

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—ASSEMBLYMAN DINI

FEBRUARY 20, 2001

JOINT SPONSOR: SENATOR AMODEI

Referred to Committee on Transportation

SUMMARY—Expresses support for projects for economic development at Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center. (BDR R-763)

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EXPLANATION – Matter in ***bolded italics*** is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

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- 1 WHEREAS, Many rural counties in Nevada currently suffer from a
2 decline in existing tax revenue, resulting in poorly maintained roads,
3 antiquated water systems, and underfunded schools and police and fire
4 departments; and
5 WHEREAS, The horizon, nevertheless, looks bright for two Nevada
6 counties because a new project promises many benefits and opportunities;
7 and
8 WHEREAS, The Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center is a large industrial and
9 business development under construction in Storey and Lyon counties; and
10 WHEREAS, The Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center will generate millions of
11 dollars in new tax revenue per year for Storey County and the State of
12 Nevada, and will employ thousands of workers thereby benefiting the
13 overall economy of the state; and
14 WHEREAS, The developers of the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center have
15 invested a substantial amount of money to develop the infrastructure
16 required for the construction and operation of the center; and
17 WHEREAS, The power generation plant under construction at the Tahoe-
18 Reno Industrial Center will provide a new resource for power in this state
19 and help to avoid shortages of power in Northern Nevada; and
20 WHEREAS, The Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center is working with The
21 Nature Conservancy to develop a 400-acre, 5-mile-long nature preserve on
22 the McCarran Ranch property which currently provides habitat for many
23 species of wildlife and over 125 species of birds, thereby enabling The
24 Nature Conservancy to restore the area to its full ecological potential; and
25 WHEREAS, The developers of the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center are
26 working with the Department of Transportation to develop the Interstate



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1 Highway No. 80 Interchange and State Route No. 567 that will connect
2 Interstate Highway No. 80 and U.S. Highway 50 and will donate the right
3 of way for the construction of State Route No. 567; and

4 WHEREAS, The construction of the Interstate Highway No. 80
5 Interchange and State Route No. 567 will help to ensure that the economic
6 benefits resulting from the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center in Storey County
7 will inure as well to the economic benefit of Carson City and Lyon County;
8 now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE
10 CONCURRING, That the Nevada Legislature commends Storey County and
11 the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center for their leadership in helping to
12 diversify the economy of this state and create a substantial number of jobs
13 in Northern Nevada; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature supports the efforts of Storey
15 County and the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center to develop additional
16 capacity for the generation of energy in Northern Nevada; and be it further

17 RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature commends the developers of
18 the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center for their vision and commitment to the
19 economic development of this state; and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature commends the efforts of the
21 Board of County Commissioners of Storey County, the Commission on
22 Economic Development and the Economic Development Authority of
23 Western Nevada for their support of projects for economic development at
24 the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center; and be it further

25 RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit
26 a copy of this resolution to Governor Kenny Guinn, Lieutenant Governor
27 Lorraine Hunt, each member of the Commission on Economic
28 Development and each member of the Board of County Commissioners of
29 Storey County.

