## Assembly Bill No. 136-Committee on Government Affairs

## CHAPTER.....

AN ACT relating to local governments; authorizing the creation of a general improvement district for the establishment of an area or zone for the preservation of one or more species or subspecies of wildlife threatened with extinction; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** Chapter 318 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

In the case of a district created wholly or in part for the establishment of an area or zone for the preservation of one or more species or subspecies of wildlife that has been declared endangered or threatened pursuant to the federal Endangered Species Act of 1973, 16 U.S.C. §§ 1531 et seq., the board shall have the power to:

- 1. Establish, control, manage and operate or provide money for the establishment, control, management and operation of the
- 2. Purchase, sell, exchange or lease real property, personal property and other interests in property, except water rights, as necessary for the establishment, control, management and operation of the area or zone.
- **Sec. 2.** NRS 318.116 is hereby amended to read as follows: 318.116 Any one, all or any combination of the following basic powers may be granted to a district in proceedings for its organization, or its reorganization pursuant to NRS 318.077 and all provisions in this chapter supplemental thereto, or as may be otherwise provided by statute:
- 1. Furnishing electric light and power, as provided in NRS 318.117;
- 2. Extermination and abatement of mosquitoes, flies, other insects, rats, and liver fluke or Fasciola hepatica, as provided in NRS 318.118;
- 3. Furnishing facilities or services for public cemeteries, as provided in NRS 318.119;
- 4. Furnishing facilities for swimming pools, as provided in NRS 318.1191;
- 5. Furnishing facilities for television, as provided in NRS 318.1192;
- 6. Furnishing facilities for FM radio, as provided in NRS 318.1187;

- 7. Furnishing streets and alleys, as provided in NRS 318.120;8. Furnishing curbs, gutters and sidewalks, as provided in NRS 318.125:
  - 9. Furnishing sidewalks, as provided in NRS 318.130;
- 10. Furnishing facilities for storm drainage or flood control, as provided in NRS 318.135;
- 11. Furnishing sanitary facilities for sewerage, as provided in NRS 318.140:
- 12. Furnishing facilities for lighting streets, as provided in NRS 318.141;
- 13. Furnishing facilities for the collection and disposal of garbage and refuse, as provided in NRS 318.142;
- 14. Furnishing recreational facilities, provided NRS 318.143:
- 15. Furnishing facilities for water, provided in NRS 318.144;
  - 16. Furnishing fencing, as provided in NRS 318.1195;
- 17. Furnishing facilities for protection from fire, as provided in NRS 318.1181;
- 18. Furnishing energy for *space* heating, as provided in NRS 318.1175;
- 19. Furnishing emergency medical services, as provided in NRS 318.1185; [and]
- 20. Control and eradication of noxious weeds, as provided in chapter 555 of NRS [...]; and
- 21. Establishing, controlling, managing and operating an area or zone for the preservation of one or more species or subspecies of wildlife that has been declared endangered or threatened pursuant to the federal Endangered Species Act of 1973, 16 U.S.C. §§ 1531 et seq.
  - **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2003.