

Amendment No. 52

Assembly Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 129	(BDR 10-34)
Proposed by: Assembly Committee on Judiciary	
Amends: Summary: No Title: No Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: No	

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EXPLANATION: Matter in (1) *blue bold italics* is new language in the original bill; (2) *green bold italic underlining* is new language proposed in this amendment; (3) ~~red strikethrough~~ is deleted language in the original bill; (4) ~~purple double strikethrough~~ is language proposed to be deleted in this amendment; (5) orange double underlining is deleted language in the original bill that is proposed to be retained in this amendment; and (6) *green bold dashed underlining* is newly added transitory language.

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Date: 4/2/2009

A.B. No. 129—Revises provisions governing common-interest communities.
(BDR 10-34)



ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 129—ASSEMBLYMEN CONKLIN, ANDERSON, OCEGUERA, DONDERO LOOP, GRADY, HORNE, KIRKPATRICK, MORTENSON, OHRENSCHALL AND PARNELL

FEBRUARY 4, 2009

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

SUMMARY—Revises provisions governing common-interest communities. (BDR 10-34)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No. Effect on the State: No.

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

AN ACT relating to common-interest communities; providing that the provisions governing common-interest communities do not modify the tariffs, rules and standards of a public utility; requiring the governing documents of an association to be consistent with the tariffs, rules and standards of a public utility; prohibiting an association from restricting the parking of certain utility service vehicles, law enforcement vehicles and emergency services vehicles; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 **Section 1** of this bill: (1) states that the provisions of chapter 116 of NRS do not modify
2 the tariffs, rules and standards of a public utility; and (2) provides that the governing
3 documents of associations of common-interest communities must be consistent and not
4 conflict with the tariffs, rules and standards of a public utility.

5 **Section 2** of this bill prohibits an association of any common-interest community from
6 restricting the parking of certain utility service vehicles, law enforcement vehicles and
7 emergency services vehicles.

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

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 116 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new
2 section to read as follows:

3 *1. The provisions of this chapter do not invalidate or modify the tariffs,
4 rules and standards of a public utility.*

5 *2. The governing documents of an association must be consistent and not
6 conflict with the tariffs, rules and standards of a public utility. Any provision of
7 the governing documents which conflicts with the tariffs, rules and standards of a
8 public utility is void and may not be enforced against a purchaser.*

1 3. *As used in this section, “public utility” has the meaning ascribed to it in*
2 *NRS 704.020.*

3 **Sec. 2.** NRS 116.350 is hereby amended to read as follows:

4 116.350 1. In a common-interest community which is not gated or enclosed
5 and the access to which is not restricted or controlled by a person or device, the
6 executive board shall not and the governing documents must not provide for the
7 regulation of any road, street, alley or other thoroughfare the right-of-way of which
8 is accepted by the State or a local government for dedication as a road, street, alley
9 or other thoroughfare for public use.

10 2. ~~The~~ *Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, the* provisions of
11 subsection 1 do not preclude an association from adopting, and do not preclude the
12 governing documents of an association from setting forth, rules that reasonably
13 restrict the parking or storage of ~~inoperable vehicles,~~ recreational vehicles,
14 watercraft, trailers or commercial **motor** vehicles in the common-interest
15 community to the extent authorized by law.

16 3. *In any common-interest community, the executive board shall not and*
17 *the governing documents must not prohibit a person from:*

18 (a) *Parking a utility service vehicle that has a gross vehicle weight rating of*
19 *20,000 pounds or less ~~for a driveway, road, street, alley or other thoroughfare~~:*

20 (1) ~~While~~ *In an area designated for parking for visitors, or on the*
21 *driveway of or in front of the unit of a subscriber or consumer, while the person*
22 *is engaged in any activity relating to the delivery of public utility services to*
23 *subscribers or consumers; or*

24 (2) ~~If~~ *In an area designated for parking for visitors, or on the driveway*
25 *of or in front of his unit, if the person is:*

26 (I) *A unit’s owner ~~is~~ or a tenant of a unit’s owner; and*

27 (II) ~~Parking the vehicle within 50 yards of his unit; and~~

28 ~~(III) Bringing the vehicle to his unit pursuant to his employment~~
29 *with the entity which owns the vehicle for the purpose of responding to requests*
30 *for public utility services; or*

31 (b) *Parking a law enforcement vehicle or emergency services vehicle ; ~~for a~~*
32 *~~driveway, road, street, alley or other thoroughfare~~*

33 (1) ~~While~~ *In an area designated for parking for visitors, or on the*
34 *driveway of or in front of the unit of a person to whom law enforcement or*
35 *emergency services are being provided, while the person is engaged in his official*
36 *duties; or*

37 (2) ~~If~~ *In an area designated for parking for visitors, or on the driveway*
38 *of or in front of his unit, if the person is:*

39 (I) *A unit’s owner ~~is~~ or a tenant of a unit’s owner; and*

40 (II) ~~Parking the vehicle within 50 yards of his unit; and~~

41 ~~(III) Bringing the vehicle to his unit pursuant to his employment~~
42 *with the entity which owns the vehicle for the purpose of responding to requests*
43 *for law enforcement services or emergency services.*

44 4. *As used in this section:*

45 (a) *“Commercial motor vehicle” has the meaning ascribed to it in 49 C.F.R.*
46 *§ 350.105.*

47 (b) *“Emergency services vehicle” means a vehicle:*

48 (1) *Owned by any governmental agency or political subdivision of this*
49 *State; and*

50 (2) *Identified by the entity which owns the vehicle as a vehicle used to*
51 *provide emergency services.*

52 (c) *“Law enforcement vehicle” means a vehicle:*

1 (1) *Owned by any governmental agency or political subdivision of this*
2 *State; and*

3 (2) *Identified by the entity which owns the vehicle as a vehicle used to*
4 *provide law enforcement services.*

5 (d) *“Utility service vehicle” means any commercial motor vehicle:*

6 (1) *Used in the furtherance of repairing, maintaining or operating any*
7 *structure or any other physical facility necessary for the delivery of public utility*
8 *services, including, without limitation, the furnishing of electricity, gas, water,*
9 *sanitary sewer, telephone, cable or community antenna service; and*

10 (2) *Except for any emergency use, operated primarily within the service*
11 *area of a utility’s subscribers or consumers, without regard to whether the*
12 *commercial motor vehicle is owned, leased or rented by the utility.*