

RESOLUTION - SLUPAC 2014-03

**RESOLUTION OF THE NEVADA STATE LAND USE PLANNING ADVISORY COUNCIL
SUPPORTING THE STATE'S ALTERNATIVE "E" IN THE BLM/USFS SUB-REGIONAL GREATER
SAGE-GROUSE EIS AND THE EFFORTS OF THE NEVADA SAGEBRUSH ECOSYSTEM COUNCIL**

WHEREAS, the Nevada State Land Use Planning Advisory Council (SLUPAC) advises the Nevada Division of State Lands regarding the development of plans and statements of policy concerning lands under federal management;

WHEREAS, SLUPAC recognizes the importance of Nevada's sagebrush ecosystem, the sage-grouse and our natural heritage;

WHEREAS, SLUPAC recognizes the need to balance competing multiple use needs on our public lands;

WHEREAS, the Governor's Sage-Grouse Advisory Committee developed a viable plan to protect the sage-grouse, sagebrush ecosystem and Nevada's economy;

WHEREAS, the State of Nevada submitted its alternative based on the recommendation provided by the Governor's Sage-Grouse Advisory Committee and the Sagebrush Ecosystem Council to the BLM to be included in the BLM/USFS Sub-Regional Greater Sage-Grouse EIS;

WHEREAS, the Sagebrush Ecosystem Council further strengthened the State's Plan since the original DEIS resulting in the current Plan delineated as "Alternative E" in the EIS is even more robust;

NOW, THEREFORE, based on the foregoing, and in accordance with the best interests of the citizens of Nevada, SLUPAC does:

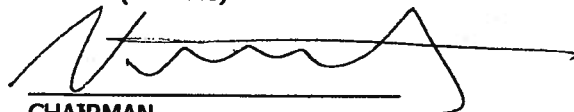
HEREBY RESOLVE Nevada's counties, through SLUPAC, support the State's "Alternative E" in the BLM/USFS Sub-Regional Greater Sage-Grouse EIS as the most rational and effective option to protect the sagebrush ecosystem, the sage-grouse, and Nevada's economy;


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, Nevada's counties, through SLUPAC, support the efforts being undertaken by the Sagebrush Ecosystem Council to protect the sagebrush ecosystem, the sage-grouse, and Nevada's economy;

Resolved this 23rd day of May, 2014, by the Nevada State Land Use Planning Advisory Council (SLUPAC).

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 23rd day of May, 2014.

Nevada State Land Use Planning Advisory
Council (SLUPAC)


CHAIRMAN
VIRGIL AZELLANO

Attest: SKIP CANFIELD, PROGRAM MGR
STATE LAND USE PLANNING AGENCY

[Official title of person attesting]

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AYES: 14

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: 2

ABSTENTIONS: 0