Assembly Bill No. 238–Assemblymen Dooling, Shelton, Jones, Moore, Fiore; Edwards, Gardner, Ohrenschall, O'Neill, Seaman, Trowbridge and Wheeler

CHAPTER.....

AN ACT relating to common-interest communities; revising provisions relating to the solicitation of bids for a homeowners' association project; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Under existing law, a homeowners' association is required to open and consider bids for an association project at a meeting of its executive board. (NRS 116.31086) This bill requires an association to solicit, whenever reasonably possible, at least three bids if the association project is expected to cost: (1) in a common-interest community that consists of less than 1,000 units, 3 percent or more of the annual budget of the association; or (2) in a common-interest community that consists of 1,000 or more units, 1 percent or more of the annual budget of the association. This bill further specifies that the contents of bids which are opened at a meeting of the executive board must be read aloud.

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

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

Sections 1 and 1.5. (Deleted by amendment.)

- **Sec. 2.** NRS 116.31086 is hereby amended to read as follows: 116.31086 1. If an association solicits bids for an association project [, the]:
- (a) The association must, whenever reasonably possible, solicit at least three bids if the association project is expected to cost:
- (1) In a common-interest community that consists of less than 1,000 units, 3 percent or more of the annual budget of the association; or
- (2) In a common-interest community that consists of 1,000 or more units, 1 percent or more of the annual budget of the association; and
- **(b)** The bids must be opened and read aloud during a meeting of the executive board.
- 2. As used in this section, "association project" includes, without limitation, a project that involves the maintenance, repair, replacement or restoration of any part of the common elements or which involves the provision of *professional* services to the association ..., including, without limitation, accounting, engineering and legal services.



Sec. 3. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2015.

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