CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA ITEM

Issue:    Ordinance Adoption: Adoption of the 2011 National Electrical Code and the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2011 National Electrical Code

Petitioner: Ronald L. Lynn, Director, Building Department

Recommendation:

That the Board of County Commissioners conduct a public hearing; and approve, adopt, and authorize the Chairman to sign an ordinance to amend Title 25, Chapter 25.04 by deleting Chapter 25.04 in its entirety, adopting a new Chapter 25.04 of the Clark County Code entitled The Electrical Code of Clark County; adopting by reference the 2011 National Electrical Code and the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2011 National Electrical Code; providing penalties for violations; and providing for other matters properly relating thereto. (For possible action)

FISCAL IMPACT:

Fund #: 5340.000  Fund Name: Clark County Building Department
Fund Center: 1130530000  Funded Program/Grant: N/A
Description: 2011 Code Adoption  Amount: $15,000

BACKGROUND:

The 2011 National Electrical Code (NEC) with the local amendments, which were written by the jurisdictions of Southern Nevada, tailor the 2011 NEC to Southern Nevada while promoting joint adoption and mutual enforcement. The 2011 NEC and the local amendments have been reviewed with the local construction industry, developers, contractors, and trade organizations and are recommended for adoption.

In order to allow an effective transition, plans submitted after July 5, 2014 must conform to the new code. For plans reviewed under current codes, permits must be pulled by July 1, 2014.

The District Attorney's Office has reviewed and approved as to form.

Respectfully submitted,

Randall J. Tarr, Assistant County Manager

8/20/2013
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