

## Two New Commissioners Appointed

## Governor Gibbons appoints Miller and Woodbeck to Economic Development Commission

Carson City, Nev.—July 18, 2007—Governor Jim Gibbons has tapped Las Vegas businessmen Monte Miller and Frank Woodbeck to serve as new members of the Nevada Commission on Economic Development.

"We're pleased to have their expertise and experience," says Lt. Governor Brian K. Krolicki, chair of the Nevada Commission on Economic Development, adding, "Both men are well suited to continue the good work of the commission and move toward increasing economic development opportunities across the state."

Monte Miller is the CEO of KeyState Corporate Management, with locations in Las Vegas, Nev., and Wilmington, Del. Prior to founding KeyState in 1991, Miller served as senior vice president for Valley Bank of Nevada's trust division. Active in the business community, he currently serves on several boards, including Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco, Nevada Development Authority and the College of Southern Nevada Foundation.

Miller looks forward to serving his term. "I have been an advocate for quality economic development in southern Nevada, working with the Nevada Development Authority, " says Miller, adding, "It is a natural progression to serve at the state level."

Frank Woodbeck is managing partner for three real estate development companies, including Enchantment Way Development, which is developing the largest green-built and LEED certified residential development in the Las Vegas Valley. Prior to this, he was in broadcasting and supervised the Affiliate Relations Department of ABC Radio Networks, comprising more than 3,000 stations. He also launched two FM radio stations in Las Vegas.

"As a businessman, I understand what it takes for a venture to succeed," says Woodbeck, "and knowing that I will be a strong steward of the public's trust."

Miller and Woodbeck join Sara Beth Brown, LeRoy Goodman, Patty Wade and Otto Merida as commissioners. The new appointees replace outgoing commissioners Peter Thomas and Phil Peckman.

Commissioners are appointed by the governor and agree to serve three-year terms. The Commission on Economic Development is comprised of the Lt. Governor and six private sector business

people. The Commission meets monthly to review policies, programs and applications for business incentives.

The Nevada Commission on Economic Development is the state agency in Nevada which provides services, support and assistance to communities to help them diversify and develop their economies so they remain economically viable. For more information on the NCED visit <a href="https://www.expand2nevada.com">www.expand2nevada.com</a> or call 775-687-4325.

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