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City Council
Meeting of: September 6, 2023

Agenda Item No.:
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DEPARTMENT: Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs
DIRECTOR: Steve Ford

DISCUSSION

SUBJECT:

REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS:

Report by Jamie Giellis, founder and president of Centro, on the Las Vegas Arts District and a public/private partnership to ensure creative vibrancy - Ward 3 (Diaz)

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

The Las Vegas Arts District is a centerpiece of downtown and has long been a place where the local artist community has gathered, worked and showcased their work. Changing real estate dynamics are having a negative impact on keeping the arts and artists in the district. Many cities across the U.S. and beyond have taken targeted steps to support and nurture their arts districts to ensure these places continue to celebrate and create space for local creatives to thrive in the long-term, surrounded by a community that supports the. In fall 2022, following emerging concerns from the Arts District community, the city explored the dynamics impacting the Arts District to better understand its role in the district's future. This presentation will explore the consultant's recommendations to improve the Las Vegas Arts District.

RECOMMENDATION:

Report only; no action required.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Submitted at Meeting – PowerPoint Presentation by Jamie Giellis, President of Centro