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**NEVADA STATE COMMISSION ON CONSTRUCTION EDUCATION MEETING HELD THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2011 AT THE STATE CONTRACTORS BOARD, VIDEOCONFERENCED BETWEEN THE OFFICES LOCATED AT 2310 CORPORATE CIRCLE, HENDERSON, NEVADA 89074 AND 9670 GATEWAY DRIVE, RENO, NEVADA 89521**

**1. Call to Order:**

The meeting of the Nevada State Commission on Construction Education was called to order by Chairman Mike Scolari at 9:00 p.m. The oath of office was administered to new member David McElwain. All members were present.

It was noted for the record that notice of the meeting had been posted in compliance with the Open Meeting Law of the State of Nevada on May 3rd, 2011.

**2. Approval of October 15, 2010 minutes.**

It was moved and seconded to approve the October 15, 2010 minutes. The motion carried.

**3. Status Report of the Construction Education Account.**

The status report was accepted.

**4. Discussion and approval of Quarterly Reports:**

- a) Plumbing Heating Cooling Contractors of Nevada education Foundation for the period ending 12/31/10 (final report) (Grant awarded 5/12/09). The report was tabled pending the receipt of information about the type of classes that were sponsored by the grant.
- b) AGC – Las Vegas Chapter for the periods ending 9/30/10; 12/31/10 and 3/31/11 (Grant awarded 11/18/08). Linda Gibson represented AGC, Las Vegas Chapter and answered questions concerning class attendance. The quarterly reports were approved.
- c) Western Nevada College Foundation for the period ending 9/30/10 (final report) (Grant awarded 5/12/09). The report was approved.
- d) Lincoln County School District for the period ending 9/30/10 (final report) (Grant awarded 11/12/09). Marty Soderborg, Lincoln County High School principal reported on the project. The report was approved.
- e) White Pine County School District – (final report and request for approval of amended budget). (Grant awarded 5/12/09) Mark Bechtel, Assistant Superintendent for White Pine School District reported on the project and future plans. The report was approved; the commission commended White Pine School District for its project and report format and content. The commission also approved White Pine School District's request to purchase three computers and voted to allow the remainder of the grant to be expended by the White Pine School District.

- f) Nevada Chapter Associated General Contractors for the period ending 3/31/11 (Grant awarded 10/15/10) Melinda Elizondo represented the Nevada Chapter Associated General Contractors. The report was approved.
- g) Lander County School District report for period 7/1/10 – 3/31/11 (Grant awarded 11/7/06). The Commission voted to direct a letter to Lander County School District requesting immediate return of the unexpended funds for the grant awarded in November, 2006 and requesting that a representative of Lander County School District attend the November 15, 2011 meeting to provide a detailed explanation of all expenditures from the grant.
- h) ABC Sierra Nevada Chapter – final report (Grant awarded 2/28/08). The Commission approved the report.
- i) ABC Sierra Nevada Trust – final report (Grant awarded 5/12/08). The Commission tabled the matter and requested a representative attend the November 15, 2011 meeting to provide the Commission additional information concerning the number of people reached by using the grant funds.
- j) Construction Training Center – final report (Grant awarded 10/15/09). The Commission tabled the matter and requested a representative attend the November 15, 2011 meeting to answer any Commission questions.

**5. Discussion and award of grant applications:**

a. Nevada Partners, Inc., Build Nevada Program – Request \$78,150  
Jessie Walker, Program Administrator for Nevada Partners, Inc., Build Nevada Program provided an overview of the application and answered Commission questions. The Commission voted to award a grant in the amount of \$57,621 to Nevada Partners, Inc., Build Nevada Program.

**6. Public Comment**

There were no members of the public present to offer comments.

**7. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m. The next meeting of the Commission will be held Tuesday, November 15, 2011. Grant applications will be due October 15, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne Reynolds  
Recording Secretary

Approved:

Michael Scolari  
Chairman