

ATTACHMENT 1

NOTIFICATION LETTER



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September 25, 2025

Department of Business License

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CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA
NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO CLARK COUNTY CODE
TITLE 2, CHAPTER 2.70 – CLARK COUNTY SPORTS AND SPECIAL EVENTS
DEPARTMENT

Dear Licensee and Community Partners:

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2. Directly restrict the formation, operation or expansion of a business.

Please direct your comments, data and arguments in writing to PublicCommentCCBL@ClarkCountyNV.gov by 5:00 p.m. on October 22, 2025.

Sincerely,

Michael Harwell

Michael Harwell

Franchise Manager

ATTACHMENT 2

PUBLICATION NOTICE



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Las Vegas, NV 89106

CC BUSINESS LICENSE
ATTN: ANGIE ARELLANO
PO BOX 551810
LAS VEGAS, NV 89155

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Order No.:	342719
Invoice Date:	10/7/2025
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Invoice Collector Name	Kelly Reynolds
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Notary

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RESPONSE #1

From: [Brittney at Blondies](#)
To: [BL Public Comment](#)
Subject: Opposition to Proposed Changes to Title 2, chapter 2.70
Date: Thursday, September 25, 2025 6:57:18 PM

Dear Commissioners,

I want to voice my opinions and oppose the proposed changes to Title 2, Chapter 2.70 regarding special events. These amendments, including steep new application fees, excessive insurance requirements, and added special event charges amount to nothing more than unnecessary financial barriers on businesses and community organizations.

The right to freely engage in commerce and community expression is fundamental, and government should not be in the business of restricting small business growth through excessive regulation and fees. Farmers' markets, festivals, and events are lifelines for local entrepreneurs and nonprofits. By raising the cost of doing business and creating layers of bureaucracy, Clark County is not protecting public safety, it is squeezing hardworking business owners for more of their limited resources.

What is the true reasoning behind these changes if not to generate revenue at the expense of small businesses and community events? Where is the evidence that the current system is failing, and why is such an extreme financial burden being placed on organizers who bring economic activity, culture, and tourism into Clark County?

We have a constitutional right to free enterprise. Government should not stand in the way by inventing new fees and obstacles. Where is the justification for these changes and what problems are they solving? If the goal is truly safety, then why are block parties exempt? This looks less like safety and more like squeezing hardworking business owners for more money.

I strongly urge you to reject these amendments and instead work with the community to support, not restrict business activity and free enterprise in Clark County. Let's not California our Nevada.

Sincerely,

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ATTACHMENT 4

RESPONSE #2



Kathleen Huebert
Las Vegas Farmers Market
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khuebert@lasvegafarmersmarket.com

October 9, 2025

Clark County Officials
Clark County Government Center
500 S. Grand Central Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89155

Subject: Opposition to Proposed Amendment – Title 2, Chapter 2.70: Sporting and Special Events

Dear Clark County Officials,

My name is Kathleen Huebert, and along with my husband Rodney, we are the owners of Las Vegas Farmers Market. Founded 26 years ago by Stephen and Ginger Johnson, our market continues to carry forward their vision and tagline: *"Make it, bake it, grow it, sew it."*

Farmers markets are far more than places to purchase fresh produce—they serve as vital community hubs that promote public health, encourage social engagement, and support local economies. At Las Vegas Farmers Market, we are proud to provide a unique venue for over 85 local farmers, artisan bakers, and crafters across three market locations, operating on private property 52 weeks a year.

I am writing to express my deep concern regarding the proposed amendment to Title 2, Chapter 2.70 of the Clark County Sporting and Special Events code. As it stands, this amendment would have a significant and detrimental impact on our operations as well as the livelihoods of our many vendors.

The requirement to apply for a special event permit for weekly events that have been operating consistently and successfully is not only redundant but administratively burdensome. Additionally, the notion of an undetermined fee being charged for every Saturday and Sunday event is both unclear and alarming.

Currently, I am already required to submit weekly applications for Temporary Events and Film Permits through the Clark County Business Licensing Department—paying \$45 per market, per week, in addition to \$4 for each participating vendor. Many of our vendors already hold Clark County business licenses, making this fee structure seem excessive. Each vendor is also required

to carry general liability insurance of \$1 million and, if selling food products, maintain permits and pay fees to the Southern Nevada Health District.

Las Vegas Farmers Market itself holds a State of Nevada business license, along with business licenses from both Clark County and the City of Henderson. In just the past six months, I have paid over \$10,000 to Clark County's Special Events team. We also maintain \$2 million in general liability insurance, workers' compensation coverage, and separate permits from the Southern Nevada Health District for each market location.

My concern is that rather than supporting our local farmers markets, these additional fees and regulatory requirements will discourage their operation. Farmers markets like ours help deliver healthy, affordable, and locally grown food to the community—including vulnerable populations. Our vendors actively participate in SNAP/EBT, WIC, and the Senior Nutrition Program through the Nevada Department of Agriculture.

We urge you to reconsider the proposed amendment and instead work with us to support and sustain the essential services that farmers markets provide to Clark County residents. We are not just a "special event"—we are part of the solution to food insecurity, public health, and small business development in our community.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Kathleen Huebert". The signature is fluid and elegant, with a large initial 'K' and a long, sweeping underline.

Kathleen Huebert
Co-Owner, Las Vegas Farmers Market

ATTACHMENT 5

RESPONSE #3

Dear Clark County Business License/Special Events Division and Clark County Commissioners,

I'm writing to respectfully comment on the proposed amendments to Clark County Code, Title 2, Chapter 2.70 – Clark County Sports and Special Events Department. I am also writing on behalf of over hundreds of local operators and businesses across the County as I am both myself and have conferred with dozens of them on this issue.

As written and proposed under 2.70.010.(J)7, the 1,000-foot rule and "special event" definition appear broad enough to include small, independent photography or small commercial drone work used in relation to professional work being done in support of normal business operations such as in construction, inspections, real estate, small and simple documentation/marketing captures, etc... that occur on an almost daily basis throughout the County by hundreds of licensed & FAA certificated professionals.

These type of operations are ones that use small to medium sized sUAS' (*those types typically weighing under 5 Lbs. Max, usually half of that on average*) and whose operations utilize no crew beyond the operator-vo, require no closures of any kind, have no significant public or safety impact, that always have the proper FAA airspace authorization and/or waivers (LAANC/CoA/CoW), and that otherwise typically go mostly unnoticed by those in the immediate area.

I support the County's intent to manage large events and filming's, but I encourage clear language that distinguishes between major, organized filming/public gatherings and low-impact professional work.

While the intent may not be to target the aforementioned types of sUAS operations by the current staff and commission, the vagueness in the proposed ordinance wording could be mis-interpreted by future County staff and/or commissioners as well as current and future law enforcement.

This could lead to not just heavy operational burdens but also to heavy financial burdens that would severely and adversely impact small to medium businesses throughout the City/County under proposed amendments 2.70.050(F) and 2.70.120(B) and current 2.70.050(B).

I ask for clarifications to be added, or the amendments to be amended or removed when it comes to Small Unmanned Aerial Systems (sUAS/drones) used in the capacities above under the proposed amendments listed in this comment.

I would like to also include that these clarifications should also carry over into clarifications and amendments for when it comes to Clark County Film Permits as well under current ordinance 6.20.030.

Thank you for Time and Consideration in This Matter and for considering this input during the public comment period.

Respectfully,

Brian Bartolome

Ultra Vegas Enterprises LLC d/b/a Ultra Vegas Drone Services

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ATTACHMENT 6

RESPONSE #4



October 22, 2025

Vincent Queano
Director
Clark County Department of Business License
Clark County
500 S. Grand Central Pkwy
Las Vegas, NV 89155

RE: BIS Comments Regarding Proposed Amendments to Clark County Code Title 2, Chapter 2.70 – Clark County Sports and Special Events Department

Dear Director Queano:

On behalf of the members of the Nevada Resort Association operating in Clark County and in accordance with NRS 237.080, please accept this letter as part of the business impact statement (BIS) process related to the proposed amendments to Clark County Code Title 2, Chapter 2.70 – Clark County Sports and Special Events Department.

We appreciate the thorough review of the ordinance and the work of the Sports and Special Events Department, which handles more sporting and special event applications over a fortnight than most counties see in an entire year. Our members recognize the department's dedication to ensuring safe and successful events, and we value the open communication, professionalism, and spirit of collaboration consistently demonstrated by its staff.

We write in **strong support** of a particular amendment our members believe is both a necessary and a beneficial change: **Section 2.70.070(2)**. This update will further clarify the existing exemption for an event, or outdoor activation incidental to a primary event, held on the premises of a resort hotel, arena, stadium, or convention center. This exemption is warranted, as these venues are entitled, designed, constructed, licensed, and operated specifically for the purpose of holding events as the normal course of business. Further, the amendment appropriately acknowledges that events held on these premises must still obtain all permits and licenses required by law or code, notwithstanding the exemption.

Although the text of the proposed ordinance does not expressly state as much, it is our understanding that exempt entertainment venues are not subject to the newly proposed fees in 2.70.050(F) and

2.70.120 considering the Special Event Preliminary Approval process does not apply to such entertainment venues pursuant to 2.70.070(2), and with the understanding that such entertainment venues are currently required to remit all applicable fees associated with all other required permits and licenses for events held at such venues. For avoidance of doubt, the proposed ordinance may benefit from a provision to expressly clarify this interpretation.

We appreciate Clark County's continued partnership with the resort industry and its recognition of the unique role our members play in hosting major events that drive tourism, create jobs, generate tax revenue, and enhance the county's reputation as a premier global destination. We look forward to continued collaboration to ensure that Clark County remains the home of safe, world-class events. Thank you for the opportunity to share our members' thoughts and support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Virginia Valentine".

Virginia Valentine
President & CEO

cc: Kevin Schiller, County Manager
Les Lee Shell, Deputy County Manager
Abigail Frierson, Deputy County Manager
Lisa Kremer, Deputy County Manager
Michael Harwell, Franchise Manager

ATTACHMENT 7

RESPONSE #5

To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Jennifer Colacion, and I am the owner of Events With A Twist and Stanley Brothers Signature Hospitality. I have worked in the special events and bar industry locally since 2006. We are deeply rooted in the community and have experienced firsthand the many exciting changes and improvements within the city and county. While we love the event industry, we have also felt the growing pains that come with the evolving licensing requirements over the years. We began by handling small weddings and corporate events. Over time, our work has expanded to include large festivals—and most recently, we were proud to secure the Formula 1 contract for both race-week operations and ongoing daily service. We have also been granted the opportunity to hold the first Major Entertainment Facility liquor license at the Grand Prix Plaza.

As a small, locally owned company, we are continuing to grow. While large-scale productions are now a major part of our work, smaller 50-person events within the county remain an important part of what we do. It's vital that the procedures and requirements for these smaller events remain reasonable, attainable, and supportive of safe, compliant operations. We know that new companies like ours are emerging all the time, and we hope they are afforded the same fair opportunities to succeed within Clark County.

However, the new requirements for liquor catering at small private events—though well-intentioned—pose significant challenges to both the community and small businesses. For more than 15 years, we have worked collaboratively with the county to properly permit every event. We have consistently followed the rules, maintained excellent communication with all relevant departments, and sought guidance whenever clarification was needed to ensure every event was conducted legally and safely.

As licensed liquor caterers, we currently submit event paperwork for approval each time we operate, pay the associated small fee, and ensure that all parties are aware of the permitted event. This system has worked effectively for years. While the new requirements make perfect sense for large public events—such as festivals, parades, and gatherings exceeding 1,000 attendees—they are unnecessarily burdensome for private events. Requiring a 15-page application, a \$250 fee (in addition to catering costs), and several weeks of lead time for a small 50-person private event will inevitably push clients and operators away from compliance. Many private events are booked with only a few days' notice, and these new restrictions risk driving well-meaning hosts and vendors to bypass the legal process altogether—creating unsafe and unregulated environments for both locals and visitors.

I respectfully ask that these concerns be taken into consideration as revisions are made to the special event and licensing regulations. With thoughtful adjustments, the process can continue to support compliance while allowing small, community-based businesses like ours to thrive.

Thank you very much for your time and attention.



Jennifer Colacion
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Stanley Brothers Signature Hospitality
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ATTACHMENT 8

RESPONSE #6

22 Oct 2025

To:

Clark County Office of Sports and Special Events
500 S. Grand Central Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89155

Subject: Feedback on Proposed Event Ordinance and Request for Collaboration

Dear Franchise Manager Harwell and Members of the Clark County Office of Sports and Special Events,

On behalf of the *newly formed Southern Nevada Association of Drone Service Providers (SNV-ADSP)*, we are writing to introduce our organization and to provide feedback on the proposed ordinance amending **Clark County Code Title 2, Chapter 2.70**, relating to special events.

About the Southern Nevada Association of Drone Service Providers

The *Southern Nevada Association of Drone Service Providers* is being established to unify and represent the professional drone community across Southern Nevada. Our membership seeks to include FAA Part 107 certified operators whose company has a business license in southern Nevada working across a range of industries, including but not limited to:

- **Infrastructure and Industrial Inspection**
- **Mapping and Surveying**
- **Precision Agriculture**
- **Real Estate and Construction**
- **Film and Media Production**
- **Public Safety and Emergency Response**
- **Drone Repair and Maintenance**
- **Event and Executive Protection Security**

Our core values — **Safety, Education, Ethics, and Professionalism**— guide everything we do. They are at the heart of our mission to promote responsible drone operations that align with FAA standards, enhance public safety, and build trust in the drone industry throughout Southern Nevada.

Request for Discussion and Collaboration

In addition to providing feedback on the ordinance, we respectfully request a meeting with your office to discuss how **drone business licensing** might be structured in a way that supports compliance while also fostering growth for local operators and small businesses. We believe that collaborative dialogue will ensure that Clark County and municipalities in southern Nevada remain leaders in safe and innovative UAS integration.

Feedback on the Proposed Ordinance (Section 2.70.010(J)(7))

We appreciate the County's efforts to improve safety and coordination for special events, particularly the inclusion of Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) within the ordinance. However, we would like to address one section that may have unintended consequences for drone professionals.

Under **Section 2.70.010(J)(7)**, the ordinance defines any event that "will involve the use of UAS" within 1,000 feet of certain facilities as a *special event*.

Our concerns are as follows:

1. Overly Broad Definition:

As currently written, the inclusion of UAS in this section implies that the mere presence or operation of a drone—regardless of purpose or context—automatically classifies an activity as a "special event." This could create an **undue burden** on small operators by triggering fees and permit requirements that are disproportionate to the scale of most UAS operations.

2. Ambiguity in Public Safety Determination:

The ordinance does not specify **who determines** whether a UAS operation "may impact public safety." Clear criteria are essential to ensure fair and consistent enforcement and to prevent confusion among compliant FAA-certified operators.

3. Private Property Considerations:

It is unclear whether this section applies to UAS operations conducted entirely on **private property** with the property owner's consent. Many legitimate commercial flights, such as inspections, filming, or surveying, take place in controlled environments with minimal public interaction.

Commendation on Other UAS References

We would like to **commend the County** on the other portions of the ordinance where UAS is mentioned — particularly those addressing aerial navigation and aircraft safety. These sections appropriately reflect **FAA Part 107 standards** and demonstrate an understanding

of how local regulation can complement existing federal oversight. By aligning with federal standards, Clark County is helping to promote consistency, safety, and professionalism across the industry.

Conclusion

We appreciate the County's initiative to modernize event regulations and its recognition of emerging technologies like drones. The *Southern Nevada Association of Drone Service Providers* shares your commitment to public safety and seeks to ensure that UAS policy supports innovation, compliance, and economic opportunity.

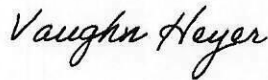
We welcome the opportunity to meet and discuss these topics in more detail, including both the proposed ordinance and future considerations for drone business licensing in Clark County.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Vaughn Heyer

Chairperson

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Vaughn Heyer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Southern Nevada Association of Drone Service Providers

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