

## Welcome to Nevada

Reno-Sparks & the Truckee Meadows Area



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## Welcome

### Welcome to the Area



## Dickson Realty is excited to welcome you and your family to the Reno/Sparks and Truckee Meadows area.

Truckee Meadows is an exciting and dynamic area. From the breathtaking setting, surrounded by the majestic Sierra Nevada to Lake Tahoe to the Truckee River, which flows through the heart of the city, beauty abounds. An area busy with highways and commerce, bordering rolling ranches and farmlands, your first impression of the area is one of diversity. This impression is fitting, because diversity describes every aspect of this Western Nevada community.

Truckee Meadows is the community you would invent if it did not already exist: strategically located for business, diverse employment opportunities, affordable housing, quality educational facilities, comfortable climate (with four distinct seasons), quality lifestyles and promise for a bright future.

At Dickson Realty we are intensely aware of the degree of knowledge and expertise needed to compete successfully in the real estate markets of today . We have over 270 sales associates, each with the ultimate goal of establishing a long-term relationship with you, in hopes of retaining your business and friendship for years to come . All of our agents are provided with marketing tools to provide you with the most current market information .

We are proud of our community and our reputation for providing quality service.





# Government & Community

## Government & Community





The cities of Reno and Sparks are within Washoe County. Both cities work closely with the county to achieve the overall vision for the community. This area is very committed to maintaining the quality of life and many of the citizens are involved in organizations to achieve that goal.

#### **Washoe County**

www.washoecounty.us

Washoe County is governed by a county commission and county manager. The Board of Commissioners for Washoe County has five members. The board annually elects a chairman and vice chairman, and the appointed county manager plays an advisory role in their meetings.

#### **City of Reno**

www reno gov

The Reno City Council is a seven-member voting board made up of a mayor and six council members . The council is elected by the people to govern the community and, in turn, a city manager is appointed to carry out the council's directives . The council sets policy, approves the budget and determines tax rates .

#### **City of Sparks**

www.cityofsparks.us

The Sparks City Council is comprised of five elected officials serving staggered terms . The separately elected Sparks mayor participates in council meetings but does not vote except to break a tie or exercise veto power over the council; however, the Mayor is a voting member of the Sparks Redevelopment Agency .

#### **Truckee Meadows Regional Planning**

www.tmrpa.org

This agency provides a forum for collaboration and communication on a variety of important topics, from fiscal structure to legislative proposals to the Truckee River Corridor and Quality of Life Indicators . A Truckee Meadows regional plan has been developed and is reviewed every five years.

#### **Nevada State Government**

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Nevada's constitutional form of state government is made up of three branches: executive, legislative, and judicial . The executive branch includes approximately 15,436 full-time employees throughout the state, excluding the University of Nevada system . The governor, elected every four years by popular vote, serves as the state's chief executive officer. The legislature has 63 members; 42 in the assembly and 21 in the senate .

#### **Voter Registration**

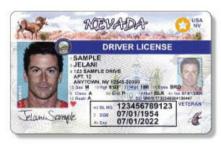
www.co.washoe.nv.us/voters

You may register to vote at the Department of Motor Vehicles, or by picking up a mail-in application form at many convenient locations throughout the County, including the post offices, libraries, senior citizen centers, public agencies, and union halls . You may contact the Registrar of Voters at (775)328-3670 or go online to www .co .washoe .nv .us/voters .

## Department of Motor Vehicles

#### **Driver's License Information**

The state of Nevada requires new residents to apply for a Nevada driver's license within 30 days of establishing residency.



#### To obtain a Nevada Driver's license:

You will need ONE of the following documents to prove name and age:

- Valid Driver's license from your prior state
- Original certified copy of your state-issued birth certificate
- Military identification
- Certificate of citizenship or naturalization or INS document: ONE document which provides Social Security number
- Social Security card, Military ID, Pilot License, DD-214, or previous drivers license if SS# is included

#### **Registration Information**

#### To obtain a Nevada vehicle registration:

The state of Nevada requires new residents to register their vehicle with 30 days of establishing residency. You will need:

- Prior license plates and vehicle registration certificate
- Proof of Nevada liability insurance (available from your insurance agent)
- Smog Inspection Certificate from an authorized inspection station



#### Insurance Requirements

Vehicle owners in Nevada are required to carry liability insurance and proof must be kept in the vehicle at all times . Minimum requirements are \$15,000 bodily injury, \$30,000 per person per accident, and \$10,000 property damage.

#### Driver's License Testing

All applicants must have their vision tested when applying for a Nevada driver's license. All other tests may be waived if you meet all the following conditions:

- You have a current valid license in your possession from another state
- You have a clean driving record and no more than 2 moving violations in the last 4 years
- You have no restrictions to your driving privilege that may require reevaluation
- You are age 25 or older at time of application

For more information please visit the website or visit one of our local offices.

## **Department of Motor Vehicle Locations**

#### Main office

The Reno/Sparks area has one full service office and all drivers' license, registration and title services can be performed at this office.

For more information, 775-684-4368 oww www.dmvnv.com

#### DMV Kiosk Services

The Nevada DMV and private partners are pleased to offer self- service kiosks at many locations throughout the Silver State .

Kiosk transactions are simple and fast. Your records are updated instantly. The kiosk dispenses your registration and plate decal or driver history printout on the spot. Services

are

offered in English and Spanish with voice assistance. For Kiosk locations, visit www.nvdmvnowkiosk.com

## Libraries





To learn about locations and hours of operation visit<sub>www.washoecount.ylibrar.y.us</sub>.

General Information	Sparks
	2 <mark>Sparks Branch Library</mark> (775) 352-3200 1125 12th St, Sparks
Reno  Downtown Reno Central	Spanish Springs
Incline Village	
845 Alder Ave, Bldg . A, Incline Village North Valleys	V.erd.i
1075 N . Hills Blvd, Ste 340, Reno	
Northwest Library	(775) 787-4100
2325 Robb Dr, Reno	
Sierra View	(775) 827-3232
Reno Town Mall, 4001 S . Virginia St, Reno	
South Valleys	(775) 851-5190
15650 A Wedge Pkwy Reno	

## Post Offices



For locations and hours of operation call 800-275-8777 or visitps://tools.usps.com/go/

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Reno Main	<b>Sparks Main</b>
<b>South Reno</b>	Golden Gate Petroleum(775) 358-7400 1055 S . Rock Blvd .
Washington	546 Greenbrae Drive
University Reno	<b>Vista Station</b>
Shopper's Square Mall	
<b>Sak 'n' Save Station #3</b> (775) 355-9351 1901 Silverada Blvd .	
The Office Boss Mail Center(775) 825-5511 3495 Lakeside Drive	

Snarks

# **Important Information**

## Important Phone Numbers & Websites

<b>Business Information</b>	Internet, Phone & Cable
Reno/Sparks Chamber of Commerce . (775) 636-9550 www.thechambernv.org	AT&T
Washoe County Business License(775) 328-3733	Spectrum
Government	<b>Local Information</b>
City of Reno www.reno.gov	Channel 2 KŢVN (775) 858-2222 www.ktvn.com
City of Sparks www.sparkscity.com	Channel 4 KRNV (775) 322-4444 www.mynews4.com
County Manager :(775)·328-2000	Channel 8 KOLO (775) 858-8888 www.kolot v.com
Dept. of Motor Vehicles (775) 684-4368 www.dmvnv.com	Reno Gazette Journal
Economic Development of Western	
Nevada	Medical Facilities Renown Regional Medical Center
Reno City Manager	www.renown.org  Downtown Center
Sparks City Manager(775) 353-2310 www.sparkscity.com	South Meadows Center (775) 982-7700  Northern Nevada Medical Center (775) 331-7000
Tax Assessor's Office(775) 328-2277	237 19 19 19 1 Way 1 4 8 9 1 4 9 8 7 8 9 4 3 4 www.nnmc.com
Washoe County Treasurer's Office:(775) 328-2510 www.co.washoe.nv.us Washoe County	Saint Mary's Medical Center (775) 770-3000 235 W . 6th Street, Reno, 89503 www.saintmarysreno.com
www.co.washoe.nv.us Washoe County Health Dept(775) 328-2400 www.co.washoe.nv.us	VA-Ioannis A. Lougaris Medical Center(775) 786-7200 975 Kirman Avenue, Reno, 89502 www.va.gov/sierra-nevada-health-care/

#### **Miscellaneous**

Child Support Enforcement ......7200 .(775)

Climate information 789-7100

www.weather.gov/climate/local\_data\_php?wfo = rev

#### **Real Estate Information**

Reno/Sparks Board of Realtors . . . . . (775) 823-8800

www.rsar.net

Nevada Association of Realtors . . . . . . . (775) 829-5911

www.nvar.org

#### **Schools**

Washoe County School District .....(775) 348-0200 www.washoeschools.net

www.unr.edu

Truckee Meadows Community College .(775) 673-7000

www.tmcc.edu

#### **Utilities**

GARBAGE

Waste Management/Disposal .... (775) 329-8822 www.wastemanagement.com

POWER & GAS

Nevada Energy . . . . . . . . . (7.7.5) 834-4444

www<u>.nvenergy.com</u>

Southwest Gas .....(877) 860-6020

www.swgas.com

**SEWER** 

Washoe County . . . . . . . . . . . . (775) 954-4601

www.co.washoe.nv.us

www.reno.gov

City of Sparks .....(775) 353-2360

ww<u>w.sparkscity.com</u>

Washoe County Well & Septic  $\dots$  .(775) 328-2434

WATER

www.utilitiesinc-usa.com

Truckee Meadows Water Authority (775) 834-8000

www.tmh20.com

Nevada Water Resource Division

www.water.nv.gov



## Employmen t Information

## **Employment Information**

#### **Employment Agencies**

Robert Half Talent Solutions	Kelly Services
The Applied Companies	ProLogistix
Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation (775) 823-8100 1325 Corporate Blvd, Reno www.detr.nv.gov	Reno Jobconnect

### **Top 20 Employers in Washoe County**

EMPLOYER	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES
Washoe County School District	8,50
University of Nevada, Reno	0+
Renown Regional Medical Center	4,50
Washoe County	O +
Peppermill Hotel Casino	3,00
Grand Sierra Resort & Casino	0+
Silver Legacy Resort Casino	2,50
IGT	0+
Atlantis Casino Resort	2,00
Saint Mary's	0+
	1500

EMPLOYER		NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES
Eldorado Hotel & C	Casino	1,000
City of Reno		+
Sierra Nevada Healthcare		1,000
John Ascuaga's Nu	ıgget	+
Circus Circus Casinos		1,000
UPS		+
Amazon.com		1,000
Truckee	Meadows	+
Community Colleg	ge Integrity	1,000
Staffing Solutions		+
City of Sparks		1,000















## **Business Information**







#### Why Incorporate in Nevada?

- No Corporate Income
- No Taxes on Corporate Shares
- No Franchise Tax
- No Personal Income Tax
- No I.R.S. Information Sharing
- · Agreement Nominal Annual Fees
- · Minimal Reporting and Disclosure
- Requirements Stockholders are not of Public Record

#### **Additional Advantages**

- Stockholders, directors and officers need not live of meetings in Nevada, or even be U.S. Citizens.
- · Directors need not be Stockholders .
- Officers and directors of a Nevada corporation can protected from personal liability for lawful acts of t corporation.
- Nevada corporations may purchase, hold, sell or tr shares of its own stock.
- Nevada corporations may issue stock for capital, so personal property, or real estate, including leases a options. The directors may determine the value of these transactions, and their decision is final.

Information provided by the Nevada Secretary of St

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## Starting a Business in Nevada





#### State of Nevada w w w.nv.gov

#### **Development & Relocation**

Administers Incentive Programs for Businesses Considering Starting or Relocating to Nevada www.goed.nv.gov

#### Division of Industrial Relations

dir ny gov

Management Assistance Partnership (MAP) Business and Technical Assistance www.mapnv.com

Nevada Small Business Development General Business Start Up www.nevadashdc.org

#### Nevada Secretary of State's Office

New and Existing Corporations, Limited Liability Companies and other Business Entities www.nvsos.gov

#### Commercial Sales & Leasing

For information on Commercial Real Estate, cont of our agents from our sister company.

www.dicksoncg.com



#### Nevada Labor Commissioner

Labor and Wage Laws and Rates www.lahorcommissioner.com

**Nevada Department of Taxation** 

Information on Business Taxes tax nv gov

#### Office of Business Finance & Planning

Workers' Comp Insurance and Workplace Safety Private Activity Bond Financing for Small Manufact and Certain Non-Profit and Solid Waste Disposal P www.nv.gov

> **UNR Center for Economic Development** Research and Technical Assistance

www.unr.edu/husiness/centers/uced



# Education & Family Services



#### **Academic Opportunities**

High School Signature Academy - Washoe County School District's Signature Academies are an innovative ap

Advanced Placement - The AP Program accelerates ensuring college and career readiness for all stu learning by exposing students to college-level matabilitiative creates career and industry-based pr through an advanced Placement course at their highsphadipating high school that prepare studer

Gifted and Talented - The National Association fowerk fedice of tomorrow .

Children (NAGC) outlines both required and exemplary

standards which serve as benchmarks for measurk 212 tSchools education program effectiveness.

The Davidson Academy - Opened in 2006 and loc Washoe County School District on the University of Nevada, Reno campus, The Dawywashoeschools.net

Academy is the first public school of its kind for profoundly.

The Washoe County School District includes the Re gifted middle and high school students.

International Baccalaureate - The International

academic areas.

Sparks metropolitan area, Incline Village, Gerlach, and Wadsworth. There are 63 elementary schools, Baccalaureate (IB) Program is a comprehensive applucation school, 14 middle schools and 13 compre rigorous curriculum designed to prepare studentគ្រាំទ្រក់ echools . High school students may also apply balanced quality university education that integrateered Truckee Meadows Community College High (a magnet school), Washoe Innovations High School alternative school), or the Academy for Arts, Career

Technology which offers a wide range of advance title Flower Catholic School occupational classes .Additionally, the District sponsore sight Drive, Reno ...... (775) 323-2931 public charter schools. Coral Academy of Science | Grades 6-12 For enrollment in elementary, middle or high sch the Washoe County School District, 425 E. 9th Street, Reno. (775) 749,0300 C. " (775) 323-2332 (775) 348-0200. Call or email the communication sist of polyago Catholic High School | Grades 9-12 request a "Welcome Packet." It contains a comprehe Bsirep Manogue Drive, Reno (775) 336-6000

report on all of the district's 87 schools, including test

scores, student and staff demographics, expendit Sierra, Nevada Academy | Pre-School-8th Grade size and much more.

#### **Private & Charter Schools**

Sage Ridge School

Brookfield School

#### Bailey Charter Elementary School | K-6 210 Gentry Way, Reno . . . . (775) 398-1000

High Desert Montessori School | K-8

2515 Crossbow Court, Reno...... (775) 852-6222 2590 Orovada St, Reno...... (775) 624-2800

Nevada Sage Waldorf School | K-8

6800 S. McCarran Blvd, Reno. ... (775) 825-0257 565 Reactor Way, Reno . . . . . (775) 348-6622

#### **Colleges**

University Nevada, Reno (UNR)

www.unr.edu .....(775) 784-1110

The older of our state's two universities, the campus in Reno was opened in 1885 as a land-grant institution. UNR is accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges. There are a wide variety of programs offered

by each of the fully accredited 10 colleges and schools

including over 145 bachelor's degrees, 70 master's programs,

36 doctoral specialties, 3 ED's, and 1 MD. Some of t colleges include: Engineering, Business Adminis Mining, Agriculture, Logistics and School of Med the university has a fully accredited evening MB to accommodate full-time working students. O students enjoy the beauty of the nationally rate as well as athletic teams that receive regular red

national attention.





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Truckee Meadows Community College (TMCC)  www.tmcc.edu(775) 673	United States and on every continent. With
<u>www.tmcc.e</u> au(775) 673	more than 500 employees and
Truckee Meadows Community College is a comp	rewensiyen campuses in Reno and Las Vegas,
community college located in Reno, Nevada, and the Nevada System of Higher Education .The Col	Negatia Du generates \$30 million in total
more than 25 000 students each year in credit as	
credit programs at five educational sites and mo	DRI's faculty members are nontenured,
community locations .	entrepreneurial and
TMCC is northern Nevada's jobs college, preparir	
students for jobs in industries right here in Neva	external grants and
students for jobs in industries right here in Neva 95% of our students remain in Nevada after com	pretring their
studies, helping to build and support our local c	
TMCC students, graduates, employees and infras	the following the properties of DRI action by the station of the second
put more than \$678 million into the region's eco year .	
	technical school has 359 students and busyiness iske fasilited.
TMCC is continually growing and finding new war prepare students for jobs in our community. Offer	training in electronic technology, data
academic and university transfer, occupational t	raiminessina
career enhancement workshops and classes just	
TMCC is the fastest growing college in northern	Manager and Legal
	office management. 445-3000 Western Nevada College is a
Desert Research Institute (DRI)	comprehensive community
www.dri.edu	7530 bege that serves more than 5,000 students
Desert Research Institute (DRI) is the environme	each year
research arm of the Nevada System of Higher Ed	uçation
DRI conducts cutting-edge applied research in a	than 10,000 ir, land and
	.tnan 19,009 air, land and square miles. One of four community _colleges in the
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#### Special Programs for Higher Education and System of Higher Education, it is

#### Nevada Prepaid Tuition Program

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Northwest Caromies penses Colleges and In an effort to help parents save for higher education ensities. a structured way, allowing Nevadan's the opportuth ty Nevada Prepaid Tuition Program, administered purchase college tuition at today's price for use in the furersurer through the Board of Trustees of the when their child is ready to attend college, the N&AlegetSawings Plans, is a qualified 529 plan. Fund Legislature established the Nevada Prepaid Tuitione position managed in the Nevada Higher Edu (Program) in 1997. Tuition Trust Fund.

The Program is offered pursuant to Nevada Revises noted above, the Program allows you to purchas Statutes (NRS) 353 B and the Nevada Administrative of the West College tuition at today's rates. The Property of the Nevada Administrative of the West College tuition at today's rates. (NAC) 353B. Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Code Seferis flexibility and portability and provides a varie 529 authorizes states and state agencies to establishians and payment options. When the student is maintain tax-advantaged qualified tuition programsuisatenis/eler benefits, the Program will pay for the

of undergraduate credit hours previously paid for The theholarships apply to students attending University Purchaser. At the time the beneficiary graduates the ward of the University Disburses the Fuschool, and attends college, the Program will pay the line enrollment in a minimum of 12 credits of state rate of credit hours at two and four year public colleges is required. Remedial coursework may and universities located in Nevada, or transfer the included in the 12 credit requirement. However, the rate of credit hours to any eligible institution on behalf of the cannot pay the fees for remedial cours student. In other words, when your child is ready, the tamount will vary based on enrollment from a college, the number of tuition credit hours purchased years of \$960 per semester for 12 credits up to \$1,200 for ago, are ready and waiting!

#### Governor Guinn Millennium Scholarship Program

beginning of each semester. If charges remain after the semester is charges remain after the semester in 1999, Governor Kenny Guinn's Millennium Scholarship disburses the student is responsible for initiative was enacted into law by the Nevada Legislature. Section 396.911 of the Nevada Revised Statutes created.

· The scholarship is applied to the student's accour

the Millennium Scholarship Trust Fund to be administed deposit into the student's checking account by the State Treasurer. Later that year, the Nevactor's leading if a student has enrolled in this option the of Higher Education's Board of Regents adopted bandyNEVADA finances section of the Student Cerand procedure guidelines for the administration of the board and residual funds remain after the accessful completion of the successful completion of the student in full.

rigorous program of study at Nevada high schools, riphastate aid may be revised to accommodate the has seen a significant, positive impact – more than depletends such as an additional scholarship where the number of students are attending our collegens and fall aid exceeds the student's budget universities since the program began.



## Youth Activities

games, and prizes.

Animal Ark 1265 Deer Lodge Rd, Reno(775) 9	National Automobile Museum 97010311ake St. South, Reno(775) 333-93
scenic, natural setting of the park enhances th life for animals that lack the necessary skills to	
the wild, including snow leopards, lynx, lions ar Enjoy close-up encounters with wildlife and lea	nd <b>Sierra Safari Zoo</b> arn 0286 W <sup>it</sup> Virginia St, Reno
educational displays and docents .	(775) 677-1101 Enjoy the companionship and
Family Fun Center Boomtown Hotel Casino	closeness of tame, gentle, beautiful animals from around the world.
2100 Boomtown Garson Rd, Verdi	Sierra Safari Zoo promotes the small zoo
(775) 345-8702 Indoor carousel, arcade	experience with
games, Motion Theater and shooting gallery will delight kids of all ages  Fleischmann Planetarium	Terry Pecewells on and the excitement of NV Discovery Museum m, fascinating animals. 490 South Center St, Reno
University of Nevada, Reno  1664 N . Virginia St, Reno	A hands-on museum dedicated to inspiring lifelong in science, technology, engineering, art, math, and around us .
star shows, exhibit galleries, telescope viewing, plus riveting Sky Dome <b>Fun</b> ie <b>Quest &amp; the Ultimate Rush</b>	Wilbur D. May Center Ranch San Rafael Park
Speed/ Thrill Park Grand Sierra Resort & Casino 2500 E . Second St, Reno	99145 natural setting
Rose Garden Idlewild Park 1900 Idlewild Dr, Reno	Welcome to a water paradise with water slides, kid pools, wave pool, miniature golf, go-carts race trac a complete bowling alley .
(775) 334-2270 Families and couples will be	
mesmerized by the 200 varieties of roses . In peak seasons, the entire rose garden	
Midway Carnival Games rly July and late Circus Gircus Hotel/Casino 500 N . Sierra Str, Reno	

## Youth & Family Services

#### **Youth Services**

Boy Scouts of America	State of Nevada Welfare
.Children's Cabinet (775)	.Washoe County Social ServicesYoung 7200 (775)
.Dance Unlimited	Life of Northern Nevada 785-8600 .
.Family Counseling Services .Girl (775) 250-	Boys & Girls Club (775) 356-
Scouts Sierra NV Council Nevada7924 (775)	2999 .(775)
Performing ArtsSparks Teen329-0623 .	Junior Achievement1st 331-5437
Challenge (775) 322-	Tee of Northern Nevada (775) 323-
0642 (775)	8084 .(775)
Day Care Providers 450-4086	851-2332

Please check with the Departments of Social Services, socials vs@washoecounty.us for licensing compliance. To find more daycare providers call the Children's Cabinet, (775)

856-6200.

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Brookfield's	
Blue Kangaroo Learning Center, Double Diamond	
Child Garden	•
also 4 other locations .	.(775) 322-
Lion & Lamb Christian School	3471 (775)
Noah's Ark Child Center	747-7769 .
One World Children's Academy	(775) 747-
	3775 (775)
	856-8339

St. Albert Child Development Center
Truckee Meadows Community Day  Care(7.75) 674-7515  SPARKS
Imagination Station (775) 626-
A Gr8 Start
The Early Years358-8168
KinderCare



## Resources for Seniors

Low rental and home prices, friendly tax structure, state-of-the-art health care facilities and mild climate combine to help make Nevada perfect for seniors.

Adult Daycare Program	.(775) 328-
AARP	2591 · · .(7.7.5) ·
Catholic Community Services	323-2243 .
RTC Access/Citi-Lift	(775) 322-
Crisis Call Center	7073 (775).
Division for Aging Services	348-5438
Elder Care Locator	(775) 784-
Foster Grandparent Program	8090 (775)
(DETR) Job Opportunities in Nevada .	688-2964 .
Lend-a-Hand Senior Services	(800) 677-
Meals on Wheels	11.16(.775).
Medicaid	358-2768
Medicare, Reno Office	(775) 684-
Nevada Consumer Affairs	0350 .(775)
Reno Housing Authority	322-8414 .
Northern Nevada Center for Independent	(775) 328-
Living	(775) 353-3599· 2575) .(775)

Retired Senior Volunteer Program (775) 784-1807
Sanford Center for Aging (UNR)(775) 784-4774
Senior Bridges
Senior Companion Program (775) 358-2322
Social Security Administration (888) 808-5481
VA Benefits Info/Assistance (800) 827-1000
VA Medical Center(775) 786-7200
Washoe County Senior Law Project (775) 334-3050

#### **Senior Centers**





## Pet Information







#### **Local Animal Shelters**

#### Washoe County Animal Services

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www.nevadahumanesociet v.org

www.spcanevada.org

#### **Local Dog Parks**

#### Sparks Marina

Gated swimming area for dogs
Off of Howard Drive, Sparks

#### Rancho San Rafael Park

Large ungated field for dogs

Corner of N McCarran and North Virginia, Reno

#### Whitaker Park

1 acre gated area for dogs 550 University Terrace, Reno

#### Virginia Lake Park

All dogs in Washoe County must have licenses and rables tags. Rabies shots are required every two years. Cats are ly gated area for small dogs not required to have rabies tags, but state law requires of Mountainview & Lakeside annual rabies shots. In the incorporated cities of Reno and Sparks, a leash must restrain all dogs. Each house linden Valley Regional Park limited to three adult dogs and three adult cats: Previewed dog park area special pet fancier licenses allow up to six dogs of the Parkway Drive, Reno

## **Area Information**

## Area Climate Figures



#### Climate

The Truckee Meadows is located at average elevations of 4,400 feet above sea level . The region lies in a reast of the Sierra Nevada Range. The Truckee River flows from Lake Tahoe eastward through Reno and dra Pyramid Lake to the Northeast of Reno/Sparks .

Daily temperatures on the whole are mild, but the difference between high and low temperatures in summ degrees . Afternoon temperatures in winter are moderate .

#### **Precipitation**

Annual Rainfall
Wettest Month Reno/Sparks
Driest MonthDecember (1.02")
Annual SnowfallJuly
Humidity, Average (.18")
4 am .21.9 inches .66%

#### **Temperature**

Annual A	verage	
High	.67	.8
	degrees	
Low	37	.1
Summer High	degrees .89	.3
	degrees	
.Low	52	.3
Winter High	degrees 47	.7
	degrees	
.Low	23	.7
	degrees	

### Arts & Recreation









#### Recreation

#### **Events**

Reno/Sparks/Tahoe's natural beauty and its distinctiveno/Sparks/Tahoe is home to the Reno/Tahoe open, four-season climate combine to offer almost every typoet of ugust Nights, The Reno Rodeo, Reno National recreational activity. The majestic Sierra Nevada mcContamipisonship Air Races, Great Reno Balloon Races, form the western boundary of the Truckee Meadows Neetioniang Bowling Stadium, and Shakespeare at Lake Talpine and Nordic skiing at 18 major resorts. Fishing crading per events include: Cinco de Mayo, Italian Fesswimming, hiking, biking, camping, and horseback rickiengoa Wee at Coast Wine Competition Tasting, and Holid exceptional and less than half an hour away in the number of the area's most successful eventual and less than half an hour away in the number of the area's most successful eventual and less than half an hour away in the number of the area's most successful eventual and less the jewel of the Sierras and in addition peof threning arts festival in the country because of the unlimited recreational opportunities hosts the Shakes peer at take place during the entire month of July Festival and Lake Tahoe Summer Music Festival.

#### **Arts**

Reno/Sparks/Tahoe is the cultural center of the Sierras. The arts are alive with the area's own Philharmonic Orchestra, Chamber Orchestra and the widely recognized annual UNR Jazz Festival. Other music attractions have incleased Pavarotti, Chick Correa, Stevie Wonder, Stevie Nicks Sting, Natalie Merchant. In the area of dance and the there is the Nevada Festival Ballet, Reno Little Theal Lear Theater, Bruka Theater, and The Nevada Repertory Theater. The visual arts are also popular featuring the Nevada National Auto Museum, Church Fine Arts Contained the Fleishman Planetarium. The Nevada Museum is nationally recognized for the world class exhibits Chihuly, Rodin, Mucha and much more. The museum only accredited art museum in the state of Nevada.



## Regional Parks





#### Reno Area Parks

.(775) 334-2262 Truckee River White Water Park Reno Parks and Recreation w w w.reno.gov/gover nment /d epar t ment s/par ks-recreation- communit y- ser vices One half mile of rapids includes 11 pools. Class 2 and

w w w.maycenter.com

Includes the Great Basin Adventure Park, May Arboretimpark is popular year-round . In the summer, enjoy and Botanical Garden, May Museum . Acres of walking paths, trails, gazebos, playground, benches and large multi-use/dog park area. Hidden Valley Regional Park

4740 Parkway Dr, Reno ......(775) 828 Bartley Ranch Park 6000 Bartley Ranch Rd, Reno ........(775) 828466€2 Valley Park is a large, 480-acre regional park in Consisting of 56 acres of scenic pasture, walking trails, a

regulation size horse arena and warm-up arena, the Robert Z . Hawkins Amphitheater, the Western Heritage Interpretive group picnic area and individual picnic areas, two tenn Center and the Old Huffaker School. courts and much more.

#### Idlewild Park

Rose Society.

Walking trails and fishing holes along the Truckee Riyors) 785-4512 Nationally-recognized birdplayground, and sports fields. The 1-acre rose garden

is Nevada's only rose garden certified by the American area, including a 600-

oot long boardwalk which takes visitors into

area. The park also features a number of

Swan Lake Nature Study Area

hiking trails .

#### **Sparks Area Parks**

Sparks Parks and Recreation . . . . . (775) 353-2376 Sparks Marina

www.cit.yofsparks.us/residents/recreation

Lazy 5 Regional Park

7100 Pyramid Way, Sparks ......

(775) 424-1866 Park includes a 2,400 sg ft

community center with

outdoor patio and barbecue area, a water play

park, two

playgrounds, group and individual picnic area,

voll<u>eyball</u>

Other Area Parks d two multi-use

athletic fields. Bowers Mansion Park

4005 Bowers Mansion Rd, Washoe Valley . .

(775) 849-1825 The Stately Bowers mansion is

located in the center of

the park and offers a rare glimpse into

Nevadan life of the

1860's. The park also includes an outdoor

Davis Creek Regional Park

With outstanding views, the park also includes campground

300 Howard Drive, Sparks . . . . . . . . . . . . .

(775) 691-9130 77-acre lake with fishing,

sailing, walking paths, swimming

area, playground, fenced dog-swim park.

picnic areas,

volleyball courts, covered areas and

concession.

#### Wilson Commons Park

4970 Susan Lee Circle, Washoe Valley . . . (775)

849-1825 A unique cultural gen, the area

includes a 100-year-old

barn and ranch outbuildings, 20 acres of

irrigated pasture,

a fishing pond, group picnic area, horseshoe

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and day-use area with a small scenic pond for fishing and non-motorized boats. Nature trails are marked for selfguided hike.





## Local Ski Resorts

	LIFTS	VERTICAL FEET	RUNS	PHONE		
S. Tahoe & Surrounding Area Resorts						
Heavenly	2	3,50	9	(775) 586-		
Kirkwood	8	0	7	7000 (209)		
Sierra At Tahoe	1	2,0	8	258-6000		
North & East Shore/Nevada	5	0 0	6	(530) 659-		
B oreal	8	<sup>2</sup> / <sub>5</sub> 00 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup> 4	7 <u>4</u> 53 (530) 426-		
Diamond Peak	<u>4</u> 6	284	370	3666 (775)		
Mount Rose	6	0	60	832-1177		
Royal Gorge	4	1,8	+	(775) 849-		
Soda Springs	4	00	90	0704 (530)		
Sugar Bowl	1	1,6	15	426-3871		
Truckee Area	2	00	10	(530) 426-		
Tahoe Donner	5	558	3 <sub>7</sub>	1010 (530) (530) (537 <u>-</u>		
Donner Ski Ranch	6	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> <sup>5</sup> 0	52	426-9000 9444 <sup>90</sup> (530)		
NorthStar At Tahoe	2	00 2,	10	426-3635		
North Lake Tahoe	0	28	0	(530) 562-		
Alpine Meadows (Palisades	1	1,80	100+	1010 (800) 403-		
Tahoe) Granlibakken Ski Hill	3	2		0206 (800)		
Homewood	2	300	67	543-3221		
Olympic Valley (Palisades Tahoe)	8	1,65	170+	(530) 525-		
Central Sierra Resorts	2	0		2992 (800)		
Bear Valley	9	2;85	58	403-0206 (209) 753-2327		
Dodge Ridge	0	8	67	(209) 965-3474		
Mammoth Mountain	1	1,60	15	(800) MAMMOTH		
	2	0 3	0			





## Golf Courses



	YARDS	# OF HOLES	PAR	PHONE
Reno/Sparks				
ArrowCreek www.theclubac.com	7,039	18	72	(775) 850-4653
Hidden Valley  www.hvccreno.com	7,302	18	72	(775) 857-4735
Links at Kiley Ranch www.kiley-ranch-golf-course-and-bar-business.site	1,391	9	27	(775) 354-2100
Lakeridge www.lakeridgegolfcourse.com	6,715	18	71	(775) 825-2200
Montreux www.montreuxgolf.com	7,472	18	72	(775) 683-3121
Redhawk - Lakes Course	7,1 4 0	18	72	(775) 626-6000
Redhawk - Hills Course	7,106	18	71	(775) 626-6000
Sierra Sage  www.sierrasagegolf.org	6,555	18	71	(775) 972-1564
Somersett	7,252	18	72	(775) 787-1800
www.wshoegolf.org	6,6 9 5	18	72	(775) 828-6633
Wildcreek	1,440	9	27	(775) 673-3100
www.wildcreekgolf.org Wolf Run wolfrungolfclub.com	7,100	18	72	(775) 851-3301
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	YARDS	# OF HOLES	PAR	PHONE
Washoe Valley				
Toiyabe Golf Club  www.toiyabegc.com/	7,166	18	72	(775) 882-0882
Carson City				
Carson Valley  www.carsonvalleygolf.com	6,020	18	72	(775) 309-4205
Eagle Valley East www.eaglevalleygolfcourse.com	6,618	18	72	(775) 887-2380
Eagle Valley West  www.eaglevalleygolfcourse.com	6,851	18	72	(775) 887-2380
Empire Ranch  www.empireranchgolf.com Silver Oak Golf	6,733	18	72	(888) 227-1335
w w w silveroakgolf com Sunridge	6,392	18	71	(775) 841-7000
www.playsunridge.com	6,914	18	72	(775) 267-4448
G enoa				
Genoa Lakes - Lakes Course www.genoalakes.com	7,359	18	72	(775) 782-4653
Genoa Lakes - Ranch Course  www.genoalakes.com	7,258	18	73	(775) 782-4653
Graeagle				
Graeagle www.playgraeagle.com	6,725	18	72	(530) 836-2323
Meadows Grizzly  www.grizzlyranchliving.com/golf  Ranch	7,411	18		(866) 832-4200 ued on next page





	YARDS	# OF HOLES	PAR	PHONE
Nakoma - Dragon Course  www.nakomaresort.com/golf/	7,015	18	72	(530) 897-2300
Plumas Pines Resort  www.plumaspinesgolf.com	6,421	18	72	(530) 836-1420
Whitehawk com	6,955	18	71	(800) 836-0394
Truckee				
Coyote Moon www.coyotemoongolf.com	7,1 7 7	18	72	(530) 587-0886
Tahoe Mountain Club - Gray's Crossing www.tahoemountainclub.com/golf	7,466	18	72	(530) 550-9400
Tahoe Mountain Club - Old Greenwood	7,518	18	72	(530) 550-9400
w w w.tahoemountainclub.com/golf Ponderosa w w w ponderosagolfcoursetruckee com	6,0 4 4	9	35	(530) 587-3501
Tahoe Donner w w w.tahoedonner.com/golf	7,002	18	72	(530) 587-9443
Lake Tahoe				
Edgewood www.edgewoodtahoe.com/golf/	7,529	18	72	(888) 881-8659
Incline Village Golf Resort - Championship Course www.yourtahoeplace.com/golf-incline	7,106	18	72	(775) 832-1146
Incline Village Golf Resort - Mountain Course www.yourtahoeplace.com/golf_incline	3,527	18	58	(775) 832-1150
Lake Tahoe Golf Course www.laketahoegc.com	6,741	18	71	(530) 577-0788



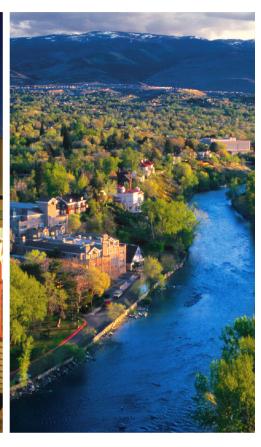


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