

**Notice and Agenda  
Joint Meeting of the  
TONOPAH CONSERVATION DISTRICT and  
NORTHERN NYE CWMA  
Tonopah Convention Center  
301 W. Brougner Avenue  
Tonopah, NV 89049  
Friday, May 21, 2021 at 10:00 A.M.**

**Pursuant to the State of Nevada Governor's Guidance for COVID-19 safety measures, the Tonopah Conservation District will hold public meetings with no more than 50 people in total attending, while continuing to follow social distancing to slow the spread of COVID-19. Board members, staff, members of the public and members of the press are included in the 50-person count. Public attendance will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Masks/facial coverings are required at all times. Nye County's vulnerable population, those sheltering in place or members of the public in excess of the gathering limit of 50 people can participate by calling 1-480-660-5346 and entering access code 518344.**

**Please provide your first and last name when prompted. If you get an error message regarding call capacity, please hang up, wait a few moments and try again. The Tonopah Conservation District Board Chairman will open public comment periods by announcement. Commenters must press 5 \* on their telephone keypads to notify Administration they wish to speak. Commenters will be called upon by name.**

Supervisors: Tom Seley, Chairman  
Anthony Perchetti, Vice-Chairman  
Richard Reason, Supervisor  
Jerry Elliston, Supervisor  
Bruce Jabbour, Supervisor

**NOTE:** All items are approximate except for bid openings, public hearings, and any other items agendized at a specific time. Items on the agenda without a time designation may be taken out of order. The Board may combine two or more agenda items for consideration. The Board may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time. Items on the agenda without a time designation may not necessarily be considered in the order in which they appear on the agenda.

**Public Comment** during the District meeting on May 21, 2021 will be for all matters, both on and off the agenda, and be limited to three minutes per person. Additionally, public comment of three minutes per person will be heard during individual action items. The District reserves the right to reduce the time or limit the total time allowed for public comment. The District Supervisors may prohibit comment if the

content of the comments is a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of, the District, or if the irrational or amounting to personal attacks or interfering with the rights of other speakers. Persons are invited to submit comments in writing on the agenda items and/or attend and make comment on that item at the District meeting.

Pursuant to NRS 241.020, the Agenda for the District Meeting has been posted at the following locations. Tonopah Convention Center, 301 Brougner Avenue, Tonopah, NV; US Post Office Tonopah 201 Erie Main St., Tonopah, NV; Nye County Government Center, 101 Radar Road, Tonopah, NV; Raley's, 95 Air Force Road, Tonopah, NV. Notice of this meeting was also posted on the County and State websites at [www.co.nye.nv.us](http://www.co.nye.nv.us) and <https://notice.nv.gov>. Please contact Sherry Harrison, Secretary of Tonopah Conservation District and NNCWMA, at [tcdnevada@gmail.com](mailto:tcdnevada@gmail.com) or 928-369-6348 to obtain supporting material for the Agenda.

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**Special Note: Any member of the public who is disabled and requires accommodation or assistance at this meeting is requested to notify the Tonopah Conservation District at: [tcdnevada@gmail.com](mailto:tcdnevada@gmail.com) or by mail at P.O. Box 3023, Tonopah, NV 89049.**

- 1. Call to order, Pledge of Allegiance, Roll Call, Determination of Quorum and Introductions.**
- 2. General Public Comment (Three minute time limit per person) Action will not be taken on matters considered during this period until specifically included on an agenda as an action item. (1)**
- 3. For Possible Action – Approval of the Agenda for May 21, 2021.**
- 4. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and approval of the January 29, 2021 meeting minutes of the Tonopah Conservation District.**
- 5. Announcements.**
- 6. For Possible Action – Approval of the Tonopah Conservation District Monthly Financial Reports for January, February, March and April 2021.**

7. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and decision to approve the appointment of an applicant or nomination to the vacant Supervisor position due to not receiving any nominations to this vacancy at the TCD Mass Meeting held November 6, 2020. The position will be for a 4 year period to expire December 31, 2024.
8. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and approval of three sponsorships for the Nevada Youth Range Camp held June 20-26, 2021 at a cost of \$225.00 per camper.
9. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and approval of payment of the Nevada Association of Conservation Districts 2021 annual dues in the amount of \$600.00.
10. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and approval of the draft Annual Work Plan for fiscal year 2021-2022.
11. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and approval of the draft Proposed Annual Budget for fiscal year 2021-2022.
12. For Discussion Only – Correspondence and email regarding (a) Nevada Drought Information and USDA’s Issuance of a Secretarial Disaster Designation for counties in California that are adjacent to Nevada counties, including Nye, due to drought conditions; and (b) Agricultural Relief ARPA expanded eligibility for the [Paycheck Protection Program](#) to 501(c)5 agricultural organizations, with the USDA also currently accepting applications for the [Regional Conservation Partnership Program](#).
13. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and approval of TCD/NDF partnered grant through NDOW utilizing Habitat Conservation Fees, to cut fire breaks at Heath Miller’s Tulle Canyon property (photos provided/Lauren Williams/Duane Dory).
14. For Possible Action - Discussion, deliberation and possible decision on new grant applications, updates and modifications to current projects:
  - 14A. BLM – Existing grant for Battle Mountain District Invasive and Noxious Plant Management Grant for Inventory, Treatment, Monitoring and Site Rehabilitation (L17AC000140, Mod 4 of \$25,000 awarded July 2020, final Mod 5 of \$25,000 awarded January 2021; performance period is through 7/31/2022). Project activities in final stages.
  - 14B. BLM – New grant application to be filed for Battle Mountain District Invasive and Noxious Plant Management Grant for Inventory, Treatment, Monitoring and Site Rehabilitation (L21AS00405, Performance Period 3 years, Total Funding \$200,000).

14C. BLM possible grant project - L21AS00483 Department of the Interior Nevada Fuels Management and Community Fire Assistance Program Activities, one award of \$400,000.

15. Not for Action – Agency Reports:

A. Tri-County Weed

B. NRCS

C. BLM

D. USFS

E. DCNR

F. NDAG

G. NDF

H. FFA

I. 4-H

J. BOCC

16. The Board will recess to hold the CWMA meeting, and then reconvene to finish their work as the Tonopah Conservation District.

17. For Possible Action – To set the next meeting date for the TCD/NNCWMA.

18. General Public Comment (2)

19. Adjournment

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- 5. Announcements**
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- 7. Adjournment and reconvene to the Tonopah Conservation District.**