17 with my colleague Theresa Haar, also of the Office of the 18 Attorney General, representing the Eighth Judicial District 19 Court, Department 24. 20 THE COURT: Perfect. 21 MS. LEONARD: Good afternoon, Your Honor. 22 Leonard, of McDonald Carano, representing the City of Las 23 Vegas. 24 THE COURT: Heard. 25 MR. OGILVIE: Hi, Your Honor. George Ogilvie,

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representing the City of Las Vegas. Also, on behalf of the City of Las Vegas with us today is Mr. Philip Byrnes from the City Attorney's Office.

THE COURT: Perfect.

Good afternoon, Your Honor. James J. Leavitt on behalf of Fore Star, Limited, and Seventy Acre, LLC, the landowners.

THE COURT: Heard.

MR. WATERS: Kermitt Waters on behalf of Fore Stars, Your Honor.

MS. WATERS: And Autumn Waters, also here on behalf of the landowners, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. A couple things real quick before we get into anything substantive. Due to the nature of this case and the parties in name -- and this case has been bumped around quite a few departments. They either -- in the District Court, they either recused themselves or precluded by one of you guys, I think. Or one or two of them got preempted by somebody, one of the parties.

In any event, this ended up over in the Senior Judge Department and when I came to look at it, I indicated that I thought I could hear this matter and be fair and impartial to everybody. Now, some of you folks I've known for 30, 40 years. I've certainly known Judge Crockett for a period of time as a trial attorney and I think he tried

at least two or three cases in front of me while I was on 2 the District Court bench. In any event, the Senior Judge program is not part of the Eighth Judicial District Court, 3 let me make that clear. We are part of the Senior Judge 5 program on the Supreme Court. So, if there's anybody that has a problem with me 7 hearing this case, you should speak now or you're probably going to be stuck with me. If you do have a problem with me hearing it, I think the only alternative left is to get 10 somebody from Northern Nevada, either Reno or one of the 11 counties would have to designate somebody. 12 So, that's my first question. Does anybody have a 13 problem with me hearing this case? 14 MR. OGILVIE: Not on behalf of the City, Your 15 Honor. 16 MR. SHEVORSKI: Not on behalf of the Eighth 17 Judicial District Court, Your Honor. MR. WATERS: May we have a couple minutes, Your 18 19 Honor? 20 THE COURT: Absolutely. Absolutely. 21 MR. WATERS: Yeah. Thank you, Your Honor. 22 THE COURT: We can go off the record. 23 [Case trailed at 1:02 p.m.] 24 [Hearing resumed at 1:07 p.m.]

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THE COURT: We're back on the record.

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MR. WATERS: Yes, Your Honor. We're ready. THE COURT RECORDER: We're back on the record, Your Honor. THE COURT: All right. We're on the record. sir, Mr. Waters? MS. WATERS: Your Honor, because its bounced around in several departments, we're at a point now where the clients don't know what to do. We -- if you feel comfortable with it and you think you can be honest and be impartial to this matter, we'll go with you. If you have any inclinations on it, we'd like to go to Reno. going to have to let you tell us what you really think. THE COURT: I wouldn't be sitting here if I thought there was any problem. If I was going to have any issues about being fair and impartial to everybody on this case, --MR. WEAVER: All right. THE COURT: -- I would have declined immediately. MR. WEAVER: Very good, Your Honor. Then we'd go forward. THE COURT: 22 23

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Okay. All right. So, what the Court has before it are Motions to Dismiss. The City's got a Motion to Dismiss and the State has a Motion to Dismiss as to Judge Crockett and the Eighth Judicial District Court. I've read the exhaustive briefs that have been filed and,

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So, I'm

to be perfectly honest with you guys, and this is just how I've always operated my court, unless you have something new to add to your briefs, I am -- with the exception of a couple questions that I have, but I'm basically ready to rule.

So, since it's the State and the City's Motions, State of Nevada, do you have anything you want to add to your existing briefs?

MR. SHEVORSKI: I'd answer that same -- the question the way I'd answer it to Stew Bell when he proposed it to me: No.

THE COURT: Does the City have any additions to their briefs that they filed? New information.

MR. OGILVIE: I don't have any new arguments, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Well, I'm going to ask the question for you guys in just a sec.

MR. OGILVIE: Okay. I do want to make a preliminary objection and a Motion to Strike the filings that were submitted by the developer on January 16th. And those are -- actually, January 17th. And those are specifically the Plaintiff Landowners' Request to take Judicial Notice of City's Passage of Ordinance 2018-24 and the four volumes of the Appendix that were submitted therewith on the basis that this is a Motion to Dismiss.

Motions to Dismiss are not decided -- or extraneous 2 evidence is not considered on a Motion to Dismiss. specifically is evidence of a -- an action taken by the 3 City subsequent to the filing of this Complaint and 5 therefore can't be in any way supportive of the claims that are pleaded in this Complaint. And, therefore, we seek to 7 -- we object to them and seek to strike them. THE COURT: All right. Let me rule on the 9 underlying motions and I'll come back to that. 10 Do you have anything to add to your briefs that is 11

MR. LEAVITT: Your Honor, if I may?

THE COURT: Show me.

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 $$\operatorname{MR.}$ LEAVITT: Will I have an opportunity to respond to the Motion to Strike later on, after --

THE COURT: Yeah.

MR. LEAVITT: Okay. Because we do want to have an opportunity to respond to that.

Your Honor, something happened last week, which we think is critically important to the decision before you right now is, as you're aware, there's four other cases that are pending, which are kind of related to one another. There's this whole 250-acre property and there's a 17-acre property that's part of that, a 35-acre property, a 133-acre property, and a 65-acre property. We have a pending

inverse condemnation claim on the 35-acre property case, which is before Judge Williams. And there was an issue of whether the 35-acre inverse condemnation Complaint against the City of Las Vegas should be dismissed or not before Judge Williams. And Judge Williams denied that request to dismiss the --

THE COURT: He just separated them.

MR. LEAVITT: Absolutely. You're right. That was early on. That was some time ago --

THE COURT: Okay.

MR. LEAVITT: -- which is relevant to the judicial taking and I can talk about that if you'd like me to, Your Honor. But, yes, he separated those two issues out. He had a trial on the Petition for Judicial Review and, then, the stayed the inverse condemnation claims. Well, when the Findings of Facts and Conclusions of Law came down in the Petition for Judicial Review case, there were four findings but, at the end of that, dismissing the inverse condemnation claim. And we filed a motion with Judge Williams and said: Hey, that should have never been there. Judge Williams agreed and removed those four findings non pro tunc, meaning that the inverse condemnation claims would move forward. And we currently have, pending in front of him, a Motion for Summary Judgment.

Why is that so relevant here today? Because the

16 volumes that exist in this case are actually being reviewed by Judge Williams in the 35-acre case in the context of a Motion for Summary Judgment where the merits are actually going to be presented to him and he's got to make a decision based upon the facts of the case on whether there's actually been a taking in the 35-acre case or not, based upon those same exact 16 volumes that appear before you here today.

So, our position would be: Judge, hold on a minute. Let's just wait a minute here. Let's not dismiss the landowners' claims. Let's let Judge Williams make a decision on the actual merits of this case, which is the underlying policy in the state of Nevada to have cases hear on the merits whenever possible. We know it's possible to hear these cases on the merits because we have the facts in 16 volumes and we know where -- it's possible because Judge Williams is going to do it in the 35-acre case.

Here's the problem. Let's suppose Judge Williams reviews the same exact facts that exist before you here today on the 16 volumes and he says: I believe there's been a taking. And that's the procedure that the Nevada Supreme Court requires, is the judge makes the determination based upon the complex facts of whether there's been a taking or not. And he finds a taking under these 16 volumes. And, then, today, if you dismiss our

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Complaint against the City of Las Vegas, which is based upon those same set of facts, we're going to have one case where a judge actually heard the case on the merits and found a taking and, then, where one judge wouldn't allow the case to be heard on the merits and dismissed it. And now we're going to have to come back before you and we're going to say: Hold on a minute, Judge, we have another court over here where the City's a party, we're a party, same set of facts where there's been a taking. So --

THE COURT: It wouldn't be the first time.

MR. LEAVITT: What's that?

THE COURT: It wouldn't be the first time --

MR. LEAVITT: Understood. But --

THE COURT: -- that scenario has occurred. Those HOA foreclosure cases, there were decisions are all over the place.

MR. LEAVITT: I recall that. But this case is different because we have the same exact parties. And we're talking about the same exact -- I mean, this was Exhibit 1 to our brief, Your Honor -- our Appendix, is these properties are right next to each other. This is the 35-acre case that Judge Williams is going to hear the issues on. So, our position is let's stay on this matter. I mean, there's a policy in the state of Nevada -- well, there's a case, the Laughlin versus Silver City Shopping

Center [phonetic] case where the Nevada Supreme Court said if you have -- well, they cited the case law to Colorado where they said if you have two cases where the facts and 3 issues are substantially similar, then you should stay the cases that follow behind the one that was filed first until 5 the one that's filed first is decided on the merits. 7 the Judge Williams case has the lowest case. Sorry. THE COURT: Here's the deal. 9 MR. LEAVITT: Okay. 10 THE COURT: These are the questions that I have. 11 MR. LEAVITT: Sure. 12 THE COURT: Judge Crockett's case, the Order that was generated out of that judicial review is on appeal. 13 14 MR. LEAVITT: Yes. 15 THE COURT: Okay. What is the status of the deal? MR. LEAVITT: Currently pending right now --16 17 currently, Your Honor, the landowner has filed the opening 18 brief. That was my second argument that I was going to say why this matter should be stayed, is that issue has been 19 20 filed and I got the appellate brief right here. 21 appellate brief was filed November 6th -- I'm sorry. Yeah. 22 The opening brief, appellant's opening brief, was filed

THE COURT: Okay.

November 6th, 2018.

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MR. LEAVITT: I assume, very shortly, the brief in

Opposition is going to be filed, then the Reply brief is going to be filed. We're probably going to have it --February 12th, Your Honor. THE COURT: Yeah. MR. LEAVITT: There's going to be the opposing brief. Then March 12th, I'm assuming the Reply brief. THE COURT: Here is my first question. This argument -- and I think it's more properly a question to you guys. MR. LEAVITT: Okay. THE COURT: This argument that you make in regards to the judicial taking that the order that Judge Crockett entered in that case, that just basically said this was a property designated as a PRO5 --MR. LEAVITT: PROS. THE COURT: -- PROS, which requires a major modification --MR. LEAVITT: Correct. THE COURT: -- application. And there wasn't one. So, you've got to go back and go through the process of a major modification. So, my question is, if the Supreme Court says -- overturns that ruling of Judge Crockett, what

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1 a result of this order in front of the Supreme Court? 2 MR. LEAVITT: Yes, Your Honor. 3 THE COURT: And are you going to be arguing the 4 concept of judicial taking in conjunction with all those 5 other claims? 6 MR. LEAVITT: The -- well, no. The point at No. 7 issue of whether there's been a judicial taking by the Crockett Order is up at the Nevada Supreme Court right now. 9 THE COURT: I know. 10 MR. LEAVITT: Yeah. 11 THE COURT: And I'm just saying that you're going 12 to argue that. Right? 13 MR. LEAVITT: Yes. 14 THE COURT: Okay. Now, two scenarios. They deny 15 They say his ruling was proper and there was a 16 designation on the property zone and why is that require a 17 major application and they sustain his ruling. 18 MR. LEAVITT: Correct. 19 THE COURT: What does that do? What happens? 20 Then, of course, that would be part MR. LEAVITT: 21 of the judicial taking. 22 THE COURT: What does it do to the issues in this 23 case? 24 MR. LEAVITT: Well, that's a different issue.

me -- the question is different now because, also pending

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before the Nevada Supreme Court is the proper venue for that judicial taking issue. The Nevada -- in front of the Nevada Supreme Court, we've argued: Hey, the venue should be here before the State Court. But we raised that issue in front of the Nevada Supreme Court just to preserve that and make sure that we did not waive it and I'll tell you why in just a moment. Because, in the Stop the Beach case, the justices there essentially said there's three places where you could bring this claim. Justice Scalia said you should bring it in the original case, which is the Judge Crockett case, which is up on appeal right now, which is why we plead that in the first instance in front of the Nevada Supreme Court. The problem with that is that that case is a Petition for Judicial Review. And the Nevada Supreme Court in the Kay v. Nunez case said you cannot bring independent claims other than the Petition for Judicial Review in that case. So, that's the problem with bringing it there. But we said we're bringing it here just to make sure we did not waive it.

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Then, Justice Scalia said: Well, another place you could bring it is in the first instance is in Federal Court. The problem with bringing it in Federal Court is the United States Supreme Court in the Williamson County case said that you cannot bring an inverse condemnation claim from a state in the first instance in Federal Court.

You first have to run it through the State Court process, get a final decision, and then you can bring it in Federal Court. So, the only place we have to bring it is here.

So, that -- I think the better question is:
What's the Nevada Supreme Court going to decide as far as venue is concerned? Should the judicial taking issue be here or should it be in the first instance and before the Nevada Supreme Court, even though that's a Petition for Judicial Review case? That's why we say: Hold on, let's put the brakes on this. Let's stay it. Let's see what the Nevada Supreme Court says about that venue issue. They may not even get to the issue of a judicial taking because they may say: This is properly before Judge Bixler and he's the one who has to decide the judicial taking issue. So, that's the first issue.

The second issue would be what if the Nevada Supreme Court finds that Judge Crockett was correct in its Order? Then we would say: Well, that's great but we want you to now find that the upholding of the Judge Crockett Order is in fact another step in the judicial taking, that that is indeed a judicial taking. You see the difficulty with that is the Nevada Supreme -- is the Nevada Supreme Court is going to uphold a decision by Judge Crockett and, then, have to feign -- have to make it a finding that that decision is a part of a judicial taking.

Now, that issue went before the Florida Supreme

Court, that same issue. And, then, what the landowner did

there is he took a sur petition up to the United States

Supreme Court and asked the United States Supreme Court to

find that the Florida Supreme Court's decision was indeed a

judicial taking. And that issue is what the one that's

presented to the United States Supreme Court in the Stop

the Beach case. And that's where they recognized this

claim of a judicial taking.

So, that's a long way to answer your question,
Your Honor. I hope I answered it. If you want any more
clarification, I could do it.

THE COURT: Well, that's if they affirm. Or just take it the other side. So, the Supreme Court reverses the ruling.

MR. LEAVITT: Correct.

THE COURT: So -- and what happens at that point in your case? What do you do as a result of that?

MR. LEAVITT: Okay.

THE COURT: Is it a possibility that the Supreme Court can say, under the circumstances, when there was no - this is one of the scenarios that I conjured up in my mind, that they could say: Look, there is question marks all around how this property got moved from a RPD-7, which is residential density seven per blah, blah, blah, how did

it get moved from that kind of a hard zone to a designation of the PROS or whatever its name?

MS. WATERS: Right.

THE COURT: How did it happen? I don't know. Nobody has an explanation of how that happened.

MR. LEAVITT: Correct.

THE COURT: And that is a fact that needs to be determined how it happened. Was it done properly or was it done improperly? If it was done improperly, what effect does that have? Does that mean that the other designated with a residential seven perimeter would still apply and the State's approval of the application should have been granted and it was properly granted and the development should have been allowed to proceed? Is that a possibility?

MR. LEAVITT: Absolutely, Your Honor. And, under that scenario, the United States Supreme Court addressed that very issue in the Stop the Beach case. The United States Supreme Court addressed that very issue in the Lucas versus South Carolina Coastal Commission [sic] case. And what the United States Supreme Court said is that if we find that there's a taking as a result of those actions in those cases, whether it's a judicial taking or the government adopts a regulation, and then the government decides, well, hold on a minute, we don't want to pay for

that so we're going to reverse our regulation or, in this
case, the Crockett Order is reversed, then the United

States Supreme Court said then there would be a temporary
taking -
THE COURT: Right.

MR. LEAVITT: -- of the property. Because what'
happened here is there was an approval and the landowner

MR. LEAVITT: -- of the property. Because what's happened here is there was an approval and the landowner was ready to build. And the Crockett order came in and once the Crockett order came in, the City of Las Vegas said you're not getting anything else now.

THE COURT: Well, okay. It --

MR. LEAVITT: So, the --

THE COURT: Even though that scenario --

MR. LEAVITT: Yeah.

THE COURT: -- it would be properly designated at least, at least a temporary taking. That's -- in the big picture, that doesn't really solve crap. But I understand your position.

Let me move over here. Now I have to ask you guys, I want you to give me an analysis on both sides of this. I want you guys to tell me what's the State's position if the Supreme Court affirms Judge Crockett's ruling? How does that affect your position?

MR. SHEVORSKI: Thank you, Your Honor.

If the State Court, if the Nevada Supreme Court

affirms Judge Crockett, what happens is precisely what happened in *Stop the Beach* where the only -- where the judge -- the eight justices actually could agree, is that the plaintiff didn't, within its bundle of rights, hold the thing that he thought he held. In that instance, if you recall from *Stop the Beach*, there was an organization of landowners who were saying that the state of Florida, by adding material that -- to areas that were previously submerged, had taken the beach -- the adjacent beach owner's rights.

Well, in the portions of the *Stop the Beach* decision where the justices actually could agree -- and I'm mainly talking about, I believe it's part 4 in the opinion where they actually could agree, they analyzed state law and said that the Florida Supreme Court got it right, you don't have this right and, therefore, the 14th Amendment and the 5th Amendment are defended. We don't even have to reach the taking because as Justice Scalia would like to say: It's not part of your bundle of sticks.

And, so, if the Court -- if the Supreme Court affirms Judge Crockett, all that means is that it's not part of their bundle of sticks, what they were fighting for, and they couldn't have had, to quote Justice Scalia again in the *Lucas* decision where poor Mr. Lucas couldn't develop his beachfront property: It wasn't part of your

reasonable investment back expectations because it's not part of your right. It's not part of the sticks if that gets affirmed.

Now --

THE COURT: If it doesn't, if it gets overturned.

MR. SHEVORSKI: If it gets overturned is the more important question but, actually, is quite easy to resolve.

I -- and I -- you don't use that to be flip. But I think it's quite easy to resolve under Justice Rehnquist's opinion in the First Lutheran decision. And, so, in that -

THE COURT: You know that if this -- if Judge Crockett's decision gets overturned, he's not going to be able to hear any of that case -- I mean this case. That case, that judicial review, I am quite sure he will be recused.

MR. SHEVORSKI: I'm sure it will be, Your Honor.
THE COURT: All right.

MR. SHEVORSKI: But what we're here to talk about is what possible liability could the Department 24, in its official capacity as an arm of the judicial branch, have if Judge Crockett's decision is overturned and disagreed with?

THE COURT: It was sort of -- if it's overturned, it's your position that a Motion to Dismiss you out would be automatic.

MR. SHEVORSKI: Absolutely. And it -- because it doesn't matter, either way. And Judge Rehnquist in *First Lutheran* was quite clear about this.

If you recall in First Lutheran, it was once again this troublesome problem where courts are struggling with regulations to deal with flooding. And, in that instance, there was a temporary interim order from the state of California that prohibited a property owner from building anything in a particular area. And the Court was confronted with a problem in the 1970s from the in -- that was unique to the benighted state of California where I'm from. And, in that instance, there was a California Supreme Court decision that said: Well, if you want to sue for a regulatory taking, what you have to do is you have to go to court first and seek a declaration that the regulation is too onerous.

And what Justice Rehnquist did is say: No, that's silly. If there has been a final action that has excluded -- taken away one of your sticks for a [indiscernible] the right of exclusion or the right to make any use whatsoever on your property, it doesn't -- you don't need to wait. The 5th Amendment protects you at that point. And, so, dealing with very specific facts, dealing with a very unique problem that was brought on by this California Supreme Court in the '70s, Justice Rehnquist said: You

have a taking right there.

And it's no different from the problem that was confronting the United States Supreme Court in the 1940s dealing where the United -- where the government of the United States during the war years would temporarily garrison troops somewhere or temporarily use a factory. The fact that the United States would take its troops off the property or stop using the factory doesn't mean that there wasn't a taking.

Now, contrast that to what has happened here. A District Court Order can never take away one of the bundle of sticks, ever. The only way it could possibly do that is if the plaintiffs themselves were to make it final by not appealing. If the plaintiffs themselves -- but the Order itself doesn't do that. It is subject to revision; it's subject to appeal.

THE COURT: Okay. You're beginning to argue your brief.

MR. SHEVORSKI: Okay. I -- so, what the -- and the important part of Justice Rehnquist's opinion, just to go back to *First Lutheran*, is he distinguished the ordinary hurly burly of zoning fights and said: We're not -- no one thinks those are takings. If you're in a temporary fight with -- about your zoning problem and you may or you may not be proven right but, during that process, that's not a

taking. What we're here talking about in First Lutheran is where you have this very specific problem in California and a final action has prohibited you from making any economic use of your property whatsoever. And the fact that it later gets taken away doesn't matter. That's not the case here and it would never be so with a State Court Order.

THE COURT: At some point, I think I will probably, hopefully -- I don't know. Maybe not be as conversive on this subject as you are. But, at this point, I'm actually not. But you do understand that if the Supreme Court overturns the Crockett ruling, you're still not getting out of this case because there's still going to be a temporary taking argument that you're going to have to answer.

MR. SHEVORSKI: I'm happy to answer it then; I'm happy to answer it now.

THE COURT: Yeah. Does the City have some input in regards to what your opinion as to what effect the rulings of the Supreme Court on the Crockett holding would have on your position? That if they affirm the Crockett ruling, do you -- how do you see that affecting your case?

MR. OGILVIE: This case gets dismissed. That case decides every issue before this Court.

THE COURT: I don't necessarily disagree.
Assuming that they overturn it, what happens?

MR. OGILVIE: Then, the --

THE COURT: They could do a multitude of --

MR. OGILVIE: They could. They could. They could remand it for further findings.

But under the two most clean-cut decisions, affirmance, or flat out reversal -- I've already said what affirmance means. It means every issue before this Court is decided and this case gets dismissed.

On the other hand, if it gets reversed, it's almost as simple. The land use applications that were approved, mind you, Your Honor, approved. So, there isn't a taking by the City.

THE COURT: I hear you.

MR. OGILVIE: The land use applications that were approved the City that was reversed by Judge Crockett are reinstituted. The approval is reinstituted and the developer stands where it stood prior to the Crockett order.

THE COURT: You think that there is a distinct possibility that if the Court reverses Judge Crockett's ruling that they might take a step that says: Look, they came in -- they came in and they went through that process before the City and all this was approved and the zoning issue wasn't mandated or was complied with and the City approved it properly, so give them the -- let theM proceed

with their development? Is that a possibility?

MR. OGILVIE: Well, that's what I'm saying is the most clear-cut reversal is saying: Judge Crockett, you're wrong, there wasn't a major modification necessary for these land use applications to be approved so you're wrong. And you go back to the status quo ante, which is what the status quo was prior to Judge Crockett issuing this order, which means that the City had approved those land use applications.

THE COURT: I -- the only reason I don't think that that's very realistic is because, apparently, at the time of this matter, at least got in front of Judge Crockett on a judicial review. Apparently, some mysterious form or fashion, the zoning on the property had gone from RPD-7 to a PR05.

MR. OGILVIE: Well, let's -- let me clarify that. Because I don't think there's really any dispute in what I'm going to say. So, the zoning is RPD-7. That's the -- and it has been RPD-7, not --

THE COURT: It's always been the City's position.

I mean, that's always been the City's position. And -- but

MR. OGILVIE: There is a land use designation, a general plan designation of parks, recreation, and open space. That's what PROS stands for.

THE COURT: But how --

MR. OGILVIE: Overlaying all of the zoning, there is this designation of PROS. So, it's always, since 1989 -

THE COURT: For the entire 250 acres?

MR. OGILVIE: Yes.

THE COURT: Or just the --

MR. OGILVIE: For the entire 250 acres. It's always been the same since 1989, 1990.

THE COURT: Well, when did the RPD-7 zone -that's referred to as a hard-zoning designation. When did
that occur? At what point from 1986 until -- I mean, there
were confirmations -- you know what? Here. You know what?
We're going to get off in the weeds here. Here's the deal.
I think --

MR. OGILVIE: Let me just -- let me answer the question by saying at all times relevant to this dispute.

THE COURT: Okay. Here's the deal. I don't think there's anybody in this room that doesn't agree the Supreme Court case, pending appeal of the judicial review, has the potential for major impact on this litigation. And I don't know how anybody can -- in fact, maybe everybody does agree, I don't know how anybody thinks that we can proceed in any form or fashion with this litigation until that appeal has been heard and determined. I mean, to me, it

just seems completely crazy to even think that we can proceed in any fashion with this litigation until they rule. That's what this is -- that's what this is kind of all about.

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So, here's the deal. I am going to stay this proceeding. Now, I have to be honest with you, I was toying with the idea that -- the argument by the landowners here, as it applies to the Crockett decision and the Eighth Judicial District Court, has been made based upon an assumption that the Court Order is in effect and will be sustained by the Supreme Court. Personally, I kind of doubt that's going to happen. But, the point is, their position and their argument has been kind of based upon the fact that this Order is valid and existing and is constituting a taking. And I don't know that I necessarily agree with that under the circumstances for a variety of reasons. But I was toying with the possibility of outright dismissing that part of the case but I'm not going to. Because I don't think -- once again, I think this thing needs to be decided by the Supreme Court before this Court addresses anything else about the case.

So, therefore, I am staying this entire proceeding. We're going to stay -- I want to make sure that it's clear. All of the provisions of NRCP 41(e) are going to be tolled while this case is stayed. And it'll --

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there's some other litigation out there that doesn't necessarily involve the same issues as this case does because it doesn't involve the ruling by Judge Crockett.

But there are some other matters that are going to be proceeding that may also have some effect. I don't want to get into it.

There's a lot of questions I have about the rulings that Judge Smith made. And the fact that some of those issues were, in fact, addressed by the Supreme Court. And I haven't read the Supreme Court opinion in that particular case. That was one of the 1777 -- I got the case number. That's one of the things I'm going to do before we come back for the whatever -- whenever it is.

And I do apologize for having to do it like this but I don't see any other choice. Unfortunately, they don't move so fast. And this case on appeal is at a very early stage. And, unfortunately, for everybody, this case may be stayed awhile while we're waiting for the Supreme Court to decide what they're going to do.

So, I don't know what -- we want to do it like this and maybe status check this in six months and see what's going on with the Supreme Court.

MR. LEAVITT: That'd be fine with us, Your Honor.

THE COURT: You guys want to?

MR. SHEVORSKI: No objection, Your Honor.

THE COURT: The City probably wants to object and get out.

MR. OGILVIE: I'm just -- I'm still stuck on dismissal, Your Honor. I mean, there -- aside from the Crockett Order, there's every reason to dismiss the City. The City didn't take anything. It granted the applications.

THE COURT: I understand. I understand. And I think that the impact of the Supreme Court's ruling will have an impact on your position. Maybe not -- maybe from your perspective, not as great as I think. But I think it will have a big impact on how we proceed with this matter. And I don't see any way to avoid staying this. I think it's just too critical with what's going on here.

So, that being said, the Order to stay these proceedings pending the outcome of the -- do we have the case number in that other matter?

MR. LEAVITT: Yes, Your Honor.

THE COURT: I have it right here. It's A-16-739654. Now, that's the District Court case number. I don't know what the Appellate --

MR. LEAVITT: If you might, Your Honor? The Appellate Court case number is 75481.

THE COURT: Okay. All right. Pending the decision of that case and we will status check this case.

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   don't have a designated courtroom and, so, we kind of just
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            MR. LEAVITT: Yeah.
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   and we'll pick out a date in six months if that's --
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                         What day of week would you like?
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             THE COURT: Guys, what's a convenient -- is there
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   one more convenient than another?
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            MR. LEAVITT: Tuesday through Thursday.
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            THE COURT: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday.
            MR. SHEVORSKI: That's fine with me, Your Honor.
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            MR. LEAVITT: Any day is fine.
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             THE COURT: You guys are good with a Wednesday?
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            MR. LEAVITT: Yeah. Any day is fine.
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             THE COURT: Okay. Let's do a Wednesday. And just
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   in case I got a trial going on, let's say noon.
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            MR. LEAVITT: Okay.
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             THE COURT: Is that all right?
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            MR. OGILVIE: Yes.
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            MR. SHEVORSKI: It's fine, Your Honor.
             THE COURT: Let's say 12 o'clock on a Wednesday,
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   six months?
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             THE CLERK: It would be July 24<sup>th</sup>.
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1		THE	COURT: Okay. There we go.
2		MR.	SHEVORSKI: Thank you, Your Honor. Thank you.
3		THE	COURT: And, gentlemen, Thank you very much.
4		MR.	SHEVORSKI: Thank you, Your Honor. Thank you.
5		MR.	LEAVITT: Real quick, just housekeeping, Your
6	Honor?		
7		THE	COURT: Yes.
8		MR.	LEAVITT: Do you want have a written order
9	prepared	and	submitted?
10		THE	COURT: Yeah.
11		MS.	WATERS: I'm happy to do it, Your Honor.
12		THE	COURT: Okay.
13		MR.	LEAVITT: Thank you.
14		THE	COURT: Nothing further.
15		MR.	SHEVORSKI: Very good.
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1	LAS VEGAS, NEVADA; THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 2019
2	9:08 A.M.
3	PROCEEDINGS
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6	THE COURT: First up would be page 1. 180
7	Land Company versus City of Las Vegas. Well, it's
8	going to be uncontested because I'm going to issue a
9	have someone issue a nunc pro tunc order.
09:08:58 10	And let's go ahead and place our appearances
11	on the record.
12	MR. LEAVITT: Your Honor, James A. Leavitt on
13	behalf of 180 Land LLC.
14	MR. WATERS: Kermitt L. Waters on behalf of
09:09:03 15	the 180 Land Company LLC.
16	MR. HUTCHISON: And Mark Hutchinson on behalf
17	of the 180 Land LLC.
18	MR. OGLIVIE: George Ogilvie on behalf the
19	City of Las Vegas.
09:09:11 20	MS. LEONARD: Debbie Leonard on behalf of the
21	City of Las Vegas.
22	MR. HOLMES: Dustun Holmes on behalf of the
23	intervenors, your Honor.
24	THE COURT: Okay. Anyway, normally, I invite
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           circumstances of this case I see no need to. And I
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            don't mind telling you why.
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            intent was when I issued my decision as it related to
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            the petition for judicial review from a -- and I
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            understand the history of this case. I remember when I
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            granted the motion to sever. I understand there's some
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            complex issues regarding eminent domain in the other
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                     Secondly -- you should be reporting this.
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                     THE COURT REPORTER: They are.
                     THE COURT: Okay. All right.
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                     Secondly, I have never sua sponte ruled on any
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            issue in thousands of cases as a trial judge. I'm just
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            going to tell you that.
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                     I read -- I was reading the points and
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            authorities. And as I was reading them, I called my
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            law clerk in. And I said what the heck is going on in
           this case? I don't mind telling you that. And so he
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            said, Well, Judge I don't know. And understand this.
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            He was a new law clerk at the time. We rotate them out
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            every year.
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                     MR. HUTCHISON:
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                     THE COURT: And I had him pull the minutes.
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           And at the very end of the order that was submitted for
           my signature, and we'll be more specific for the
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            record, to my chagrin, and I think it was -- was it
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            paragraph, let me see here, 64 on page 23 of the order,
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            specifically set forth the following:
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                 for inverse condemnation must be dismissed for
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                 lack of ripeness.
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           historical prospective everyone that has appeared in
            this courtroom understands that, number one, I believe,
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            Constitution. When it's close, let a jury decide.
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            feel very strongly about that.
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            have to be really argued because I believe in due
           process. That's one of the foundations of our justice
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                     This issue was never vetted. It was never
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            raised.
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                     MR. HUTCHISON: Correct, your Honor.
                     MR. WATERS: That's correct.
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                     MR. LEAVITT:
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09:11:51 1	THE COURT: Yes. So it doesn't matter why
2	this was here. I'm not going to throw my law clerk
3	under the bus. We didn't catch it. And I want to make
4	sure the record is clear. And I want a nunc pro tunc
09:12:06 5	order superseding any determination as it relates to
6	"Further, petitioner's alternative claim for inverse
7	condemnation must be dismissed. Right?
8	And I want to make sure the record is clear.
9	I haven't made any factual rulings or determination as
09:12:24 10	it relates to the severed case. I have not made any
11	issue, rulings, or determinations as a matter of law as
12	it relates to the severed case.
13	Does everybody understand that?
14	MR. HUTCHISON: Yes, your Honor.
09:12:39 15	THE COURT: And normally, I invite too much
16	argument and discussion. And I've always taken a
17	cautious approach when it comes to all issues. And I
18	invite more briefing. That's how I've done it for
19	close to 14 years.
09:12:52 20	So this happened. We're going to move
21	forward. Can you prepare a nunc pro tunc order, sir,
22	for me to take a look at. And I'll take a close look
23	at it.
24	MR. WATERS: Sure.
09:13:04 25	THE COURT: And it's specifically regarding

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            the severed case.
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                     MR. HUTCHISON: Yes, your Honor.
                     THE COURT: Anything else? Yes.
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                     MR. LEAVITT: Yes, your Honor. Just on the
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            record really quick. The severed case is addressed in
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            findings number 63, 64, 65, and 66.
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                     THE COURT: I see that.
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                     MR. LEAVITT:
                                   Okay.
                     THE COURT: But I focused on the decision.
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                     MR. LEAVITT: Understood.
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                     THE COURT: It was really -- I mean, you know,
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            whether you win or lose, it was a very unique issue.
            It involved judicial review of the city council.
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            That's it; am I right?
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                     MR. HUTCHISON:
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                     THE COURT: I'm glad -- I was going to call
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            you up first even if you weren't first because at the
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            end of the day there's -- we can't have argument on
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            what my intent was. Only I can express what my intent
           was when I made my decision and had that placed on the
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            record.
                     Right?
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                     MR. HUTCHISON: Yes, your Honor.
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                     MR. LEAVITT: Yes.
                     THE COURT: Well, you can't argue, Well,
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           Judge, this is what your intent was; right? No.
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           can argue a lot of other things and the intent of the
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           legislature, but not my intent.
                    MR. HUTCHISON: Correct, your Honor.
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                     THE COURT: And so for the record I just want
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            to make sure I'm clear. And you are correct, sir. You
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            pointed it out. You can prepare that type of order.
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            Nunc pro tunc. And we all know what that means.
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                     MR. LEAVITT:
                                   Yes, your Honor.
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                     THE COURT: Yeah.
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           I want to do. And we'll just move forward. And I
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           have -- I realize potentially in the inverse
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           condemnation case there's going to be some unique
           issues. I don't know. Hypothetically, the entire
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            conduct of the city council could impact that.
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            know. I'm pretty good at issue spotting. But my mind
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            is completely open. I just want to tell everybody
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            that.
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                     MR. HUTCHISON: Thank you, your Honor.
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                     MR. LEAVITT: Your Honor, we'll prepare the
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            order.
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                     THE COURT: Prepare the order. And there's no
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            need for argument.
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                     MR. WATERS: All right.
                     THE COURT: I'm sorry you had to do briefing.
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           But that's my decision. And to be honest with you, I
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           was kind of surprised when I saw it because I would
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            think you realize I don't do things that way.
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                     MR. LEAVITT: I understand.
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                     MR. WATERS: We respect that, your Honor.
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            Thank you.
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                     THE COURT: Okay. Everyone, enjoy your day.
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                     MR. LEAVITT: Thank you, your Honor.
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1	REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE
2	STATE OF NEVADA)
3	COUNTY OF CLARK)
4	I, PEGGY ISOM, CERTIFIED SHORTHAND REPORTER DO
5	HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I TOOK DOWN IN STENOTYPE ALL OF THE
6	PROCEEDINGS HAD IN THE BEFORE-ENTITLED MATTER AT THE
7	TIME AND PLACE INDICATED, AND THAT THEREAFTER SAID
8	STENOTYPE NOTES WERE TRANSCRIBED INTO TYPEWRITING AT
9	AND UNDER MY DIRECTION AND SUPERVISION AND THE
10	FOREGOING TRANSCRIPT CONSTITUTES A FULL, TRUE AND
11	ACCURATE RECORD TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY OF THE
12	PROCEEDINGS HAD.
13	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SUBSCRIBED
14	MY NAME IN MY OFFICE IN THE COUNTY OF CLARK, STATE OF
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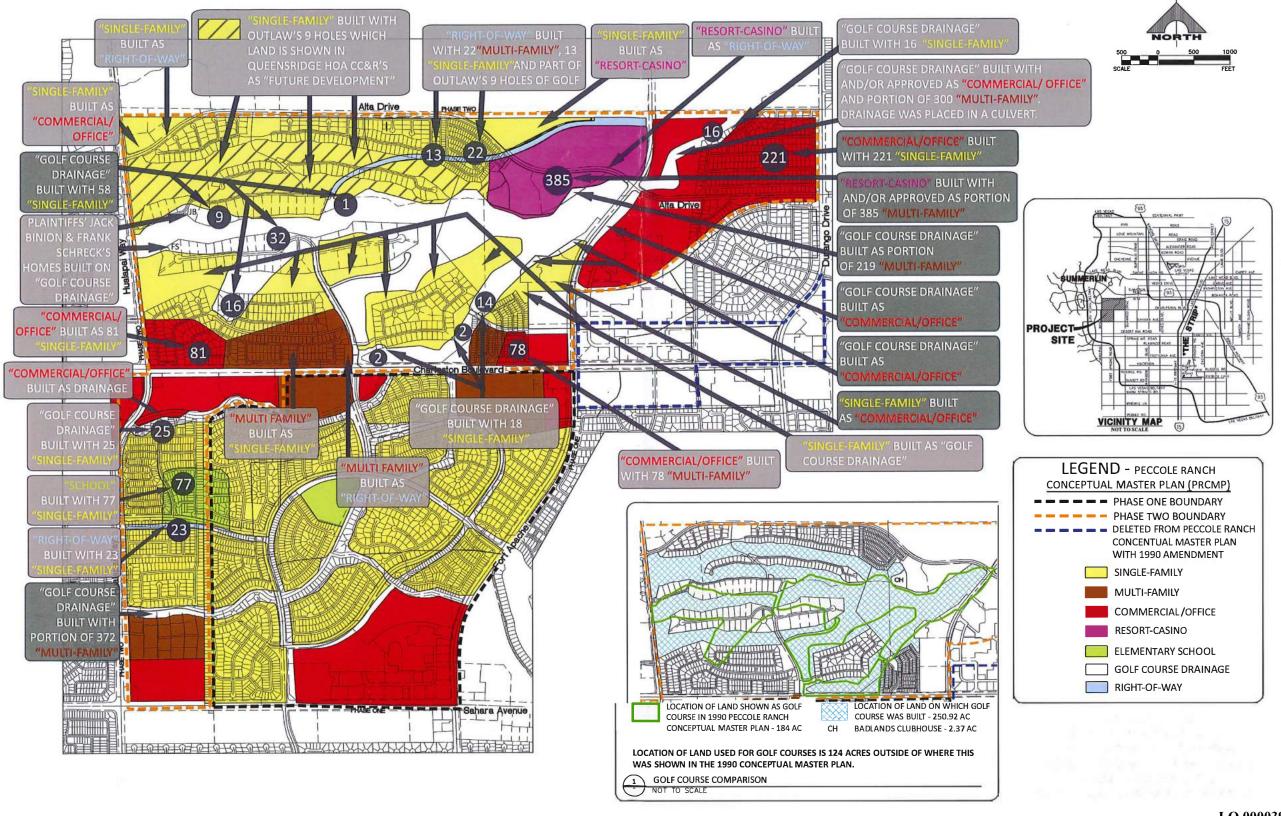


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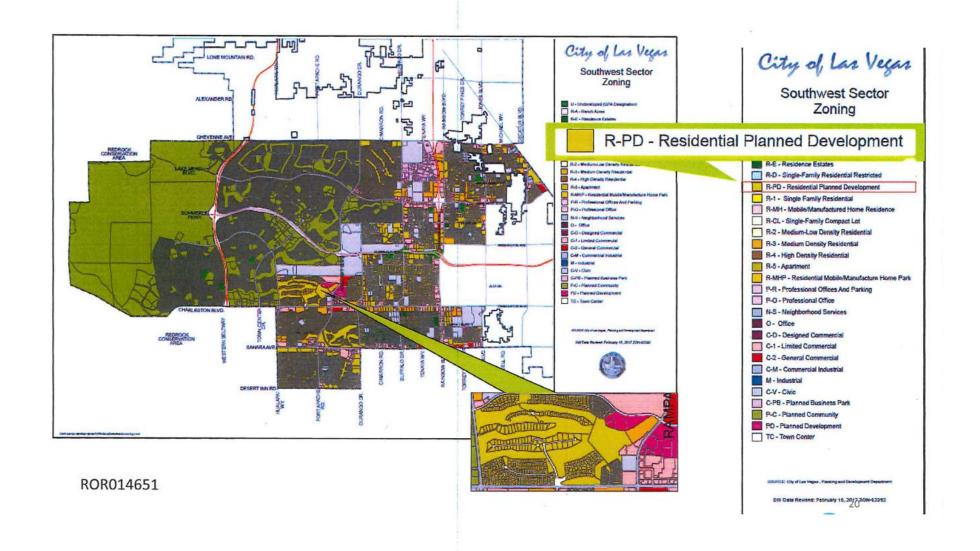
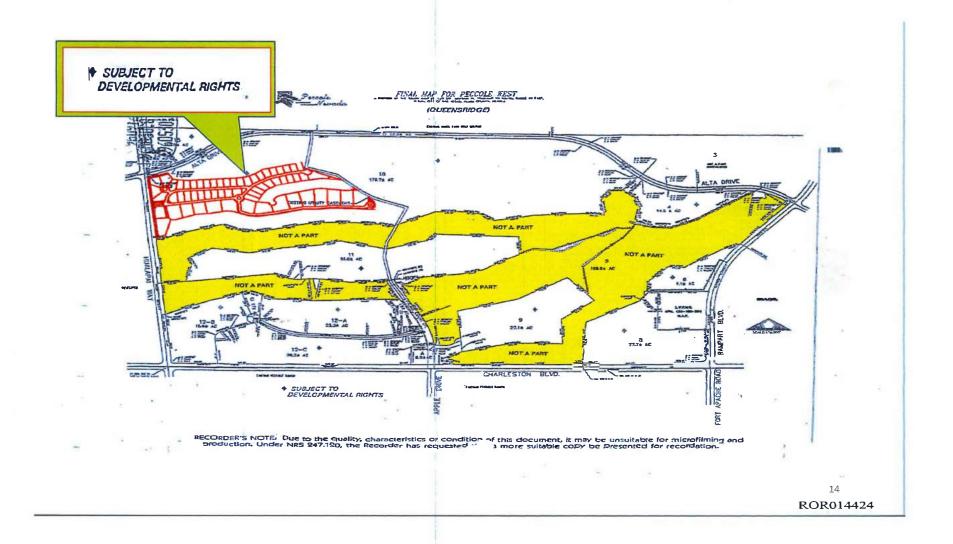


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ORDER

It is hereby ordered that Plaintiffs, 180 LAND COMPANY, LLC, FORE STARS, LTD., and SEVENTY ACRES, LLC, may file their Opposition To City's Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings on Developer's Inverse Condemnation Claims and Countermotion for Judicial Determination of Liability on the Landowner's Inverse Condemnation Claims and Countermotion to Supplement/Amend the Pleadings that is in excess of thirty (30) pages.

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I. INTRODUCTION

The Developer has attempted to divert the Court from the legal deficiencies of its inverse condemnation claims by papering the Court's docket with extraneous filings, manipulating the procedural process and personally attacking opposing counsel. Setting aside this transparent effort at sleight of hand, the Developer cannot manufacture a vested right to redevelop the golf course where none exists under Nevada law. Nor can the Developer turn back the clock on the actions of its predecessor, which sought and obtained the open space designation, and then effectuated that designation by building the golf course. The Developer stands in the shoes of its predecessor, and is time-barred from challenging its predecessor's actions. Further, unless and until the Nevada Supreme Court rules otherwise, the Developer's inverse condemnation claims are barred by the preclusive effect of Judge Crockett's Decision.

Because it cannot refute the sound legal arguments presented in the City's motion, the Developer has improperly inundated the Court with thousands of pages of documents that the Court cannot consider in adjudicating a Rule 12 motion. The Developer has also resorted to misrepresenting the procedural history and the law. Because the Court has already correctly concluded that the Developer lacks any vested rights to have its redevelopment applications approved and must submit and obtain approval of a major modification of the Master Plan, the Court should not be misled by the Developer's legerdemain.

Inverse condemnation claims are properly dismissed pursuant to Rule 12 where, as here, the complaint fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted. The basic pleading standard is not lowered for inverse condemnation cases. Dismissal with prejudice is mandated in this matter because the allegations in the Developer's complaint, even if accepted as true, do not give rise to a cognizable legal claim.

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II. LEGAL ARGUMENT

A. Nothing Presented in the Developer's Opposition Can Create a Vested Right Where None Exists Under Nevada Law

1. A Mere "Property Interest" is Not a Vested Property Right

This Court already correctly determined that the Developer has no vested rights to have its redevelopment applications approved because the City had the discretion to deny those applications. *See* Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law entered on November 21, 2018 ("FFCL") at Conclusions of Law ¶35-38, 52, *citing Am. W. Dev., Inc. v. City of Henderson*, 111 Nev. 804, 807, 898 P.2d 110, 112 (1995); *Stratosphere Gaming Corp. v. City of Las Vegas*, 120 Nev. 523, 527-28, 96 P.3d 756, 759-60 (2004); *Bd. of Cty. Comm'rs of Clark Cty. v. CMC of Nevada, Inc.*, 99 Nev. 739, 747, 670 P.2d 102, 107 (1983). Nothing in the Developer's opposition casts any doubt on the correctness of the Court's conclusion. And, other than *Stratosphere*, the Developer makes no effort to distinguish the authorities cited by the Court.

To sidestep this legal infirmity, the Developer conflates the term "property interest" with a vested property right. *See* Opposition at 10:1-12:27. These are not the same concept. Under Nevada law, a property interest alone does not constitute a constitutionally protected vested right; to become vested, the property interest must be "fixed and established." *Application of Filippini*, 66 Nev. 17, 22, 202 P.2d 535, 537 (1949); *see also Stop the Beach Renourishment, Inc. v. Fla. Dep't of Envtl. Prot.*, 560 U.S. 702, 715 (2010) (noting a property right must be "established" for a taking to occur); *Bowers v. Whitman*, 671 F.3d 905, 914 (9th Cir. 2012) (holding that a property interest that is "inchoate and does not provide a certain expectation" cannot be deemed a vested right that gives rise to a taking).

Redevelopment applications do not meet the vested rights standard because "[i]n order for rights in a proposed development project to vest, zoning or use approvals *must not be subject to further governmental discretionary action affecting project commencement*, and the developer must prove considerable reliance on the approvals granted." *Am. W. Dev.*, 111 Nev. at 807, 898 P.2d at 112 (emphasis added); *see also Stratosphere Gaming*, 120 Nev. at 527-28, 96 P.3d at 759-60 (holding that, because City's site development review process under Title

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19.18.050 involved discretionary action by City Council, the project proponent had no vested right to construct). The RPD-7 zoning does not create a vested right because "compatible zoning does not, ipso facto, divest a municipal government of the right to deny certain uses based upon considerations of public interest." Tighe v. Von Goerken, 108 Nev. 440, 443, 833 P.2d 1135, 1137 (1992); see also Nevada Contractors v. Washoe Cty., 106 Nev. 310, 311, 792 P.2d 31, 31-32 (1990) (affirming county commission's denial of a special use permit even though property was zoned for the use).

The Developer's erroneous contention that this law does not apply to inverse condemnation claims is absurd. See Opposition at 10:12-14, 29:3-31:1. Constitutional guarantees are only triggered by a vested right. Landgraf v. USI Film Prod., 511 U.S. 244, 266 (1994); Nicholas v. State, 116 Nev. 40, 44, 992 P.2d 262, 265 (2000); Application of Filippini, 66 Nev. 17, 22, 202 P.2d 535, 537 (1949). "A Takings Clause claim requires proof that the plaintiff possesses a property interest that is constitutionally protected." Sierra Med. Servs. All. v. Kent, 883 F.3d 1216, 1223 (9th Cir. 2018) (quotations omitted). A constitutionally protected property interest only exists when an individual has a "legitimate claim of entitlement" under state law that derives from "existing rules or understandings." Bd. of Regents v. Roth, 408 U.S. 564, 577 (1972).

"To determine whether a property interest has vested for Takings Clause purposes, 'the relevant inquiry is the certainty of one's expectation in the property interest at issue." Bowers v. Whitman, 671 F.3d 905, 913 (9th Cir. 2012); quoting Engquist v. Oregon Dep't of Agric., 478 F.3d 985, 1002 (9th Cir. 2007), aff'd. 553 U.S. 591 (2008). If a property interest is "contingent and uncertain," "speculative" or "discretionary," then the government's action will not constitute a constitutional taking. Bowers, 671 F.3d at 913, quoting Engquist, 478 F.3d at 1002-03; accord Angelotti Chiropractic, Inc. v. Baker, 791 F.3d 1075, 1081 (9th Cir. 2015). For this reason, applications that are subject to the governmental authority's discretion are not vested rights that could trigger a taking. See Bowers, 671 F.3d at 913; Hermosa on Metropole, LLC v. City of Avalon, 659 F. App'x 409, 411 (9th Cir. 2016); Charles Wiper, Inc. v. City of Eugene, 486 F. App'x 630, 631 (9th Cir. 2012).

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Because the residential redevelopment that the Developer proposes is not "fixed and established," the Developer has no vested right to build it. *See id.* Similarly, because the Developer's 35-Acre Applications were speculative and contingent upon the Council's discretionary decision-making authority, the Developer had no vested right to have those applications approved. *See Bowers*, 671 F.3d at 913. In light of this law, the Developer cannot transform mere ownership of the golf course into a vested right to redevelop the golf course into houses. *See id.* The Developer's contention that this Court should recognize a vested right to build houses on the golf course when the decision to grant or deny redevelopment applications is discretionary is plainly an incorrect statement of the law. *See Filippini*, 66 Nev. at 22, 202 P.2d at 537; *Bowers*, 671 F.3d at 913.

Moreover, in that the golf course was built years ago, the Developer's assertion that the land is "vacant" is patently false. *See* Opposition at 36:16-24; 56:18-58:15 and *passim*. And, in that the Developer could continue to use the property as open space and a golf course, the Developer is misrepresenting that the City has denied "all" uses of the property. *See* Opposition at 48:17-20 and *passim*. The City Council only denied the specific 35-Acre Applications that sought to change the approved golf course into the project proposed in the applications.¹

The Developer's complaint contains no allegation that the City interfered with the Developer's rights to operate its golf course. To the contrary, the Developer sabotaged its own ability to do so by selling the appurtenant water rights. For this reason, *Richmond Elks Hall Assoc. v. Richmond Redev. Agency*, 561 F.2d 1327, 1330 (9th Cir. 1977) and other cases regarding *de facto* takings upon which the Developer relies are inapposite. *See* Opposition 55:1-56:10. Because the Developer may continue to use the property as a golf course – which its

For this reason, the Developer's reliance on *City of Monterey v. Del Monte Dunes at Monterey, Ltd.*, 526 U.S. 687, 720 (1999) and *Lucas v. South Carolina Coastal Council*, 505 U.S. 1003, 1020 (1992), is misplaced. Both of those cases involved denial of all economical use of the property. Here, the Developer can continue to use the property in exactly the manner sought and built by its predecessor, in whose shoes the Developer now stands.

predecessor sought, was granted and built – the Developer cannot identify any vested right that has been *taken*. *See Murr v. Wisconsin*, 137 S. Ct. 1933, 1937 (2017); *Application of Filippini*, 66 Nev. at 22, 202 P.2d at 537.

2. Neither Sisolak Nor Schwartz Gives the Developer a Vested Right to Redevelop the Golf Course Into Houses

The Developer's erroneous contention that landowners have vested rights under Nevada law to change the use of their property from open space to houses is not supported by the authorities the Developer cites. *See* Opposition at 10:11-12:27 and *passim*, *citing McCarran Intl. Airport v. Sisolak*, 122 Nev. 645, 137 P.3d 1110 (2006); *Schwartz v. State*, 111 Nev. 998, 900 P.2d 939 (1995). Neither *Sisolak* nor *Schwartz* is analogous here.

In *Sisolak*, the Nevada Supreme Court simply interpreted the word "vested" in NRS 493.040, which states that "[t]he ownership of the space above the lands and waters of this state *is declared to be vested* in the several owners of the surface beneath." *Sisolak*, 122 Nev. at 659, 137 P.3d at 1120 (emphasis added). In other words, the vested right discussed in *Sisolak* derived from statutory language. *Id.*, quoting NRS 493.040. Based on that statute, which does not apply here, the Court concluded that physical invasion by airplanes flying below the minimum altitudes needed for flight established by the FAA warranted compensation for a physical invasion. *Id.* at 658-59, 137 P.3d at 1119-20. *Sisolak* simply has no bearing here, where there is no statute that creates a vested right to redevelop a golf course and no physical invasion of the Developer's property.

Schwartz also involved a physical invasion in which the state condemned the landowner's easement to access its property, which the Court deemed a special class of property right protected by NRS 37.110(3). Schwartz, 111 Nev. at 1003, 900 P.2d at 942. Neither of these cases alters the well-established case law that there can be no vested right to develop property where further governmental approvals are discretionary. See Stratosphere Gaming, 120 Nev. at 527-28, 96 P.3d at 759-60 (post-dating Sisolak); Foothills of Fernley, LLC v. City of Fernley, 355 Fed.Appx. 109, 111, 2009 WL 3602019 at *1 (9th Cir. 2009) (continuing to cite Am. W. Dev. for that proposition even after the Sisolak decision).

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3. Inverse Condemnations Claims Do Not Have a Lower Pleading Standard

In light of this clear law, the Developer's argument regarding a purported constitutional "mandate" is misguided and does not excuse the Developer from pleading legally viable claims. *See* Opposition at 47:21-48:21. The only "fixed and established" use of the Property is the open space golf course, which was built by the Developer's predecessor according to the open space designation it sought and granted by the City Council 30 years ago. *See Filippini*, 66 Nev. at, 22, 202 P.2d at 537. The Developer cannot sidestep the Rule 12 requirement of a vested right by asserting an "entitlement" to bring an inverse condemnation action based upon the "self-executing character" of just compensation. The "self-executing" language upon which the Developer relies does not lower the pleading threshold for inverse condemnation claims. Rather, for compensation to be "self-executing," the plaintiff must first demonstrate a taking, and a plaintiff's taking claim cannot withstand a Rule 12 motion without stating a legally cognizable claim. *See Sanchez v. Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.*, 125 Nev. 818, 823, 221 P.3d 1276, 1280 (2009).

The authorities cited by Developer for its "self executing" argument do not alter this conclusion. In *Alper v. Clark County*, 93 Nev. 569, 571 P.2d 810 (1977), the taking was established by the county's construction of a road, and the question presented was whether the landowner had to first seek compensation under NRS 244.245 and NRS 244.250, which create procedures for filing claims with, and recovering costs from, a county. *See Alper*, 93 Nev. at 811-13, 571 P.2d at 572-74. The Nevada Supreme Court held that, under those circumstances, the landowner did not need to exercise state statutory rights to compensation before it could proceed in court under its constitutional claims. *Id*.

In contrast, here, the Developer brings takings claims for the City's discretionary denial of its redevelopment applications, not a physical invasion. *See* First Am. Compl. ¶¶44-93. No actual occupation of its property is alleged, nor could it be, because the only action being challenged is the Council's denial of the 35-Acres Applications. *See id.* No matter what type of claim it asserts, to survive a Rule 12 motion, the Developer must state legally cognizable claims. Absent a vested right to have its development applications approved, the Developer

cannot state a constitutional claim. *See Landgraf*, 511 U.S. at 266. The *Alper* case does nothing to alter that conclusion. *See Alper*, 93 Nev. at 811-13, 571 P.2d at 572-74.

The same is true of the Developer's reliance on *U.S. v. Clarke*, 445 U.S. 253 (1980). *See* Opposition at 46:26-28 n.66. The question presented in *Clarke* was whether, under 25 U.S.C. §357, a state or local government could "condemn allotted Indian trust lands by physical occupation." *Clarke*, 445 U.S. at 254. In a general description of the term "inverse condemnation," the Court noted that "[i]nverse condemnation is 'a cause of action against a governmental defendant to recover the value of property *which has been taken in fact by the governmental defendant*, even though no formal exercise of the power of eminent domain has been attempted by the taking agency." *Id.* at 256 (emphasis added), quoting D. Hagman, Urban Planning and Land Development Control Law 328 (1971). Again, as in *Alper*, the "self-executing character of the constitutional provision [is] *with respect to compensation....*" *Id.* at 257 (emphasis added), quoting 6 P. Nichols, Eminent Domain § 25.41 (3d rev.ed.1972). The actual taking must first be established before compensation becomes "self executing." *See id.* Like *Alper*, *Clarke* does not obviate the requirement that a plaintiff plead a legally cognizable claim in order to overcome a Rule 12 motion. Because the Developer cannot do so, dismissal of all claims is required. *See Sanchez*, 125 Nev. at 823, 221 P.3d at 1280.

The Developer would have this Court eliminate NRCP 12 motions altogether in takings cases. Contrary to the Developer's erroneous assertions (at 1:7-10, 4:20-22, 6:18-7:12), the City's motion for judgment on the pleadings does not deprive the Developer from being heard "on the merits." Long ago, the Nevada Supreme Court held that a Rule 12 dismissal constitutes "a determination on the merits." *Zalk-Josephs Co. v. Wells Cargo, Inc.*, 81 Nev. 163, 171, 400 P.2d 621, 625 (1965). There is no special exception to this rule where the complaint asserts inverse condemnation claims. *See Tahoe-Sierra Pres. Council, Inc. v. Tahoe Reg'l Planning Agency*, 322 F.3d 1064, 1081 (9th Cir. 2003) (dismissing takings claims, noting that "a dismissal on statute of limitations grounds is a judgment on the merits").

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B. The Supreme Court's Affirmance of Judge Smith's Interpretation of the Queensridge CC&R's Did Not Create Any Vested Rights for the Developer

Notwithstanding the Developer's misleading assertion, Judge Smith's interpretation of the Queensridge CC&R's does not create vested development rights where none exist under Nevada law.

1. Judge Smith's Interpretation of the Queensridge CC&R's Does Not Affect the City's Discretionary Authority to Deny Redevelopment Applications

Judge Smith's interpretation of a contractual agreement among private parties has no bearing on the City's open space designation, the requirements of the City Code or the mandates of NRS Chapter 278, nor diminish the Council's discretion to deny land use applications. "[C]ontracts between private parties cannot create vested rights which serve to restrict and limit an exercise of a constitutional power of [government]." *Guar. Tr. Co. of New York v. Henwood*, 307 U.S. 247, 258-59 (1939).

Judge Smith described the matter before him as claims by the Queensridge homeowners that *their* "vested rights" in the CC&Rs were violated; *whether the Developer had vested rights under state law was not at issue*. See 11.30.16 Smith FFCL in Case No. A-16-739654-C at ¶¶2, 7, 29, 108, Ex. 2 to Developer's Motion for New Trial.² Indeed, Judge Smith confirmed that, notwithstanding the zoning designation for the golf course property, the Developer is nonetheless "subject to City of Las Vegas requirements" and that the City is not obligated to make any particular decision on the Developer's applications. See 1.31.17 FFCL ¶¶9, 16-17, 71, Ex. 3 (emphasis added).

In other words, Judge Smith's orders undermine the very argument the Developer now advances. Because Judge Smith's interpretation of the Queensridge CC&R's is irrelevant to Judge Crockett's interpretation of the City's Development Code requiring that the City approve a major modification to the Peccole Ranch Master Development Plan before the Developer can

The numbered exhibits referenced in this reply may be found in the Developer's exhibits filed in support of its Motion for New Trial filed on December 13, 2018. The City objects to the Court's consideration of the extraneous matters cited by the Developer but, without waiving its objections, references them here only for the purposes of responding to the Developer's contentions. The exhibits referenced by letter are attached hereto.

convert the golf course to houses, the Developer's reliance on Judge Smith's orders is misplaced.

2. The Supreme Court's Order of Affirmance is Not Binding Precedent

Moreover, when affirming Judge Smith's orders, the Supreme Court simply stated that Judge Smith did not abuse his discretion when "concluding that the golf course property was not subject to the CC&Rs." See Supreme Court Order at 2, Ex. 4. The Developer's leap from that language to the assertion that these decisions affirmatively state, as a matter of law, the Developer has "vested rights" to have the 35-Acre Applications granted has no foundation in reality, much less the law or the record. See Opposition at 13:25-14:1. Nothing stated in the Supreme Court's order of affirmance broadened the limited scope of the underlying orders being affirmed. Judge Smith's Orders, and the affirmance of those orders by the Nevada Supreme Court, had nothing to do with the law regarding when development rights vest. See Stratosphere Gaming Corp., 120 Nev. at 527–28, 96 P.3d at 759–60.

3. The City is Not Bound By Judge Smith's Orders Because It Was Not a Party When the Orders Were Issued and Has Independent Decision-Making Authority Under NRS Chapter 278

Nothing about Judge Smith's interpretation of the Queensridge CC&Rs alters the City's land use authority under NRS Chapter 278, particularly since the City was dismissed from the case long before judgment was entered. Although Judge Smith made a finding that the property is zoned RPD-7, nowhere did he even suggest, much less hold, that zoning alone creates a vested right to develop. *See generally* 11.30.16 Smith FFCL, Ex. 2; *see also* 1.31.17 Smith FFCL, Ex. 3. To the contrary, Judge Smith expressly held that the Developer must submit development applications to the City for consideration and approval. *See* 1.31.17 Smith FFCL, Ex. 3, ¶¶ 9 and 12, Ex. 3; 11.31.16 Smith FFCL, ¶¶ 50 and 86, Ex. 2. As this Court correctly concluded, Nevada law is clear that a zoning designation does not confer a vested right nor overcome the requirement that zoning must conform to the master plan. NRS 278.250(2); *Stratosphere Gaming Corp.*, 120 Nev. at 527–28, 96 P.3d at 759–60. Judge Smith's decisions and the Nevada Supreme Court's order of affirmance do not hold otherwise.

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The Developer incorrectly argues that Judge Smith's Orders have preclusive effect on the City. See Opposition at 22:13-23:14. Yet, as the Developer well knows, because the case before Judge Smith involved only the interpretation of a contract between private parties, the City was dismissed long before a judgment was entered. See 11.30.16 Smith FFCL, ¶ 34, Ex. 2. For that reason, the City was not a party to the appeal. See Ex. 4. Nothing in Judge Smith's Orders or the Supreme Court's order of affirmance, therefore, can have preclusive effect on the City. See Five Star Capital Corp. v. Ruby, 124 Nev. 1048, 1055, 194 P.3d 709, 713 (2008), holding modified by Weddell v. Sharp, 131 Nev. Adv. Op. 28, 350 P.3d 80 (2015).

C. The Developer's Own Argument Confirms Its Claims Are Time Barred Because the Open Space Designation Was Implemented By Construction of the **Golf Course**

The statute of limitations has run on the Developer's challenge to the Parks, Recreation and Open Space designation for the Property because that designation was implemented when the Developer's predecessor built the golf course to satisfy the City's parks and open space requirement. A development restriction created by a predecessor landowner binds successors. See NRS 278.0205; Tompkins v. Buttrum Const. Co. of Nev., 99 Nev. 142, 146, 659 P.2d 865, 868 (1983) (noting that successor landowner steps into shoes of predecessor, and "one who creates a restriction is not permitted to violate it"); Gladstone v. Gregory, 95 Nev. 474, 480, 596 P.2d 491, 495 (1979) (holding that successor owner could not violate height restriction recorded by predecessor). The Developer's failure to even address these Nevada authorities, and its citation to cases from other jurisdictions (at 62:8-63:4) cannot overcome the time bar to its claims.

Here, the Developer's predecessor sought and obtained the open space designation and then built the golf course, thereby implementing on the ground the master plan designation. There is no dispute that the land the Developer now seeks to redevelop was built out as a golf course by its predecessor. Because the Developer's predecessor actually built the golf course according to the open space designation it sought, the Developer's contention (at 13:1-21; 27:19-29:2; 60:1-65:10) that the Peccole Ranch Master Development Plan and General Plan were not implemented as to the 35-Acre Property is hollow. The Developer's predecessor chose

the location of the open space and developed the golf course in furtherance of the development plan it submitted, deriving economic benefit from being able to sell houses that abutted or were in close proximity to an open space amenity. See ROR 2658-2667. As a result, the Developer's own argument (at 60:1- 61:14) confirms that the statute of limitations has run. See Tompkins, 99 Nev. at 146, 659 P.2d at 868; Wilson v. Bd. of Cty. Comm'rs of Cty. of Teton, 153 P.3d 917, 925 (Wyo. 2007); Serra Canyon Co. v. California Coastal Comm., 16 Cal. Rptr. 3d 110, 113 (Cal. Ct. App. 2004); Trimen Dev. Co. v. King Cty., P.2d 226, 231 (Wash. 1992).

The Developer's reliance on *Palazzolo v. Rhode Island* (at 61:25-62:7) is misplaced because *Palazzolo* held only that the state's "blanket rule" that a restriction on land use adopted prior to the current owner's acquisition defeats a takings claim based on that use restriction was overly broad. 533 U.S. 606, 628 (2001). Those are not the facts here. *Compare Daniel v. Cty. of Santa Barbara*, 288 F.3d 375, 384 (9th Cir. 2002) (distinguishing *Palazzolo* and holding that takings claim was time barred when taking occurred at time that predecessor granted county an offer to dedicate an easement). Here, the Developer's predecessor actively sought and obtained the land use restriction in order to enhance the value of its overall project and to satisfy the City's parks requirement and *then built the golf course in furtherance of that designation*.

In other words, the predecessor solidified the open space designation on the ground, and the existence of the open space and golf course was not "repealed" in 2001 as the Developer contends. *See* Opposition at 63:11-28. The land remained a golf course until the Developer ceased that use and sold the water rights in 2015. As a result, the statute of limitations to object to that designation commenced in 1990 at the time the benefit was conferred on the Developer's predecessor.

D. The Developer's Effort to Exceed the Scope of its Complaint Constitutes Impermissible Claim Splitting

The Developer cannot overcome the legal deficiencies of its complaint by improperly filing thousands of pages of documents and making arguments (based on those extraneous documents) that the Court may not consider on this Rule 12(c) motion. The scope of a civil action is defined by the issues raised in the pleadings. *See Nevada-Douglas Consol. Copper Co.*

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v. Berryhill, 58 Nev. 261, 75 P.2d 992, 994 (1938) ("A fact necessary to be proven is equally necessary to be alleged."). In adjudicating a motion to dismiss, the Court is limited to the pleading being attacked. Breliant v. Preferred Equities Corp., 109 Nev. 842, 847, 858 P.2d 1258, 1261 (1993). Matters outside the complaint being challenged may not be considered. Id.

The Developer ignores this well-settled law by submitting reams of exhibits and presenting extensive arguments regarding matters that post-date the Council's decision to deny the 35-Acre Applications and that are outside the scope of its complaint. See generally Developer's appendix and Opposition at 31:13-46:11; 57:5-18; 68:6-74:11 and passim. Every purported "fact" the Developer asserts that does not exist in the Court's record on review was not before the Council when it denied the 35-Acre Applications. Such improper submissions and arguments must be disregarded. See Nevada-Douglas Consol. Copper, 58 Nev. at 261, 75 P.2d at 994. They relate to matters not alleged by the Developer and that are irrelevant to the straightforward issues of law that require dismissal.

Moreover, the Developer is already litigating elsewhere the subsequent City Council proceedings that it now invokes here in an attempt to survive the City's Rule 12 motion. Compare Opposition at 33:1-45:23 and 72:12-73:11 to Complaints in Case Nos. A-18-775804-J; A-18-780184-C, attached hereto as Exhibit A and Exhibit B, respectively. To allow the Developer to rely on matters that are already the subject of pending court cases constitutes impermissible claim splitting. See Fitzharris v. Phillips, 74 Nev. 371, 376, 333 P.2d 721, 724 (1958), disapproved on other grounds by Lee v. GNLV Corp., 116 Nev. 424, 996 P.2d 416 (2000). "It would be contrary to fundamental judicial procedure to permit two actions to remain pending between the same parties upon the identical cause." Id. A main purpose behind the rule preventing claim splitting is "to protect the defendant from being harassed by repetitive actions based on the same claim." Restatement (Second) Judgments, § 26 comment a.

In considering the City's motion for judgment on the pleadings, the Court may look no further than the allegations in the First Amended Complaint that challenge the City Council's denial of the 35-Acre Applications. All of the extraneous documents submitted by the Developer, and the matters outside the Developer's pleadings that the Developer asserts in its

opposition, constitute impermissible claim splitting and cannot be considered. *See Breliant*, 109 Nev. at 847, 858 P.2d at 1261; *Fitzharris*, 74 Nev. at 376, 333 P.2d at 724. Even if these materials could be considered, however, they do not alter the conclusion that the Developer's claims must be dismissed.

E. The Developer's Judicial Estoppel Argument is Inapplicable

The Developer's contention that the City should be judicially estopped from asserting certain arguments must be rejected because there have been no statements made that are subject to judicial estoppel. The elements of judicial estoppel in Nevada are: "(1) the same party has taken two positions; (2) the positions were taken in judicial or quasi-judicial administrative proceedings; (3) the party was successful in asserting the first position (i.e., the tribunal adopted the position or accepted it as true); (4) the two positions are totally inconsistent; and (5) the first position was not taken as a result of ignorance, fraud, or mistake." *NOLM, LLC v. County of Clark*, 120 Nev. 736, 743, 100 P.3d 658, 663 (2004).

Here, the Developer erroneously contends that the statements of its City Attorney and Planning Director that the Property is zoned R-PD7 and that a major modification was not required bar the City from asserting in this litigation that the Developer has no vested right to have its redevelopment applications approved and the Court lacks subject matter jurisdiction. *See* Opposition at 24:1-27:9. Judicial estoppel does not apply here for a number of reasons.

First, because Judge Crockett's Decision requires a major modification, and this Court has determined that Judge Crockett's Decision has preclusive effect on this case, statements made by the City Attorney and staff prior to the issuance of Judge Crockett's Decision have no bearing here. The City is bound to follow Judge Crockett's Decision unless and until it is reversed on appeal. Second, statements by the City Attorney and staff regarding the zoning are irrelevant because "compatible zoning does not, ipso facto, divest a municipal government of the right to deny certain uses based upon considerations of public interest." *Tighe v. Von Goerken*, 108 Nev. 440, 443, 833 P.2d 1135, 1137 (1992); *see also Nevada Contractors v. Washoe Cty.*, 106 Nev. 310, 311, 792 P.2d 31, 31-32 (1990) (affirming county commission's denial of a special use permit even though property was zoned for the use). Third, the

Developer identifies no judicial proceeding in which the City successfully argued two totally inconsistent positions and none exists. *See NOLM*, 120 Nev. at 743, 100 P.3d at 663.

The Developer's *ad hominem* attack on the City's counsel is baseless and does not alter the conclusion that the elements of judicial estoppel are not satisfied here. A party has the right to retain outside counsel without interference from the opposing side. *See City of Sparks v. Sparks Mun. Ct.*, 129 Nev. 348, 371, 302 P.3d 1118, 1134 (2013). The City's attorneys owe duties to the City, not to third parties such as the Developer, and act only on behalf of their client, the City. *See* Restatement (Third) of the Law Governing Lawyers §51 (2000). The Developer's attacks on opposing counsel are simply an attempt to divert the Court from the narrow legal issue before it, and do not help the Developer survive this Rule 12 motion.

F. Threatening the Court With A "Judicial Taking" Cannot Prevent Dismissal

In the absence of any viable legal arguments, the Developer resorts to threatening the Court with a "judicial takings" claim, for which no factual or legal basis exists. *See* Opposition at 21:24-22:10; 56:11-17. No Nevada Supreme Court decision recognizes a judicial taking. Even if this Court were to look for guidance in federal law, the Developer's judicial taking theory fails as a matter of law because the United States Supreme Court has never recognized the concept of a judicial taking in a majority opinion.

Once, in a concurring opinion, Justice Potter Stewart wrote that a judicial taking could only occur where a judicial decision "constitutes a sudden change in state law, unpredictable in terms of relevant precedents." *Hughes v. Washington*, 389 U.S. 290, 296 (1967). As set forth in the legal authorities cited *supra*, the Court's dismissal of the Developer's claims is well-grounded in Nevada law. The circumstance described by Justice Stewart, even if it were binding precedent (it is not), is inapplicable here.

Second, in the case cited by the Developer, Justice Antonin Scalia wrote in a plurality opinion that a state court *of last resort* could be found to have "taken" property for public use where its decision contravened an established right of private property. *Stop The Beach Renourishment, Inc. v. Florida Dep't of Envtl. Prot.*, 560 U.S. 702, 715 (2010). This district court is not a Nevada court of last resort and, therefore, could never effectuate a taking even

under the case cited by the Developer. Moreover, as set forth in the legal authorities cited *supra*, the Developer has no "established" right to change the use of the golf course from open space to anything else. Indeed, as Justice Scalia notes, "A property right is not established if there is doubt about its existence; and when there is doubt we do not make our own assessment but accept the determination of the state court." *Id.* at 726 n.9.

The Developer bought an existing golf course knowing that it was designated open space by the City's General Plan and the Peccole Ranch Master Development Plan and constructed by its predecessor. Changes to this designation are within the sole discretion of the City Council. As a result, even if a judicial taking were recognized in Nevada (it is not), the Court's conclusion that Judge Crockett's order has preclusive effect, or that the Developer lacks vested rights, could not be construed as a judicial taking. The Court should, therefore, disregard the Developer's threats.

G. The Developer Fails to Establish its Claims Are Ripe Because Judge Crockett's Decision, Which the Court Has Determined Has Preclusive Effect, Requires the Approval of a Major Modification

The Court already determined as a matter of law that Judge Crockett's Decision has preclusive effect. *See* FFCL at Conclusions of Law ¶57-62. The Developer offers no rationale for the Court to revisit that correct conclusion. Pursuant to Judge Crockett's Decision, because the Developer has not provided the City Council with an opportunity to consider and decide an application for a major modification to the Peccole Ranch Master Development Plan, the ripeness doctrine bars the inverse condemnation claims. If a party's claims are not ripe for review, they are not justiciable, and the Court lacks subject matter jurisdiction to review them. *Chandler v. State Farm Mut. Auto. Ins. Co.*, 598 F.3d 1115, 1122 (9th Cir. 2010); *Resnick v. Nev. Gaming Comm'n*, 104 Nev. 60, 65-66, 752 P.2d 229, 233 (1988).

Consideration of a major modification application is precisely the type of procedure the Supreme Court recognizes as a threshold requirement before a landowner can assert a takings claim. *See Palazzolo*, 533 U.S. at 620-21. Here, the Developer submitted *and then withdrew* a major modification application, preventing the City Council from considering it. *See* FFCL at Finding of Fact 33, *citing* ROR 1; 5; 6262. Where the application has been withdrawn, it

cannot be considered "meaningful" to satisfy the ripeness requirements. *Zilber v. Town of Moraga*, 692 F. Supp. 1195, 1199 (N.D. Cal. 1988) (discussing *Kinzli v. City of Santa Cruz*, 818 F.2d 1449, 1455 (9th Cir. 1987).

Simply because the Developer may not agree with the procedures Judge Crockett deemed mandatory, or may contend that its prior actions already effectively met those requirements (*see* Opposition at 65:11-74:12), does not excuse the Developer from complying with them. *See Zilber*, 692 F. Supp. at 1199. The Developer does not get to unilaterally make that determination, and the City Council alone has the authority to consider and decide land use applications. Moreover, the Court cannot assume the role of the City Council, as the Developer requests. Also, because a district court cannot second guess another court's final judgment, the Developer must comply with Judge Crockett's Order unless and until it is reversed on appeal. *See Rohlfing v. Second Jud. Dist. Ct.*, 106 Nev. 902, 906, 803 P.2d 659, 662 (1990) (*citing* Nev. Const. art. 6, § 6; NRS 3.220).

The case of *City of Monterey v. Del Monte Dunes at Monterey, Ltd.*, 526 U.S. 687, 720 (1999) cited by the Developer (at 67:3-13) addressed whether a judge or jury should decide if "a landowner has been deprived of all economically viable use of his property." *Id.* The Developer cannot get to this question unless and until it can demonstrate the existence of a justiciable controversy and legally viable claims. *See* NRCP 12(c). The Developer's claims are time barred, subject to issue preclusion, fail to state a cognizable claim and are not ripe for review. The *Monterey* case does not help the Developer.

III. CONCLUSION

Because the Court correctly concluded that the Developer lacks vested rights to have its redevelopment applications approved, there can be no taking as a matter of law, and the inverse condemnation claims must be dismissed. Moreover, the statute of limitations has run on the Developer's inverse condemnation claims. Finally, as the Court has determined that Judge Crockett's Decision has preclusive effect on this case, the Court lacks subject matter jurisdiction to hear the inverse condemnation claims because they are not ripe. For these reasons, the Developer's First Amended Complaint must be dismissed with prejudice.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am an employee of McDonald Carano LLP, and that on the 14th day of March, 2019, a true and correct copy of the foregoing CITY OF LAS VEGAS' REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR JUDGMENT ON THE PLEADINGS ON DEVELOPER'S INVERSE CONDEMNATION CLAIMS was electronically served with the Clerk of the Court via the Clark County District Court Electronic Filing Program which will provide copies to all counsel of record registered to receive such electronic notification.

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PARTIES

- 1. Petitioner ("Petitioner and/or Landowner") is organized and existing under the laws of the state of Nevada.
- 2. Respondent City of Las Vegas ("City") is a political subdivision of the State of Nevada and is a municipal corporation subject to the provisions of the Nevada Revised Statutes, including NRS 342.105, which makes obligatory on the City all of the Federal Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, 42 USC §4601-4655, and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto. The City is also subject to all of the provisions of the Just Compensation Clause of the United States Constitution and Article 1, sections 8 and 22 of the Nevada Constitution, also known as PISTOL (Peoples Initiative to Stop the Taking of Our Land).
- 3. That the true names and capacities, whether individual, corporate, associate, or otherwise of Plaintiffs named herein as DOE INDIVIDUALS I through X, DOE CORPORATIONS I through X, and DOE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES I through X (hereinafter collectively referred to as "DOEs") inclusive are unknown to Petitioner at this time and who may have standing to sue in this matter and who, therefore, sue the Defendants by fictitious names and will ask leave of the Court to amend this Complaint to show the true names and capacities of Plaintiffs if and when the same are ascertained; that said Plaintiffs sue as principles; that at all times relevant herein, Plaintiff DOEs were persons, corporations, or other entities with standing to sue under the allegations set forth herein.
- 4. That the true names and capacities, whether individual, corporate, associate, or otherwise of Defendants named herein as ROE government entities I through X, ROE CORPORATIONS I through X, ROE INDIVIDUALS I through X, ROE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES 1 through X, ROE quasi-governmental entities I through X (hereinafter 2004867_1 17534.1

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collectively referred to as "ROEs"), inclusive are unknown to the Landowners at this time, who therefore sue said Defendants by fictitious names and will ask leave of the Court to amend this Complaint to show the true names and capacities of Defendants when the same are ascertained; that said Defendants are sucd as principles; that at all times relevant herein, ROEs conduct and/or actions, either alone or in concert with the aforementioned defendants, resulted in the claims set forth herein.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 5. The Court has jurisdiction over this Petition for Judicial Review pursuant to NRS 278.0235 and NRS 278.3195 and this Court has jurisdiction over the alternative claims for inverse condemnation pursuant to the United States Constitution, Nevada State Constitution and the Nevada Revised Statutes.
 - 6. Venue is proper in this judicial district pursuant to NRS 13.040.

GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

7. Petitioner owns 132.92 Acres of real property generally located south of Alta Drive, east of Hualapai Way and north of Charleston Boulevard within the City of Las Vegas, Nevada; all of which acreage is more particularly described as Assessor's Parcel Numbers 138-31-601-008, 138-31-702-003, and 138-31-702-004 (hereinafter referred to as the "133 Acre Property" or "Property").

Zoning Governs Existing Permitted Land Uses

- 8. Zoning defines what uses 'presently' are permitted, and not permitted, on a parcel.
- 9. A "master plan" designation, as such term is used in NRS 278 and the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan, determines 'future' land use and is considered only when changing the zoning on a parcel.

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10. General Plan Amendments and Major Modifications, as such mechanisms are defined in the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan are not required if the proposed use complies with existing zoning on a parcel.

- 11. The City of Las Vegas Unified Development Code in Title 19.10.040 defines a zoning district titled "PD (Planned Development District)" and in Title 19.10.050 defines a zoning district titled "R-PD (Residential Planned Development)". The "PD" and "R-PD" zoning districts are separate and distinct from each other.
- 12. A "R-PD" district is not governed by the provisions of Title 19.10.040. The term "Major Modification" as used in Title 19.10.040 does not apply to a "R-PD" zoning district.

The Undisputed R-PD7 Residential Zoning

- 13. The existing zoning district on the 133 Acre Property is R-PD7 (Residential Planned Development District 7.49 Units per Acre).
- 14. No formal action approving a plot plan, nor site development review, was ever taken by the Planning Commission, nor City Council, to allow the use of the Property as a golf course.
- 15. The R-PD7 zoning designation on the Property was established by Ordinance No. 5353 (Bill Z-2001-1) PASSED, ADOPTED, and APPROVED by the Las Vegas City Council on August 15, 2001 ("Ordinance 5353"). Specifically:
 - a. Assessor's Parcel Number 138-31-212-002 was changed from its then "Current Zoning" designation of "U(PR)" to its "New Zoning" designation "R-PD7";
 - Assessor's Parcel Number 138-31-610-002 was changed from its then "Current Zoning" designation of "U(PR)" to its "New Zoning" designation "R-PD7";

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c.	Assessor's	Parcel	Number	138-31-713	-002	was	changed	from	its	then
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- d. Assessor's Parcel Number 138-31-712-004 was changed from its then "Current Zoning" designation of "U(ML)" to its "New Zoning" designation "R-PD7".
- 16. Ordinance 5353 provided: "SECTION 4: All ordinances or parts of ordinances or section, subsection, phrases, sentences, clauses or paragraphs contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed."
- Ordinance 5353 repealed any then existing master plans, including the conceptual
 Peccole Ranch Master Plan approved in 1990, with respect to the Property.
- 18. In a December 30, 2014 dated letter ("Zoning Verification Letter"), the City verified in writing that "The Subject properties are zoned R-PD7 (Residential Planned Development District 7 Units per Acre)." This includes the 133 Acre Property.
- 19. At a May 16, 2018 City Council hearing, the City Attorney and the City Staff affirmed the issuance and content of the Zoning Verification Letter.
 - 20. The City does not dispute that the Property is zoned R-PD7.
 - 21. None of the 133 Acre Property is zoned "PD".
- 22. Petitioner materially relied upon the City's verification of the Property's R-PD7 vested zoning rights.
- 23. At all relevant times herein, Petitioner had the vested right to use and develop the 133 Acre Property under and in conformity with the existing R-PD7 zoning.
- 24. R-PD7 zoning allows up to 7.49 residential units per acre, subject to comparability and compatibility adjacency planning principles.

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- 25. The Property is taxed by the Clark County Assessor based on its R-PD7 zoning and Vacant Single Family Residential use classification.
- 26. Petitioner's vested property rights in the 133 Acre Property is recognized under the United States and Nevada constitutions, Nevada case law, and the Nevada Revised Statutes.

The Legally Irrelevant 2016 General Plan Amendment

- 27. In late 2005, the City changed the Land Use Designation under its 2020 Master Plan to "PR-OS" (Parks/Recreation/Open Space). The City Attorney has on multiple occasions stated that the City is unable to establish that it complied with its legal notice and public hearing requirements when it changed the General Plan Designation on the Property to PR-OS.
- 28. The PR-OS designation on the Property was legally deficient and is therefore void ab initio and has no legal effect on the Property.
- 29. On or about December 29, 2016, and at the request of the City, Petitioner filed an application for a General Plan Amendment to change the General Plan Designation relating to the 133 Acre Property and several other parcels of real property from PR-OS to L (Low Density Residential) and the application was given number GPA-68385 ("GPA-68385" also referred to herein as the "2016 GPA").
 - 30. The City Council denied the 2016 GPA on June 21, 2017.
- 31. The 133 Acre Property was also previously included, at the request of the City, as part of one master development agreement that would have allowed the development of 250.92 acres of property as a whole. At that time, the City Council advised Petitioner that the only way the City Council would allow development on the 133 Acre Property was under a master development agreement ("MDA") for the entirety of the Property (totaling 250.92 acres). On August 2, 2017, less than two months after the City Council said it was very, very close to

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approving the MDA, however, the City Council voted to deny the MDA altogether, which also included the 133 Acre Property.

- 32. The City's denial of the 2016 GPA does not affect the R-PD7 zoning on the Property, nor Petitioner's exercising its vested property rights to develop the 133 Acre Property under the existing R-PD7 zoning.
- 33. The 2016 GPA was not a legal requirement under LVMC Title 19, nor NRS 278. The R-PD7 zoning on the 133 Acre Property takes precedence over the PR-OS General Plan Designation, per NRS 278.349(3)(e).
- 34. Whether or not Petitioner files a General Plan Amendment to remove or change the PR-OS designation does not prohibit Petitioner from exercising its vested property rights to develop the 133 Acre Property under the existing vested R-PD7 zoning.

The Unjustified Delay of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications

- 35. On or about October, 2017, Petitioner filed all applications required by the City for the purpose of obtaining approval on tentative maps pursuant to NRS 278 to utilize the existing vested R-PD7 zoning on the 133 Acre Property. The October 2017 applications were identified as WVR-72004; SDR-72005; TMP-72006; WVR-72007; SDR-72008; TMP-72009; WVR-72010; SDR-72011; and TMP-72012 (collectively "2017 Tentative Map Applications").
- 36. Shortly after the acceptance of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications by the City, the Planning Staff requested that Petitioner file a General Plan Amendment to accompany 2017 Tentative Map Applications. The City Planning Staff informed Petitioner that a General Plan Amendment was being "requested only", and that it is not a requirement under City code.
- 37. Under protest as being legally unnecessary, Petitioner accommodated the City's request to file a General Plan Amendment application to change the designation on the Property

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from PR-OS (Parks/Recreation/Open Space) to ML (Medium Low Density Residential). The application was identified as GPA-72220 ("2017 GPA").

- 38. The 2017 GPA was not a legal requirement under LVMC Title 19, nor NRS 278.
- 39. The R-PD7 zoning on the 133 Acre Property takes precedence over the PR-OS General Plan Designation, per NRS 278.349(3)(c).
- The 2017 Tentative Map Applications and 2017 GPA were recommended for 40. APPROVAL by the City Staff, and APPROVED by a vote of the Planning Commission.
- 41. The 2017 GPA and the 2017 Tentative Map Applications were scheduled to be heard by the Las Vegas City Council ("City Council") on February 21, 2018.
- 42. At the February 21, 2018, City Council hearing, Petitioner requested that Councilman Coffin and Councilman Seroka recuse themselves from participation on the matter based on bias and conflicts of interest. The request was denied.
- 43. Although the 2017 Tentative Map Applications were on the agenda for a presentation and vote by the City Council, the City Council voted to aboy the items to delay them several months, stating as the basis for the delay that one of the City Council seats was vacant and that Councilman Coffin was participating by phone from abroad. The stated reasons were invalid as the required quorum was present for the City Council to proceed with the applications at the February 21, 2018 hearing. Petitioner was denied any opportunity to be heard before the vote. The City Council vote resulted in a three (3) month delay to the hearing of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications.
- 44. After the vote resulting in abeyance, Petitioner stated on the record that it "vehemently opposed any kind of abeyance and continued delay of this matter" as the efforts to develop the Property had already been systematically delayed by the City for many years and

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that Petitioner wanted a "vote on these applications and due process and the ability for [the City Council] to hear the zoning facts."

45. The abeyance resulted in the City Council delaying the hearing of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications for three (3) months, until May 16, 2018.

The "Yohan Lowie" Bill

- 46. On May 16, 2018, the day the 2017 Tentative Map Applications were scheduled to be heard, the City Council passed Bill No. 2018-5, the sole and singular intent of which was to prevent any development on the 133 Acre Property (and other properties, owned by affiliates of Petitioner, upon which the former Badlands Golf Course was operated).
 - 47. During the discussion of Bill No. 2018-5:
 - a. Councilman Coffin foreshadowed the City Council's plan for the 2017 Tentative Map Applications (scheduled to be heard in the City Council's afternoon session) when he admitted that if the bill were to apply to the 2017 Tentative Map Applications, it could be interpreted as having the effect of influencing the City Council's decision on them¹.
 - b. Councilwoman Fiori stated her opinion that "this Bill is for one development and one development only . . . [t]his Bill is only about Badlands Golf Course [which includes the 133 Acre Property]. . . . I call it the Yohan Lowie [a principal of Petitioner] Bill." ("Yohan Lowie Bill")

¹ Coffin: Thank you, your Honor. I'm not the sponsor of the bill but I do want to weigh in as I have heard testimony. And thank you very much for conducting the recommending committee without me there Monday, I couldn't be there. Uh, and I do appreciate the fact. But I knew the bill pretty well and I know that it doesn't address the, uh, current, uh, topic du jour of a- of a certain, uh, golf course, in, uh, the western part of town.

That would be retroactive treatment and, uh, I don't see how we can draw a conclusion or a connection between a bill discussing the future, with something that's been in play for quite a long time. So I think we've got to separate those two out for one thing. One, if we were to connect these two then someone might interpret this action today as somehow influencing the discussion on Badlands and that is not what we want to do. We wanna keep it separate and keep it clean, and this bill has nothing to do with that as far as I'm concerned. Thank you very much, your honor.

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48. The City Council proceeded to vote to approve the Yohan Lowie Bill, refusing to allow Petitioner to be heard to make a record of its opposition to the ordinance.

49. Councilwoman Fiori and Mayor Goodman voted against the Yohan Lowie Bill and concurred with City Staff that the current policies relating to neighborhood engagement, which have been in place for many years, are effective and the Yohan Lowie Bill code revisions are unnecessary.

The 2017 Tentative Map Applications Are Stricken From The City Council Agenda

- 50. Finally, seven (7) months after the filing, the 2017 Tentative Map Applications and legally irrelevant 2017 GPA were set on the afternoon agenda of the City Council hearing on May 16, 2018, the same day as the passing of the "Yohan Lowie Bill".
- 51. At the commencement of the afternoon session of the May 16, 2018 City Council hearing, Councilman Seroka made an unprecedented "motion to strike" the 2017 Tentative Map Applications from the agenda, in order to avoid the 2017 Tentative Map Applications from being presented and voted upon by the City Council, and to cause them to be subjected to the Yohan Lowie Bill when re-filed by Petitioner.
- 52. The proffered bases of Councilman Seroka's unprecedented Motion to Strike Petitioner's applications were violations of Nevada law, and contradicted the positions and opinions of the City Staff, City Attorney, and prior formal actions of the City Council.
- 53. During the discussion of the motion, Councilman Coffin usurped the responsibilities of the City Attorney by giving legal advice to the other City Councilmembers stating that no advance notice is necessary for a procedural motion and that there was no need to have public comment on a motion to strike.

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and confused by the unprecedented and procedurally improper Motion to Strike Petitioner's applications. Specifically:

a. Councilwoman Fiori stated that "none of us [on the City council] had a briefing on what just occurred" and that "it is quite shady and I don't see how we can even proceed" and the actions were "very shocking.";

Based upon information and belief, other City Councilmembers were sandbagged

- b. Councilman Crear said he did not feel comfortable moving forward and did not know if he had enough information to move forward; and
- c. Councilman Anthony said "95% of what Councilman Seroka just said, I heard it for the first time. I don't know what it means, I don't understand it."
- 55. Petitioner's representative stated that just a few days earlier Petitioner's representative met with councilman Seroka and other members of the City Council to address any open issues related to the 2017 Tentative Map Applications and no mention was made of the "motion to strike" or issues related thereto. Petitioner's representative further explained that Petitioner has been being stonewalled in its efforts to develop its property for many years, and that despite full compliance with City code and City Staff requests, the City keeps changing the rules on the fly for the purpose of preventing development of the property.

Scroka's Fiction #1 'That A GPA Was Necessary Yet Time Barred'

56. Councilman Seroka's first basis for the motion to strike was a legally fictitious claim ("Fiction #1") that Petitioner's 2017 GPA was the same or similar to the 2016 GPA that was denied in June of 2017, and under the City Code the 2017 GPA could not be filed sooner than one year from the date of the denial of the 2016 GPA. This was a legal fiction, because Petitioner is not required to file a General Plan Amendment ("GPA") in order to proceed under 2004887_1 (7634)

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its existing R-PD7 zoning. Petitioner would only be required to file a GPA if it filed an application seeking to change the zoning from R-PD7 to another zoning district classification.

- 57. At the May 16, 2018 hearing:
 - a. City Planning Staff advised the City Council that the 2017 GPA was filed by Petitioner only at the City's request and that Petitioner's filing of the 2017 GPA was under protest as being legally unnecessary.
 - b. City Attorney Brad Jerbic and City Staff both stated on the record that a GPA
 was not required to be filed by Petitioner to have the Tentative Map
 Applications heard.
- 58. Under Nevada law, existing land use is governed by zoning, and only future land use (the changing of zoning) takes the general plan (also commonly referred to as a master plan) designation into consideration. A GPA is not required for the submission, consideration and approval of a tentative map application if the underlying zoning allows for the use delineated on the tentative map.
- 59. Whether or not the 2017 GPA was filed by Petitioner, nor heard, approved, or denied by the City Council, was irrelevant in all respects regarding the hearing of Petitioner's 2017 Tentative Map Applications.
- 60. NRS 278.349(3) unambiguously provides that; "The governing body, or planning commission if it is authorized to take final action on a tentative map, shall consider: (e) Conformity with the zoning ordinances and master plan, except that if any existing zoning ordinance is inconsistent with the master plan, the zoning ordinance takes precedence;"
- 61. The City Council's striking Petitioner's 2017 Tentative Map Applications from the City Council agenda due to the "PR-OS" master plan designation was a violation of Nevada

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law. Specifically, NRS 278349(3)(e) which provides that the Property's R-PD7 residential zoning rights take precedence over an inconsistent master plan designation.

- 62. No general plan amendment was required to be filed by Petitioner in order to have the 2017 Tentative Map Applications heard and voted upon by the City Council.
- 63. The courtesy filing of the 2017 GPA by Petitioner, at the specific request (but not requirement) of City Planning Staff, was an improper and illegal basis for striking Petitioner's 2017 Tentative Map Applications.

Seroka's Fiction #2 'That a "Major Modification" To A Master Plan Is Required In Order To Proceed With The 2017 Tentative Map Applications

- 64. Councilman Seroka's second basis for the motion to strike was a legally fictitious claim ("Fiction #2") that a "major modification" application to the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan was required to be filed concurrently with the 2017 Tentative Map Applications.
- 65. At the May 16, 2018 hearing City Attorney Brad Jerbic stated on the record that Petitioner had a due process right to have its 2017 Tentative Map Applications heard that day.
- 66. In fact, the City Council, on January 3, 2018, had previously taken formal action on that exact issue, voting 4-2 that NO MAJOR MODIFICATION of the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan was necessary in order for the City Council to hear the 2017 Tentative Map Applications.
- 67. The January 3, 2018 formal action that Petitioner was <u>not</u> required to file a "major modification" with the 2017 Tentative Map Applications was affirmed on January 17, 2018, when the City Council DENIED Councilman Coffin's motion to rescind the January 3, 2018 NO MAJOR MODIFICATION vote.

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68. Fiction #2 was illegal in that it was a violation of the formal action taken by the City Council on January 3, 2018 that NO MAJOR MODIFICATION was required, and on January 17, 2018 denying a rescission of the NO MAJOR MODIFICATION vote.

- 69. Under Nevada law, existing zoning on a parcel supersedes any conflicting land use designations within the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan, Land Use Elements, Land Use Designations, Master Development Plans (including the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan), Master Development Plan Areas, and Special Area Plans, as such terms are used in the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan.
- 70. Notwithstanding its inapplicability with respect to development under existing zoning on a parcel, the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan was repealed by Ordinance 5353 in 2001.
- 71. Despite having no basis in law, either substantively or procedurally, to strike Petitioner's applications, the City Council voted 5-2 in favor of striking the 2017 Tentative Map Applications, altogether conflicting with its prior formal actions to the contrary and preventing a hearing on the merits of Petitioner's 2017 Tentative Map Applications to develop its Property under its existing vested R-PD7 zoning.
- 72. This motion to strike the 2017 Tentative Map Applications by the City Council was not supported by substantial evidence and was arbitrary and capricious. By striking the Tentative Map Applications, the City Council entirely prevented the applications from even being heard on the merits.
- 73. Based on the City's actions, it is clear that the purpose of the February 21, 2018 City Council abeyance was to allow Councilman Seroka time to put his "Yohan Lowie Bill" on the May 16, 2018 morning agenda, get it passed, and then improperly strike the applications for

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the 133 Acre Property causing them to fall under the Yohan Lowie Bill if they are re-filed in the future.

- 74. Regardless of which route Petitioner takes to develop its Property, the City gives Petitioner specific instructions on what applications to file, then after extensive delays the City Council changes the rules and denies the applications or prevents the applications from even being heard and voted upon.
- 75. Based upon information and belief, the City is attempting to purchase Petitioner's 133 Acre Property and is taking action to depress the market value of the Property or has placed an arbitrarily low value on the Property, thereby showing the City's bad faith intent to drive down the value of the Property so that it can purchase it at a greatly reduced value.
- 76. The City's actions in denying and/or striking Petitioner's applications has foreclosed all development of the 133 Acre Property in violation of Petitioner's vested right to develop the 133 Acre Property.
- 77. On or about May 17, 2018, Notices of Final Action were issued striking and preventing a hearing on GPA-7220; WVR-72004; SDR-72005; TMP-72006; WVR-72007; SDR-72008; TMP-72009; WVR-72010; SDR-72011; TMP-72012.
- 78. This Petition for Judicial Review has been filed within 25 days of the Notices of Final Action as required by NRS 278.3195.

FIRST CLAIM FOR RELIEF
(Judicial Review)

- 21 79. Petitioner repeats, re-alleges and incorporates by reference all paragraphs
- 22 included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
 - 80. The City has a duty to refrain from exercising its entitlement and land use authority in a manner that is arbitrary and capricious.

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81. The City, by engaging in the conduct set forth above, acted arbitrarily and capriciously when it struck and denied a hearing on the 2017 Tentative Map Applications.

- 82. The City's decision to strike and deny a hearing on the 2017 Tentative Map Applications were not supported by evidence a reasonable mind would find adequate to support such action.
- 83. By striking and denying a hearing on the 2017 Tentative Map Applications without substantial evidence supporting such action, the City abused its discretion.
- 84. The City's arbitrary and capricious action in regards to the 2017 Tentative Map Applications has caused Pctitioner to suffer real and significant damages.
- 85. Petitioner is aggrieved by the City's action to strike and deny a hearing on the 2017 Tentative Map Applications.
- 86. Petitioner has no plain, speedy, or adequate remedy in the ordinary course of law to correct the City's arbitrary and capricious actions,
- 87. Pursuant to NRS 278.3195, Petitioner is entitled to judicial review of the City's arbitrary and capricious action to strike and deny a hearing on the 2017 Tentative Map Applications and for an order reversing the City's actions regarding the 2017 Tentative Map Applications.

FIRST ALTERNATIVE CAUSE OF ACTION FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF

- 88. Petitioner repeats, re-alleges and incorporates by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
- 89. As a result of the PR-OS being improperly placed on the 133 Acre Property, and the City Council's action in denying Petitioner's zoning rights as a result of such designation. there is uncertainty as to its validity and application to the 133 Acre Property (although Petitioner denies that the PR-OS should even apply to the 133 Acre Property).

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90. Declaratory relief is necessary to terminate or resolve the uncertainty.

91. Declaratory relief is permitted under Nevada law, including but not limited to NRS Chapter 30.

92. Therefore, Petitioner requests that this Court immediately enter an order finding the PR-OS designation on the 133 Acre Property is invalid and/or of no effect on the 133 Acre Property's R-PD7 zoning rights, thereby prohibiting the City or any other person, agency, or entity from applying the PR-OS to any land use decision, or otherwise, relating to the Property's existing zoning and to the 133 Acre Property entirely.

SECOND ALTERNATIVE CAUSE OF ACTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

- 93. Petitioner repeats, re-alleges, and incorporates by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
- 94. Any action that placed a designation of PR-OS on the 133 Acre Property was without legal authority and, therefore, entirely invalid.
- 95. There is a reasonable and strong likelihood of success on the merits which will invalidate the improper PR-OS designation on the 133 Acre Property.
- 96. Continued application of the PR-OS designation on the 133 Acre Property will result in irreparable harm and cause a significant hardship on Petitioner as: 1) the 133 Acre Property is legally recognized real property and is unique in the State of Nevada; 2) the PR-OS designation on the 133 Acre Property may prevent Petitioner from using the Property for any beneficial use; 3) Petitioner relies upon the purchase and development of property, including the 133 Acre Property, to provide a livelihood for numerous individuals and continued application of the PR-OS to prevent development of the 133 Acre Property will interfere with the livelihood of these individuals; 4) under NRS 278.349(3(e) the PR-OS zoning has no applicability with respect to the existing R-PD7 zoning on the Property; and, 5) allowing the development of the 133 Acre

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Property will result in significant financial benefit to the City, including but not limited to increasing the City tax base and creating additional jobs for its citizens.

- 97. There is no plain, adequate or speedy remedy at law.
- 98. Therefore, Petitioner is entitled to injunctive relief prohibiting the City or any other person, agency, or entity from applying the PR-OS to any application, land use decision, or otherwise, relating to the Property's existing zoning and/or to the 133 Acre Property entirely.

THIRD ALTERNATIVE CLAIM FOR RELIEF IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION (Categorical Taking)

- 99. Petitioner repeats, re-alleges and incorporates by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
 - 100. Petitioner has vested rights to use and develop the 133 Acre Property.
- 101. The City reached a final decision that it will not allow development of Petitioner's133 Acre Property.
 - 102. Any further requests to the City to develop the 133 Acre Property would be futile.
- 103. The City's actions in this case have resulted in a direct appropriation of Petitioner's 133 Acre Property by entirely prohibiting Petitioner from using the 133 Acre Property for any purpose and reserving the 133 Acre Property undeveloped.
- 104. As a result of the City's actions, Petitioner has been unable to develop the 133 Acre Property and any and all value in the 133 Acre Property has been entirely eliminated.
- 105. The City's actions have completely deprived Petitioner of all economically beneficial use of the 133 Acre Property.
- 106. The City's actions have resulted in a direct and substantial impact on Petitioner and on the 133 Acre Property.
- 107. The City's actions result in a categorical taking of Petitioner's 133 Acre Property.

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The City also stated that it would allow Petitioner to develop the 133 Acre 117. Property as part of the MDA, referenced above. Petitioner worked on the MDA for nearly two years, with numerous City-imposed and/or City requested abeyances and with the City's direct and active involvement in the drafting and preparing the MDA and the City's statements that it would approve the MDA and despite nearly two years of working on the MDA, on or about August 2, 2017, the City denied the MDA.

- 118. The City's actions have caused a direct and substantial economic impact on Petitioner, including but not limited to preventing development of the 133 Acre Property.
- The City was expressly advised of the economic impact the City's actions were having on Petitioner.
- 120. At all relevant times herein Petitioner had specific and distinct investment backed expectations to develop the 133 Acre Property.
- These investment backed expectations are further supported by the fact that the City, itself, confirmed the Property has vested R-PD7 development rights prior to Petitioner's acquiring the 133 Acre Property.
- 122. The City was expressly advised of Petitioner's investment backed expectations prior to denying Petitioner the use of the 133 Acre Property.
- The City's actions are preserving the 133 Acre Property as open space for a public use and the public is physically entering on and actively using the 133 Acre Property.
- The City's actions have resulted in the loss of Petitioner's investment backed 124. expectations in the 133 Acre Property.
- The character of the City action to deny Petitioner's use of the 133 Acre Property is arbitrary, capricious, and fails to advance any legitimate government interest and is more akin

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to a physical acquisition than adjusting the benefits and burdens of economic life to promote the common good.

- 126. The City never allowed Petitioner to be heard on the applications to develop the 133 Acre Property and never stated that Petitioner did not have a vested property right to develop the 133 Acre Property.
- 127. The City denied Petitioner the right to be heard on its applications to develop the133 Acre Property.
 - 128. The City's actions meet all of the elements for a <u>Penn Central</u> regulatory taking.
- 129. The City has not paid just compensation to Petitioner for this taking of its 133 Acre Property.
- 130. The City's failure to pay just compensation to Petitioner for the taking of its 133 Acre Property is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.
- 131. Therefore, Petitioner is compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 133 Acre Property to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.
 - 132. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00),

FIFTH ALTERNATIVE CLAIM FOR RELIEF IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION (Regulatory Per Se Taking)

133. Petitioner repeats, re-alleges and incorporates by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.

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134. The City's actions stated above fail to follow the procedures for taking property
set forth in Chapters 37 and 342 of the Nevada Revised Statutes, Nevada's statutory provisions
on eminent domain, and the United States and Nevada State Constitutions.

- 135. The City's actions exclude the Petitioner from using the 133 Acre Property and, instead, permanently reserve the 133 Acre Property for a public use and the public is physically entering on and actively using the 133 Acre Property.
- 136. The City's actions have shown an unconditional and permanent taking of the 133 Acre Property.
- 137. The City has not paid just compensation to Petitioner for this taking of its 133.
 Acre Property.
- 138. The City's failure to pay just compensation to Petitioner for the taking of its 133 Acre Property is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.
- 139. Therefore, Petitioner is compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 133 Acre Property to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.
 - 140. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

SIXTH ALTERNATIVE CLAIM FOR RELIEF IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION (Nonregulatory Taking)

- 141. Petitioner repeats, re-alleges and incorporates by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
- 142. The City actions directly and substantially interfere with Petitioner's vested property rights rendering the 133 Acre Property unusable and/or valueless.

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143.	The City has intentionally delayed approval of development on the 133 Acre
Property and,	ultimately, struck or denied any and all development in a bad faith effort to
preclude any	use of the 133 Acre Property and/or to purchase the 133 Acre Property at a
depressed valu	16.

- 144. The City's actions are oppressive and unreasonable.
- 145. The City's actions result in a nonregulatory taking of Petitioner's 133 Acre Property.
- The City has not paid just compensation to Petitioner for this taking of its 133 Acre Property.
- The City's failure to pay just compensation to Petitioner for the taking of its 133 Acre Property is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.
- Therefore, Petitioner is compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 133 Acre Property to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.
 - 149. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00),

SEVENTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION (Temporary Taking)

- 150. Petitioner repeats, re-alleges and incorporates by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
- 151. If there is subsequent Government Action or a finding by the Nevada Supreme Court, or otherwise, that Petitioner may develop the 133 Acre Property, then there has been a 24 I temporary taking of Petitioner's 133 Acre Property for which just compensation must be paid.

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162.	This Governmen	t action n	nandates	payment	of just	compensation	as stated	herein
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- 163. The Government action should be invalidated to return Petitioner's property rights to Petitioner thereby allowing development of the 133 Acre Property.
 - 164. This requested relief is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays for judgment as follows:

- 1. For Judicial Review of the City's denial and/or striking of the Petitioner's applications stated herein;
- 2. For an Order reversing the City's denial and/or striking of the Petitioner's applications stated herein;
- 3. Declaratory judgment with this Court immediately entering an order finding the PR-OS designation on the 133 Acre Property is invalid and of no effect on the 133 Acre Property and prohibiting the City or any other person, agency, or entity from applying the PR-OS to any land use application, decision, or otherwise, relating to the Property's existing vested zoning and to Petitioner's Property entirely;
- 4. Injunctive relief prohibiting the City or any other person, agency, or entity from applying the PR-OS to any land use decision, or otherwise, relating to the Property's existing zoning and to the 133 Acre Property entirely;
- An award of just compensation according to the proof for the taking (permanent or temporary) and/or damaging of Petitioner's property by inverse condemnation;
- Prejudgment interest commencing from the date the Government first froze the use of the 133 Acre Property which is prior to the filing of this Complaint in Inverse Condemnation;

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1	7.	Invalidation of the Government action, returning the vested property rights to							
2	Petitioner the	Petitioner thereby allowing development of the 133 Acre Property;							
3	8.	A preferential trial setting pursuant to NRS 37.055;							
4	9.	Payment for all costs incurred in attempting to develop the 133 Acre Property;							
5	10.	For an award of attorneys' fees and costs incurred in and for this action; and/or,							
6	11.	For such further relief as the Court deems just and equitable under the							
7	circumstances	s.							
8		DATED this 7 th day of June, 2018.							
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10		LAW OFFICES OF KERMITT L. WATERS							
		BY: /s/ Kermitt L. Waters							
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1 2 VERIFICATION STATE OF NEVADA 3 22: (COUNTY OF CLARK on behalf of Petitioner, being first duly sworn, upon oath, deposes 5 and says: that he/she has read the foregoing PETITION FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW, 6 7 COMPLAINT FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF, AND 8 ALTERNATIVE CLAIMS IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION and based upon information and belief knows the contents thereof to be true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge. 9 10 DeHart, as manager 11 12 13 SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me This _____ day of June, 2018. 14 15 NOTARY PUBLIC LEWAST - Chenere 16 17 LEFANN STEWART-SCHENCKE Notary Public. State of Nevada 18 Appointment No. 07-4284-1 My Appt. Expires Jul 26, 2019 19 20 21

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EXHIBIT "B"

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COMES NOW Plaintiffs, 180 LAND COMPANY, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, FORE STARS, Ltd., and SEVENTY ACRES, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company ("Landowners") by and through its attorney of record, The Law Offices of Kermitt L. Waters, for its Complaint for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief and In Inverse Condemnation allege as follows:

PARTIES

- 1. Landowners are organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nevada.
- 2. Defendant City of Las Vegas ("City") is a political subdivision of the State of Nevada and is a municipal corporation subject to the provisions of the Nevada Revised Statutes, including NRS 342.105, which makes obligatory on the City all of the Federal Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, 42 USC §4601-4655, and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto. The City is also subject to all of the provisions of the Just Compensation Clause of the United States Constitution and Art. 1, §§ 8 and 22 of the Nevada Constitution, also known as PISTOL (Peoples Initiative to Stop the Taking of Our Land).
- 3. That the true names and capacities, whether individual, corporate, associate, or otherwise of Plaintiffs named herein as DOE INDIVIDUALS I through X, DOE CORPORATIONS I through X, and DOE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES I through X (hereinafter collectively referred to as "DOEs") inclusive are unknown to the Landowners at this time and who may have standing to sue in this matter and who, therefore, sue the Defendants by fictitious names and will ask leave of the Court to amend this Complaint to show the true names and capacities of Plaintiffs if and when the same are ascertained; that said Plaintiffs sue as principles; that at all times relevant herein, Plaintiff DOEs were persons, corporations, or other entities with standing to sue under the allegations set forth herein.

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4. That the true names and capacities, whether individual, corporate, associate, or otherwise of Defendants named herein as ROE government entities I through X, ROE CORPORATIONS I through X, ROE INDIVIDUALS I through X, ROE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES I through X, ROE quasi-governmental entities I through X (hereinafter collectively referred to as "ROEs"), inclusive are unknown to the Landowners at this time, who therefore sue said Defendants by fictitious names and will ask leave of the Court to amend this Complaint to show the true names and capacities of Defendants when the same are ascertained; that said Defendants are sued as principles; that at all times relevant herein, ROEs conduct and/or actions, either alone or in concert with the aforementioned defendants, resulted in the claims set forth herein.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 5. The Court has jurisdiction over the claims set forth herein pursuant to the United States Constitution, Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, including the Chapter 30 provisions applicable to declaratory relief actions.
 - 6. Venue is proper in this judicial district pursuant to NRS 13.040.

GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

7. Landowners own three separate and distinct properties that make up approximately 65 acres of real property generally located south of Alta Drive, east of Hualapai Way and north of Charleston Boulevard within the City of Las Vegas, Nevada; all of which acreage is more particularly described as Assessor's Parcel Numbers 138-31-801-002 (11.28 acres, owned by 180 LAND COMPANY, LLC); 138-31-801-003 (5.44 acres, owned by SEVENTY ACRES, LLC), and; 138-32-301-007 (47.59 acres, owned by SEVENTY ACRES, LLC) (although these are three separate and distinct parcels, the parcels will hereinafter be collectively referred to as the "65 Acres").

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8. The 65 Acres with several other separate parcels of property comprises approximately 250 acres of residential zoned land (hereinafter "250 Acre Residential Zoned Land").

Zoning Governs Existing Permitted Land Uses

- 9. Zoning specifically defines what uses *presently* are allowable on a parcel.
- 10. A "master plan" designation, as such term is used in NRS 278 and the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan, determines future land use and is considered only when legally changing the zoning on a parcel.
- General Plan Amendments and Major Modifications, as such mechanisms are 11. defined in the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan (adopted on September 6, 2000 through ordinance 2000-62) are not required if the proposed use complies with existing zoning on a parcel.
- The City of Las Vegas subsequently adopted the Land Use & Neighborhoods 12. Preservation Element of the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan on September 2, 2009, Ordinance #6056; revised with ordinance #6152 on May 8, 2012.
- 13. The Land Use & Neighborhoods Preservation Element establishes the City's land use hierarchy which progresses in the following ascending order: 2020 Mater Plan; Land Use Element; Master Plan Land Use Designation; Master Development Plan Areas; and Zoning Designation. In the hierarchy, the land use designation is subordinate to the zoning designation because land use designations indicate the intended use and development density for a particular area while zoning designations specifically define allowable uses and contain the design and development guidelines for those intended uses.
- 14. The City of Las Vegas Unified Development Code Title 19.10.040 defines a zoning district titled "PD (Planned Development District)" and Title 19.10.050 defines a zoning district titled "R-PD (Residential Planned Development)". The "PD" and "R-PD" zoning districts are 2004867_1 17634.1

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on multiple occasions stated that the City is unable to establish that it complied with its legal notice and public hearing requirements when it changed the General Plan Designation on the Property to PR-OS.

- 31. The PR-OS designation on the Property was procedurally deficient and is therefore void ab initio and has no legal effect on the Property.
- 32. On or about December 29, 2016, and at the request of the City, the Landowners filed an application for a General Plan Amendment to change the General Plan Designation relating to the 65 Acres and several other parcels of real property from PR-OS to L (Low Density Residential) and the application was given number GPA-68385 ("GPA-68385" also referred to herein as the "2016 GPA").
- 33. The City Council thereafter denied the 2016 GPA on June 21, 2017, even though the City requested that the Landowners file the GPA.
- 34. The City's denial of the 2016 GPA does not affect the R-PD7 zoning on the Property, nor prohibit the Landowners from exercising their vested property rights to develop the 65 Acres under the existing R-PD7 zoning.
- 35. The 2016 GPA was not a legal requirement under LVMC Title 19, nor NRS 278. The R-PD7 zoning on the 65 Acres takes precedence over the PR-OS General Plan Designation, per The Land Use & Preservation Elements of the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan and per NRS 278.349(3)(e).
- 36. Whether or not the Landowners file a General Plan Amendment to remove or change the PR-OS designation does not prohibit the Landowners from exercising their vested property rights to develop the 65 Acres under the existing vested R-PD7 zoning.

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RIPENESS AND FUTILITY

- 37. The Landowners' claims are ripe for adjudication as the City has already given the final word and provided a notice of final action that it will not allow any development on the 65 Acres and any further requests to develop on the 65 Acres is entirely futile as demonstrated by the continuous and repeated delays, changed positions by the City, and express and affirmative actions toward the 65 Acres that have prevented any development whatsoever on the 65 Acres.
- 38. The futility of submitting any further development applications is further demonstrated by the City's actions toward the several properties that make up the 65 Acres and the several other properties that comprise the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land.

THE MASTER DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT DENIAL

- 39. The 65 Acres was previously included, at the request of the City, as part of one master development agreement that would have allowed the development of the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land (hereinafter "MDA").
- 40. At that time, the City affirmatively stated in public hearings that the only way the City Council would allow development on the 65 Acres was under the MDA for the entirety of the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land.
- 41. Over an approximately 2.5 year period, the Landowners, at the City's demand, were required to change the MDA approximately ten (10) times and the Landowners complied with each and every City request.
- 42. However, on August 2, 2017, less than two months after the City Council said it was "very, very close" to approving the MDA, the City Council voted to deny the MDA altogether, which also included the 65 Acres.
- 43. This MDA denial is a final decision by the City that it will not allow any part of the 65 Acres to be developed and any further requests to develop are futile.

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THE 133 ACRES DENIALS

The City issued notice of the final decision denying the MDA on August 3, 2017.

The Unjustified Delay of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications

- 45. Since the denial of the MDA, the City has stricken three sets of applications to develop three separate properties, also zoned RPD-7, comprising approximately 133 acres (the "133 Acres").
- 46. On or about October, 2017, 180 Land Company, LLC ("180 Land") filed all applications required by the City for the purpose of obtaining approval on tentative maps pursuant to NRS 278 and LVMC Title 19 to utilize the existing vested R-PD7 zoning on the 133 Acres, (which was also part of the MDA for the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land). The October 2017 applications were identified as WVR-72004; SDR-72005; TMP-72006; WVR-72007; SDR-72008; TMP-72009; WVR-72010; SDR-72011; and TMP-72012 (collectively "2017 Tentative Map Applications"). These October 2017 applications were distinct from the MDA.
- 47. Shortly after the acceptance of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications by the City, the Planning Staff requested that 180 Land file a General Plan Amendment to accompany the 2017 Tentative Map Applications. The City Planning Staff informed 180 Land that a General Plan Amendment was being "requested only," and that it is not a requirement under City code.
- 48. Under protest as being legally unnecessary, 180 Land accommodated the City's request and filed a General Plan Amendment application to change the designation on the 133 Acres from PR-OS (Parks/Recreation/Open Space) to ML (Medium Low Density Residential). The application was identified as GPA-72220 ("2017 GPA").
 - 49. The 2017 GPA was not a legal requirement under LVMC Title 19, nor NRS 278.

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50. The R-PD7 zoning on the 133 Acres takes precedence over the PR-OS General Plan Designation, per The Land Use & Preservation Elements of the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan and per NRS 278.349(3)(e).

- 51. The 2017 Tentative Map Applications and 2017 GPA were recommended for APPROVAL by the City Staff, and APPROVED by a vote of the Planning Commission.
- 52. The 2017 GPA and the 2017 Tentative Map Applications were scheduled to be heard by the Las Vegas City Council ("City Council") on February 21, 2018.
- 53. At the February 21, 2018, City Council hearing, 180 Land requested that Councilman Coffin and Councilman Seroka recuse themselves from participation on the matter based, amongst other things on bias, conflicts of interest, and their public statements that the 133 Acres would never be developed. The request to recuse was denied.
- 54. Although the 2017 Tentative Map Applications were on the agenda for a presentation and vote by the City Council, the City Council voted to abey the items to delay them several months, stating as the basis for the delay that one of the City Council seats was vacant and that Councilman Coffin was participating by phone from abroad. The stated reasons were baseless as the required quorum was present for the City Council to proceed with the applications at the February 21, 2018 hearing. 180 Land was denied the opportunity to be heard before the vote. The City Council vote resulted in an additional three (3) month delay to the hearing of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications on the 133 Acres.
- 55. After the vote resulting in abeyance, 180 Land stated on the record that it "vehemently opposed any kind of abeyance and continued delay of this matter" as the efforts to develop the 133 Acres had already been systematically delayed by the City for years and that 180 Land wanted a "vote on these applications and due process and the ability for [the City Council] to hear the zoning facts."

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56.	The City	took no	action	on the	Landowners'	request a	and allowed	the abeyance.

57. The abeyance resulted in the City Council delaying the hearing of the 2017 Tentative Map Applications on the 133 Acres for three (3) months, until May 16, 2018.

The "Yohan Lowie" Bill

58. After the three month delay, on May 16, 2018, the day the 2017 Tentative Map Applications were scheduled to be heard on the 133 Acres, the City Council passed Bill No. 2018-5, the sole and singular intent of which was to prevent any development on the 133 Acres (and other properties that comprise the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land – including the 65 Acres that is the subject of this complaint).

59. During the discussion of Bill No. 2018-5:

- a. Councilman Coffin foreshadowed the City Council's plan for the 2017 Tentative Map Applications (scheduled to be heard in the City Council's afternoon session) when he admitted that if the bill were to apply to the 2017 Tentative Map Applications, it could be interpreted as having the effect of influencing the City Council's decision on them¹.
- b. Councilwoman Fiore stated her opinion that "this Bill is for one development and one development only . . . [t]his Bill is only about Badlands Golf Course [which includes the 133 Acres— and the 65 Acres that is the subject of the

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¹ **Coffin:** Thank you, your Honor. I'm not the sponsor of the bill but I do want to weigh in as I have heard testimony. And thank you very much for conducting the recommending committee without me there Monday, I couldn't be there. Uh, and I do appreciate the fact. But I knew the bill pretty well and I know that it doesn't address the, uh, current, uh, topic du jour of a- of a certain, uh, golf course, in, uh, the western part of town.

That would be retroactive treatment and, uh, I don't see how we can draw a conclusion or a connection between a bill discussing the future, with something that's been in play for quite a long time. So I think we've got to separate those two out for one thing. One, if we were to connect these two then someone might interpret this action today as somehow influencing the discussion on Badlands and that is not what we want to do. We wanna keep it separate and keep it clean, and this bill has nothing to do with that as far as I'm concerned. Thank you very much, your honor.

pending complaint]. . . . I call it the Yohan Lowie [a principal of 180 Land]

Bill." ("Yohan Lowie Bill")

- 60. The City Council proceeded to vote to approve the Yohan Lowie Bill, refusing to allow 180 Land to be heard to make a record of its opposition to the bill/ordinance.
- 61. Councilwoman Fiore and Mayor Goodman voted against the Yohan Lowie Bill and concurred with City Staff that the current policies relating to neighborhood engagement, which have been in place for many years, are effective and the Yohan Lowie Bill code revisions are unnecessary.

The 2017 Tentative Map Applications for the 133 Acres Are Stricken From the City Council Agenda

- 62. Finally, seven (7) months after the filing, the 2017 Tentative Map Applications and legally irrelevant 2017 GPA for the 133 Acres were set on the afternoon agenda of the City Council hearing on May 16, 2018, the same day as the passing of the "Yohan Lowie Bill".
- 63. At the commencement of the afternoon session of the May 16, 2018 City Council hearing, Councilman Seroka made an unprecedented "motion to strike" the 2017 Tentative Map Applications from the agenda, in order to avoid the 2017 Tentative Map Applications from being presented and voted upon by the City Council, and to cause them to be subjected to the Yohan Lowie Bill when re-filed by 180 Land.
- 64. The proffered bases of Councilman Seroka's unprecedented motion to strike 180 Land's applications for the 133 Acres were "violations of Nevada law," an assertion of which contradicted the positions and opinions of the City Staff, City Attorney, and prior formal actions of the City Council.
- 65. During the discussion of the motion, Councilman Coffin usurped the responsibilities of the City Attorney by giving legal advice to the other City Councilmembers

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stating that no advance notice is necessary for a procedural motion and that there was no need to have public comment on a motion to strike.

- 66. Based upon information and belief, other City Councilmembers were sandbagged and confused by the unprecedented and procedurally improper motion to strike 180 Land's applications to develop the 133 Acres. Specifically:
 - a. Councilwoman Fiore stated that "none of us [on the City council] had a briefing on what just occurred" and that "it is quite shady and I don't see how we can even proceed" and the actions were "very shocking.";
 - b. Councilman Crear said he did not feel comfortable moving forward and did not know if he had enough information to move forward; and
 - c. Councilman Anthony said "95% of what Councilman Seroka just said, I heard it for the first time. I don't know what it means, I don't understand it."
- 67. 180 Land's representative stated that just a few days earlier 180 Land's representative met with councilman Seroka and other members of the City Council to address any open issues related to the 2017 Tentative Map Applications for the 133 Acres and no mention was made of the "motion to strike" or issues related thereto. 180 Land's representative further explained that 180 Land has been being stonewalled in its efforts to develop its property for many years, and that despite full compliance with City code and City Staff requests, the City keeps changing the rules on the fly for the purpose of preventing development of the property.

Seroka's Fiction #1 'That A GPA Was Necessary Yet Time Barred' for the 133 Acres

68. Councilman Seroka's first basis for the motion to strike the applications that would have allowed development of the 133 Acres was a legally fictitious claim ("Fiction #1") that 180 Land's 2017 GPA was the same or similar to the 2016 GPA that was denied in June of 2017, and under the City Code the 2017 GPA could not be filed sooner than one year from the date of the 2004867 1 17634 1 Page 13 of 36

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denial of the 2016 GPA. This was a legal fiction, because 180 Land is not required to file a General Plan Amendment ("GPA") in order to proceed under its existing R-PD7 zoning. 180 Land would only be required to file a GPA if it filed an application seeking to change the zoning from R-PD7 to another zoning district classification.

- 69. At the May 16, 2018 hearing:
 - a. City Planning Staff advised the City Council that the 2017 GPA was filed by 180 Land only at the City's request and that 180 Land's filing of the 2017 GPA was under protest as being legally unnecessary.
 - b. City Attorney Brad Jerbic and City Staff both stated on the record that a GPA was not required to be filed by 180 Land to have the Tentative Map Applications for the 133 Acres to be heard.
- Under Nevada law, existing land use is governed by zoning, and only future land 70. use (the changing of zoning) takes the general plan (also commonly referred to as a master plan) designation into consideration. A GPA is not required for the submission, consideration and approval of a tentative map application if the underlying zoning allows for the use delineated on the tentative map.
- 71. Whether or not the 2017 GPA was filed by 180 Land, nor heard, approved, or denied by the City Council, was irrelevant in all respects regarding the hearing of 180 Land's 2017 Tentative Map Applications on the 133 Acres.
- NRS 278.349(3) unambiguously provides that: "The governing body, or planning 72. commission if it is authorized to take final action on a tentative map, shall consider: (e) Conformity with the zoning ordinances and master plan, except that if any existing zoning ordinance is inconsistent with the master plan, the zoning ordinance takes precedence;"

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73. The City took the following position in its Answering Brief filed in a petition for judicial review in Clark County District Court Case No. A-17-752344-J:

The Land Use & Neighborhood Preservation Element is significant, *inter alia*, because it plainly establishes the City's land use hierarchy. The land use hierarchy progresses in the following *ascending order*: 2020 Master Plan; Land Use Element; Master Plan Land Use Designation; Master Development Plan Areas; and Zoning Designation. *In the hierarchy, the land use designation is subordinate to the zoning designation*, for example, because land use designations indicate the intended use and development density for a particular area, while zoning designations specifically define allowable uses and contain the design and development guidelines for those intended uses.

- 74. The City Council's striking 180 Land's 2017 Tentative Map Applications to develop the 133 Acres from the City Council agenda due to the "PR-OS" master plan designation was a violation of Nevada law. Specifically, NRS 278.349(3)(e) which provides that the Property's R-PD7 residential zoning rights take precedence over an inconsistent master plan designation.
- 75. No general plan amendment was required to be filed by 180 Land in order to have the 2017 Tentative Map Applications heard and voted upon by the City Council.
- 76. The courtesy filing, under protest of the 2017 GPA by 180 Land, at the specific request (but not requirement) of City Planning Staff, was an improper and illegal basis for striking 180 Land's 2017 Tentative Map Applications.

Seroka's Fiction #2 'That a "Major Modification" To A Master Plan Is Required In Order To Proceed With the 2017 Tentative Map Applications for the 133 Acres

77. Councilman Seroka's second basis for the motion to strike the 133 Acres applications was a legally fictitious claim ("Fiction #2") that a "major modification" application

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to the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan was required to be filed concurrently with the 2017 Tentative Map Applications to develop the 133 Acres.

- 78. At the May 16, 2018 hearing City Attorney Brad Jerbic stated on the record that 180 Land had a due process right to have its 2017 Tentative Map Applications heard that day.
- 79. In fact, the City Council, on January 3, 2018, had previously taken formal action on that exact issue, voting 4-2 that NO MAJOR MODIFICATION of the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan was necessary in order for the City Council to hear the 2017 Tentative Map Applications.
- 80. The January 3, 2018 formal action that 180 Land was <u>not</u> required to file a "major modification" with the 2017 Tentative Map Applications was affirmed on January 17, 2018, when the City Council DENIED Councilman Coffin's motion to rescind the January 3, 2018 NO MAJOR MODIFICATION vote.
- 81. Fiction #2 was illegal in that it was a violation of the formal action taken by the City Council on January 3, 2018 that NO MAJOR MODIFICATION was required, and on January 17, 2018 denying a rescission of the NO MAJOR MODIFICATION vote.
- 82. Under Nevada law, existing zoning on a parcel supersedes any conflicting land use designations within the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan, Land Use Elements, Land Use Designations, Master Development Plans (including the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan), Master Development Plan Areas, and Special Area Plans, as such terms are used in the Las Vegas 2020 Master Plan.
- 83. The City affirmed that zoning prevails over all other planning land use designations in its Answering Brief filed in a petition for judicial review in Clark County District Court Case No. A-17-752344-J.

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84. Notwithstanding its inapplicability with respect to development under existing zoning on a parcel, the conceptual Peccole Ranch Master Plan was repealed by Ordinance 5353 in 2001.

- 85. On May 16, 2018, despite having no basis in law, either substantively or procedurally, to strike 180 Land's applications for the 133 Acres, the City Council voted 5-2 in favor of striking the 2017 Tentative Map Applications, altogether conflicting with its prior formal actions to the contrary and preventing a hearing on the merits of 180 Land's 2017 Tentative Map Applications to develop the 133 Acres under its existing vested property right R-PD7 zoning.
- 86. The motion to strike the 2017 Tentative Map Applications by the City Council was not supported by substantial evidence and was arbitrary and capricious. By striking the Tentative Map Applications, the City Council entirely prevented the applications to develop the 133 Acres from even being heard on the merits.
- 87. Based on the City's actions, it is clear that the purpose of the February 21, 2018 City Council abeyance was to allow Councilman Seroka time to put his "Yohan Lowie Bill" on the May 16, 2018 morning agenda, get it passed, and then improperly strike the applications for the 133 Acres causing them to fall under the Yohan Lowie Bill if they are re-filed in the future.
- 88. Regardless of which route 180 Land took to develop the 133 Acres, the City gave 180 Land specific instructions on which applications to file. Then, after accepting, processing and recommending 'approval' by both the City Planning Department and the City Planning Commission, the City Council extensively delayed the matter from being heard and ultimately and arbitrarily changed the requirements on the fly and improperly struck the applications preventing the applications from even being heard and voted upon.
- 89. Based upon information and belief, the City was attempting to acquire the entire 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land and took action to intentionally and artificially depress the value

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of the 133 Acres (and the 65 Acres at issue in the pending complaint), or has publicly placed an arbitrarily low value on the Property, thereby showing the City's bad faith intent to manipulate the value of the entire 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land so that it can acquire it at a greatly reduced value.

- 90. The City's actions in denying and/or striking 180 Land's applications on the 133 Acres has foreclosed all development of the 133 Acres in violation of 180 Land's vested right to develop the 133 Acres.
- 91. On or about May 17, 2018, Notices of Final Action were issued striking and preventing a hearing on GPA-7220; WVR-72004; SDR-72005; TMP-72006; WVR-72007; SDR-72008; TMP-72009; WVR-72010; SDR-72011; TMP-72012.
- 92. The City's actions in entirely preventing any development of the 133 Acres further establishes that the City will not allow any part of the 65 Acres to be developed and any further requests to develop are futile.

THE 35 ACRE PROPERTY DENIALS

- 93. A 35 Acre Property is also one of the properties that comprise the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land and individual applications to develop the 35 Acre Property have also been summarily denied by the City.
- 94. 180 Land also filed all applications required by the City for the purpose of obtaining approval on tentative maps pursuant to NRS 278 to utilize the existing vested R-PD7 zoning on the 35 Acre Property, (which was also part of the MDA for the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land). These applications were separate from the MDA for the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land.
- 95. While an application for a General Plan Amendment was filed by 180 Land relating to the larger 250 Residential Zoned Land, being application number, GPA-68385; additional applications were filed by 180 Land with the City that related more particularly to the 35 Acre 2004867 1 17634.1

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Property, being Assessor's Parcel Number 138-31-201-005. Those zoning applications pertaining to the 35 Acre Property were application numbers WVR-68480; SDR-68481 and TMP-68482.

- 96. At all relevant times herein, 180 Land had the vested right to use and develop the 35 Acre Property, at a density of up to 7.49 residential units per acre, subject to comparability and compatibility adjacency standards.
- 97. This vested right to use and develop the 35 Acre Property, was confirmed by the City in writing prior to 180 Land's acquisition of the 35 Acre Property and 180 Land materially relied upon the City's confirmation regarding the Property's vested zoning rights.
- 98. 180 Land's vested property rights in the 35 Acre Property is recognized under the United States and Nevada Constitutions, Nevada case law, and the Nevada Revised Statutes.
- 99. Although the 35 Acre Property showed the General Plan Designation of PR-OS (Parks/Recreation/Open Space), that Designation was placed on the 35 Acre Property by the City without the City having followed its own proper notice requirements or procedures. Therefore, the General Plan Designation of PR-OS was shown on the property in error.
- 100. On or about December 29, 2016, and at the suggestion of the City, The Landowners filed with the City an application for a General Plan Amendment to change the General Plan Designation on the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land (including the 35 Acre Property) from PR-OS (Parks/Recreation/Open Space) to L (Low Density Residential) and the application was given number GPA-68385 ("GPA-68385").
- 101. This proposed General Plan Designation of "L" allows densities less than the corresponding General Plan Designation on the Property prior to the time the PR-OS designation was improperly placed on the Property by the City.

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102. As noted, while the General Plan Amendment application (GPA-68385) related to the property, the balance of the applications filed with the City related specifically to the proposed development of sixty one (61) residential lots on the 35 Acre Property.

and compatible with the existing adjacent and nearby residential development as the proposed development was significantly less dense than surrounding development with average lot sizes of one half (1/2) of an acre amounting to density of 1.79 units per acre. The adjacent Queensridge common interest community density is approximately 3.48 units per acre. To the north of the 35 Acre Property are existing residences developed on lots generally ranging in size from one quarter (1/4) of an acre to one third (1/3) of an acre. In the center of the 35 Acre Property, are existing residences developed on lots generally ranging in size from one quarter (1/4) of an acre to one third (1/3) of an acre. To the south of the 35 Acre Property are existing residences developed on lots generally ranging in size from three quarters (3/4) of an acre to one and one quarter (11/4) acre.

104. The applications to develop the 35 Acre Property met every single City Staff request and every single applicable City of Las Vegas Municipal Code section and Nevada Revised Statute.

105. The Planning Staff for the City's Planning Department ("Planning Staff") reviewed GPA-68385, WVR-68480, SDR-68481 and TMP-68482 and issued recommendations of approval for WVR-68480, SDR-68481 and TMP-68482. The Planning Staff originally had "No Recommendation" with regard to GPA-68385; however in the "Agenda Memo-Planning" relating to the City Council meeting date of June 21, 2017, Planning Staff noted its recommendation of GPA-68385 as "Approval."

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106. On February 14, 2017, the City of Las Vegas Planning Commission ("Planning Commission") conducted a public hearing on GPA-68385, WVR-68480, SDR-68481, and TMP-68482.

107. After considering 180 Land's comments, and those of the public, the Planning Commission approved WVR-68480, SDR-68481, and TMP-68482 subject to Planning Staff's conditions.

108. The Planning Commission voted four to two in favor of GPA-68385, however, the vote failed to reach a super-majority (which would have been 5 votes in favor) and the vote was, therefore, procedurally tantamount to a denial.

109. On June 21, 2017, the City Council heard WVR-68480, SDR-68481, TMP-68482 and GPA-68385.

110. In conjunction with this City Council public hearing, the Planning Staff, in continuing to recommend approval of WVR-68480, SDR-68481, and TMP-68482 for the 35 Acre Property, noted "the adjacent developments are designated ML (Medium Low Density Residential) with a density cap of 8.49 dwelling units per acre. The proposed development would have a density of 1.79 dwelling units per acre...Compared with the densities and General Plan designations of the adjacent residential development, the proposed L (Low Density Residential) designation is less dense and therefore appropriate for this area, capped at 5.49 units per acre." (emphasis supplied).

111. The Planning Staff found the density of the proposed General Plan for the 35 Acre Property compatible with the existing adjacent land use designation, found the zoning designations compatible, and found that the filed applications conform to other applicable adopted plans and policies that include approved neighborhood plans.

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112. At the June 21, 2017 City Council hearing, 180 Land addressed the concerns of the individuals speaking in opposition to the 35 Acre Property development, and provided substantial evidence, through the introduction of documents and through testimony, of expert witnesses and others, rebutting each and every opposition claim.

Council hearing for the 35 Acre Property applications, 180 Land at the June 21, 2017 City Council hearing for the 35 Acre Property applications, 180 Land introduced evidence, among other things, (i) that representatives of the City had specifically noted in both City public hearings and in public neighborhood meetings, that the standard for appropriate development based on the existing R-PD7 zoning on the 35 Acre Property would be whether the proposed lot sizes were compatible with and comparable to the lot sizes of the existing, adjoining residences; (ii) that the proposed lot sizes for the 35 Acre Property were compatible with and comparable to the lot sizes of the existing residences adjoining the lots proposed in the 35 Acres; (iii) that the density of 1.79 units per acre provided for in the 35 Acre Property was *less than the density* of those already existing residences adjoining the 35 Acre Property; and (iv) that both Planning Staff and the Planning Commission recommended approval of WVR-68480, SDR-68481 and TMP-68482, all of which applications pertain to the proposed development of the 35 Acre Property.

114. Any public statements made in opposition to the various 35 Acre Property applications were either conjecture or opinions unsupported by facts; all of which public statements were either rebutted by findings as set forth in the Planning Staff report or through statements made by various City representatives at the time of the City Council public hearing or through evidence submitted by 180 Land at the time of the public hearing.

115. Despite the fact that the applications to develop the 35 Acre Property met every single City Staff request and every single applicable City of Las Vegas Municipal Code section and Nevada Revised Statute, despite Staff recommendation of approval and the recommendation

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of approval from the Planning Commission, despite the substantial evidence offered by 180 Land in support of the WVR-68480, SDR-68481, TMP-68482 and GPA-68385, and despite the fact that no substantial evidence was offered in opposition, the City Council denied WVR-68480, SDR-68481, TMP-68482 and GPA-68385 for the 35 Acre Property.

- 116. The City Council's stated reason for the denial was its desire to see, not just the 35 Acre Property, but the entire 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land, developed under one master development agreement which would include many other parcels of property that were legally subdivided and separate and apart from the 35 Acre Property.
- 117. At the City Council hearing considering and ultimately denying WVR-68480, SDR-68481, TMP-68482 and GPA-68385 for the 35 Acre Property, the City Council advised 180 Land that the only way the City Council would allow development on the 35 Acre Property was under a master development agreement (MDA) for the entirety of the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land. This is the same MDA that is referenced in the above allegations 39 through 44.
- 118. At the time the City Council was considering WVR-68480, SDR-68481, TMP-68482 and GPA-68385, that would allow the 35 Acre Property to be developed, the City Council stated that the approval of the MDA is "very, very close" and "we are going to get there [approval of the MDA]." The City Council was referring to the next public hearing wherein the MDA for the entire 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land would be voted on by the City Council.
- 119. The City Attorney stated that "if anybody has a list of things that should be in this agreement [MDA], but are not, I say these words speak now or forever hold your peace, because I will listen to you and we'll talk about it and if it needs to be in that agreement, we'll do our best to get it in. . . . This is where I have to use my skills and say enough is enough and that's why I said tonight 'speak now or forever hold your peace.' If somebody comes to me with an issue that they should have come to me with months ago I'm gonna ignore them 'cause that's just not fair

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either. We can't continue to whittle away at this agreement [MDA] by throwing new things at it all the time. There's been two years for people to make their comments. I think we are that close."

- 120. On August 2, 2017, less than two months after the City Council said it was "very, very close" to approving the MDA for the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land, the City Council voted to deny the MDA altogether.
- 121. The City's actions in denying the Landowners' tentative map (TMP-68482), WVR-68480, SDR-68481 and GPA-68385 and then denial of the MDA for the entire 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land foreclosed all development of the 35 Acre Property in violation of 180 Land's vested right to develop the 35 Acre Property and the denial by the City Council was not supported by substantial evidence and was arbitrary and capricious.
- 122. On or about June 28, 2017, Notices of Final Action were issued by the City for WVR-68480, SDR-68481, TMP-68482 and GPA-68385 stating that all applications to develop the 35 Acre Property had been denied.
- 123. The City's actions directed at entirely preventing any development of the 35 Acre Property further establishes that the City will not allow any part of the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land, including the 65 Acres, to be developed and that any further requests to develop are futile.

OTHER ACTIONS DEMONSTRATING THAT THE CITY WILL NOT ALLOW DEVELOMENT OF ANY PART OF THE 65 ACRES (A TAKING) AND THAT IT IS FUTILE TO SEEK FURTHER DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS FROM THE CITY

124. In addition to the actions taken by the City directed at the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land by way of the MDA, the actions directed at the 133 Acres, and the actions directed at the 35 Acre Property, as set forth above, the City has taken other actions that also firmly establish that the City will not allow any development of the 65 Acres, amounting to a taking, and it is futile

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to seek further development applications from the City as the City will never allow the Landowners to develop the 65 Acres.

- 125. One member of the City Council ran a political campaign for the City Council, prior to being elected to the City Council, that development will not be allowed on the 65 Acres and/or the 65 Acres should be taken by eminent domain to prevent development.
- 126. The City has refused to approve a standard application to place a fence around certain areas of the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land, including ponds on the Property, that were requested for security and safety reasons.
- 127. The City has refused to issue Trespass Complaints against the numerous and continuous trespassers even though police reports have been filed.
- 128. The City has refused to allow the construction of an access gate directly to the Landowners' Property from existing City streets for which the Landowners have a special right of access under Nevada law.
- 129. The City is even proposing an ordinance that: forces the Landowners to water all grass areas in the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land, even though a golf course has not been operated on the property since December 1, 2016, and would now be illegal as a "non-conforming use" under Title 19; retroactively removes the Landowners' vested hard zoning and requires the Landowners to submit to a City application process and comply with development requirements that are vague and ambiguous, incredibly uneconomical, financially impossible, time consuming and impossible to meet; and imposes a conscious shocking retroactive \$1,000 fine per day on the Landowners' property (without any factual or legal basis whatsoever).
- 130. The purpose of this new Bill proposed by the City is to create an expense without income on the Property and a development process that is so financially infeasible and timely that it renders the Property entirely unusable and valueless.

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131. Based upon information and belief, the sole and express intent of these City actions is to enable the City to acquire the 250 Acre Residential Zoned Land for pennies on the dollar, and the City has sought the funds to accomplish this purpose.

- 132. Accordingly, it would be futile to submit any further applications with the City of Las Vegas to seek development of the 65 Acres.
- 133. It is clear that no development on the 65 Acres will ever be approved by the City. Therefore, the extent of the permitted development on the 65 Acres is known and final.
- 134. The City has forced the Landowners to leave the 65 Acres in a vacant and undeveloped condition for public use and the public is using the property.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF

- 135. The Landowners repeat, re-allege and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
- 136. As a result of the PR-OS being improperly placed on the 65 Acres, and the City Council's action in denying the Landowners' zoning rights as a result of such designation, there is uncertainty as to the validity of the PR-OS and its application to the 65 Acres (although the Landowners deny that the PR-OS applies to the 65 Acres).
 - 137. Declaratory relief is necessary to terminate or resolve the uncertainty.
- 138. Declaratory relief is permitted under Nevada law, including but not limited to NRS Chapter 30.
- 139. Therefore, the Landowners request that this Court immediately enter an order finding the PR-OS designation on the 65 Acres is invalid and/or of no effect on the 65 Acres' R-PD7 zoning rights, thereby prohibiting the City or any other person, agency, or entity from applying the PR-OS to any land use decision, or otherwise, relating to the Property's existing zoning and to the 65 Acres entirely.

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SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

140. The Landowners repeat, re-allege, and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.

- 141. Any action that placed a designation of PR-OS on the 65 Acres was without legal authority and, therefore, entirely invalid.
- 142. There is a reasonable and strong likelihood of success on the merits which will invalidate the improper PR-OS designation on the 65 Acres.
- 143. Continued application of the PR-OS designation on the 65 Acres will result in irreparable harm and cause a significant hardship on the Landowners as: 1) the 65 Acres is legally recognized real property and is unique in the State of Nevada; 2) the PR-OS designation on the 65 Acres may prevent the Landowners from using the 65 Acres for any beneficial use; 3) the Landowners rely upon the acquisition and development of property, including the 65 Acres, to provide a livelihood for numerous individuals and continued application of the PR-OS to prevent development of the 65 Acres will interfere with the livelihood of these individuals; 4) under NRS 278.349(3)(e) the PR-OS zoning has no applicability with respect to the existing R-PD7 zoning on the 65 Acres; and, 5) allowing the development of the 65 Acres will result in significant financial benefit to the City, including but not limited to increasing the City tax base and creating additional jobs for its citizens.
 - 144. There is no plain, adequate or speedy remedy at law.
- 145. Therefore, the Landowners are entitled to injunctive relief prohibiting the City or any other person, agency, or entity from applying the PR-OS to any application, land use decision, or otherwise, relating to the 65 Acres's existing zoning and/or to the 65 Acres entirely.

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THIRD CLAIM FOR RELIEF IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION

(Categorical Taking)

- 146. The Landowners repeat, re-allege and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
 - 147. The Landowners have vested rights to use and develop the 65 Acres.
- 148. The City reached a final decision that it will not allow development of the Landowners' 65 Acres.
 - 149. Any further requests to the City to develop the 65 Acres would be futile.
- 150. The City's actions in this case have resulted in a direct appropriation of the Landowners' 65 Acres by entirely prohibiting the Landowners from using the 65 Acres for any purpose and reserving the 65 Acres as undeveloped/open space.
- 151. As a result of the City's actions, the Landowners have been unable to develop the 65 Acres and any and all value in the 65 Acres has been entirely eliminated.
- 152. The City's actions have completely deprived the Landowners of all economically beneficial use of the 65 Acres.
- 153. The City's actions have resulted in a direct and substantial impact on the Landowners and on the 65 Acres.
 - 154. The City's actions result in a categorical taking of the Landowners' 65 Acres.
- 155. The City has not paid just compensation to the Landowners for this taking of their 65 Acres
- 156. The City's failure to pay just compensation to the Landowners for the taking of their 65 Acres is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.

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157. Therefore, the Landowners are compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 65 Acres to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.

158. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

FOURTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION

(Penn Central Regulatory Taking)

- 159. The Landowners repeat, re-allege and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
 - 160. The Landowners have vested rights to use and develop the 65 Acres.
- 161. The City reached a final decision that it will not allow development of the Landowners' 65 Acres.
 - 162. Any further requests to the City to develop the 65 Acres would be futile.
- 163. The City also stated that it would only allow the Landowners to develop the 65 Acres as part of the MDA, referenced above. The Landowners worked on the MDA for nearly two years, with numerous City-imposed and/or City requested abeyances and with the City's direct and active involvement in the drafting and preparing the MDA and the City's statements that it would approve the MDA and despite nearly two years of working on the MDA, on or about August 2, 2017, the City denied the MDA.
- 164. The City's actions have caused a direct and substantial economic impact on the Landowners, including but not limited to preventing development of the 65 Acres.
- 165. The City was expressly advised of the economic impact the City's actions were having on the Landowners.
- 166. At all relevant times herein the Landowners had specific and distinct investment backed expectations to develop the 65 Acres.

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167. T	hese investment backed expectations are further supported by the fact that the
City, itself, confi	rmed the Property has vested R-PD7 development rights prior to the Landowners
acquiring the 65	Acres.

- 168. The City was expressly advised of the Landowners' investment backed expectations prior to denying the Landowners the use of the 65 Acres.
- 169. The City's actions are preserving the 65 Acres as open space for a public use and the public is physically entering on and actively using the 65 Acres.
- 170. The City's actions have resulted in the loss of the Landowners' investment backed expectations in the 65 Acres.
- 171. The character of the City action to deny the Landowners' use of the 65 Acres is arbitrary, capricious, and fails to advance any legitimate government interest and is more akin to a physical acquisition than adjusting the benefits and burdens of economic life to promote the common good.
 - 172. The City's actions meet all of the elements for a <u>Penn Central</u> regulatory taking.
- 173. The City has not paid just compensation to the Landowners for this taking of its 65 Acres.
- 174. The City's failure to pay just compensation to Landowners for the taking of their 65 Acres is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.
- 175. Therefore, Landowners are compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 65 Acres to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.
- 176. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

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(Regulatory Per Se Taking)

177. The Landowners repeat, re-allege and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.

- 178. The City's actions stated above fail to follow the procedures for taking property set forth in Chapters 37 and 342 of the Nevada Revised Statutes, Nevada's statutory provisions on eminent domain, and the United States and Nevada State Constitutions.
- 179. The City's actions exclude the Landowners from using the 65 Acres and, instead, permanently reserve the 65 Acres for a public use and the public is physically entering on and actively using the 65 Acres.
- 180. The City's actions have shown an unconditional and permanent taking of the 65 Acres.
- 181. The City has not paid just compensation to the Landowners for this taking of their 65 Acres.
- 182. The City's failure to pay just compensation to the Landowners for the taking of their 65 Acres is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.
- 183. Therefore, the Landowners are compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 65 Acres to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.
 - 184. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

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SIXTH	CLAI	IM FOR	RELIEF	IN INVERSE	CONDEMNA	TION

(Nonregulatory Taking)

185. The Landowners repeat, re-allege and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.

- 186. The City actions directly and substantially interfere with the Landowners' vested property rights rendering the 65 Acres unusable and/or valueless.
- 187. The City has intentionally delayed approval of development on the 65 Acres and, ultimately, struck or denied any and all development in a bad faith effort to preclude any use of the 65 Acres and/or to purchase the 65 Acres at a depressed value.
 - 188. The City's actions are oppressive and unreasonable.
 - 189. The City's actions result in a nonregulatory taking of the Landowners' 65 Acres.
- 190. The City has not paid just compensation to the Landowners for this taking of their 65 Acres.
- 191. The City's failure to pay just compensation to the Landowners for the taking of their 65 Acres is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.
- 192. Therefore, that Landowners are compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 65 Acres to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.
 - 193. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

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SEVENTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF IN INVERSE CONDEMNATION

(Temporary Taking)

- 194. The Landowners repeat, re-allege and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
- 195. If there is subsequent City Action or a finding by the Nevada Supreme Court, or otherwise, that the Landowners may develop the 65 Acres, then there has been a temporary taking of the Landowners' 65 Acres for which just compensation must be paid.
 - 196. The City has not offered to pay just compensation for this temporary taking.
- 197. The City failure to pay just compensation to the Landowners for the taking of their 65 Acres is a violation of the United States Constitution, the Nevada State Constitution, and the Nevada Revised Statutes, which require the payment of just compensation when private property is taken for a public use.
- 198. Therefore, the Landowners are compelled to bring this cause of action for the taking of the 65 Acres to recover just compensation for property the City has taken without payment of just compensation.
 - 199. The requested compensation is in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

EIGHTH CLAIM FOR VIOLATION OF

THE LANDOWNERS' DUE PROCESS RIGHTS

- 200. The Landowners repeat, re-allege and incorporate by reference all paragraphs included in this pleading as if set forth in full herein.
- 201. The City action in this case retroactively and without due process transformed the Landowners' vested property right to a property without any value.
 - 202. The City action in this case was taken without proper notice to the Landowners.

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1	4.	Prejudgment interest commencing from the date the City first froze the use of the
2	65 Acres wh	ich is prior to the filing of this Complaint in Inverse Condemnation;
3	5.	Invalidation of the City action, returning the vested property rights to the
4	Landowners	thereby allowing development of the 65 Acres;
5	6.	A preferential trial setting pursuant to NRS 37.055;
6	7.	Payment for all costs incurred in attempting to develop the 65 Acres;
7	8.	For an award of attorneys' fees and costs incurred in and for this action; and/or,
8	9.	For such further relief as the Court deems just and equitable under the
9	circumstance	es.
10		DATED this 27 th day of August, 2018.
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12		LAW OFFICES OF KERMITT L. WATERS
13		BY: /s/ Kermitt L. Waters
14		KERMITT L. WATERS, ESQ. Nevada Bar. No.2571
15		JAMES J. LEAVITT, ESQ. Nevada Bar No. 6032
16		MICHAEL SCHNEIDER, ESQ. Nevada Bar No. 8887
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1	VERIFICATION
2	STATE OF NEVADA)
3) :ss COUNTY OF CLARK)
4	Vickie DeHart, on behalf of the Landowners, being first duly sworn, upon oath, deposes
5	and says: that he/she has read the foregoing COMPLAINT FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF
6	AND INJUNCITIVE RELIEF, AND ALTERNATIVE VERIFIED CLAIMS IN INVERSE
7	CONDEMNATION and based upon information and belief knows the contents thereof to be
8	true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge.
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1 i	Vickie DeHart
12	SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me
13	This <u>074</u> day of August, 2018. JENNIFER KNIGHTON Notary Public, State of Nevada
14	Appointment No. 14-15063-1 My Appl. Expires Sep 11, 2018
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