

NEVADA FOOD SAFETY TASK FORCE MEETING

AGENDA

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Thursday, August 24, 2006

9:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Luxor Hotel Casino, 3900 Las Vegas Blvd. South, Las Vegas, Nevada
(Luxor Steakhouse)

Nevada Foodborne Illness Surveillance System Developing An Action Plan To Establish A Statewide Structure And Network

This notice has been placed at each of the locations listed:

University of Nevada Western Cooperative Extension, 5305 East Mill Street, Reno, Nevada 89511; Nevada State Health Division, 620 Belrose Street, Suite 101, Las Vegas, Nevada 89107; Nevada State Dairy Commission, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. A, Suite 107, Reno, Nevada 89502; Nevada Restaurant Association, 2901 El Camino Avenue, Suite 202, Las Vegas, Nevada 89102; Washoe County District Health Department, 1001 East Ninth Street, Reno, Nevada, 89520; Southern Nevada Health District, 625 Shadow Lane, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89127; Carson City Health Department, 3303 Butti Way, Building 1, Carson City, Nevada, 89701; Luxor Hotel Casino, 3900 Las Vegas Blvd South, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89119

Denotes Action Item *

1. Call to order
2. Review, amend and approve past minutes (June 7, 2006)
3. Discuss the purpose of the health departments' foodborne illness/outbreak investigations and information gathering process at food establishments.
4. Discuss industries role in the gathering and reporting of a possible foodborne illness/outbreak.

5. All participating jurisdictions; Southern Nevada Health District, Nevada State Health Division, Washoe County District Health Department, Carson City Health Department will compare complaint logs to insure that information collection is standardized. This process is intended to cause consistent information flow and isolate event data.
6. Discuss a standardized agency follow-up system to enable consistent information transfer between entities. Included in this topic are isolated events, multiple site events and retail sector events. Under what circumstances should this information be shared?
7. Joseph Iser, State Program Liaison, FDA, will present an update of activity of the most recent Regulatory meeting to the NFSTF.
8. * Continue discussion and decide where NFSTF budget funds are best spent. This may include additional study materials, flyers or promotional items to enhance awareness of NFSTF
9. Update on the Membership/Bylaws committee activities, Linda Newton and Bryan Wagner.
10. Additional comments
11. Public comments
12. Set date for next meeting
13. Adjourn