

**NINE STEP PLANNER
BOARD OF COUNTY COUNCILORS WORK SESSIONS**

This form needs to be reviewed and approved by the board before a work session is scheduled.

REQUESTED BY: Jeff Swanson, Director of Economic Development

1. **TOPIC:** Clark County economic development/employment land supply
2. **WORK SESSION: STAFF MEMBERS TO PRESENT AND ATTEND WORK SESSION:**
Jeff Swanson, Director of Economic Development
Mike Bomar, President, CREDC
Greg Seifert, Board Chair, CREDC
Casey Wyckoff, Board Vice Chair, CREDC
3. **TIME FRAME:**

LENGTH OF TIME NEEDED: 60 minutes
DESIRED DATE: January 27, 2016
SCHEDULED DATE OF WORK SESSION: _____
4. **TIMING CONSIDERATIONS:** County Council's high level of interest in Clark County's economic development program and CREDC's activities
5. **DESIRED RESULTS:** To inform and orient County Council concerning:
(1) Economic development program and activities of Clark County
(2) Role of CREDC and relationship to Clark County's economic development program
(3) CREDC's Land for Jobs project
6. **IMPACTS (COMMUNITY/FINANCIAL/STAFF/OTHER):** Economic development remains an ongoing area of concern and priority with respect to improving employment levels and opportunities for Clark County constituents.
7. **POLICY IMPLICATIONS:** Possible policy implications relate to the development of public infrastructure and land use policies which enable/facilitate private investment.
8. **ISSUES TO BE CONSIDERED:** CREDC is an important regional partner in economic development of unincorporated Clark County. Issues to be considered at the work session are not generally considered controversial: there is broad agreement on the need to invest in public infrastructure and address policy to encourage the development of employment opportunities locally and regionally.
9. **RECOMMENDED ACTION:** The County Council will be asked to financially contribute to funding the Land for Jobs project along with several other private and public funding partners in the region.

APPROVED FOR SCHEDULING:

Signature of requestor:



DATE: 1/6/2016