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- c. Unstable soil conditions during or after completion of the proposal?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

2 Air Quality

Will the proposal result in:

- a. Substantial air pollutant emissions?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

3 Water Quality

Will the proposal result in:

- a. Changes in currents, or the course or direction of water movements?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Alterations to the course or flow of 100-year flood waters?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

4 Vegetation

Will the proposal result in:

- a. Removal of native vegetation in excess of the area utilized for the actual development proposed?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. A change in the surface area, vegetation, hydrology, or ecological functions of a wetland, riparian area, or aquatic habitat?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

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- c. Introduction of new vegetation that will require excessive fertilizer or water, or will provide a barrier to the normal replenishment of existing species?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- d. Change in the diversity or distribution of species, or number of any species of plants (including trees, shrubs, grass, crops, micro flora and aquatic plants)?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- e. Change in the numbers or habitats of any sensitive, unique, rare or endangered species of plants?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- f. Removal of streambank and/or backshore vegetation, including woody vegetation such as willows?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

5 Wildlife

Will the proposal result in:

- a. Change in the diversity or distribution of species, or numbers of any species of animals (birds, land animals including reptiles, fish and shellfish, benthic organisms, insects, mammals, amphibians or microfauna)?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Change in the numbers or habitats of any sensitive, unique, rare or endangered species of animals?

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- c. Introduction of new species of animals into an area, or result in a barrier to the migration or movement of animals?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- d. Deterioration of existing fish or wildlife habitat quantity or quality?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

6 Noise

Will the proposal result in:

- a. Increases in existing noise levels beyond those permitted by local, state, or federal regulations?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

7 Light and Glare

Will the proposal:

- a. Include new or modified sources of exterior lighting?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Create new illumination which is more substantial than other lighting, if any, within the surrounding area?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- c. Cause light from exterior sources to be cast off - site or onto public lands?

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- d. Create new sources of glare through the siting of the improvements or through the use of reflective materials?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

8 Land Use

Will the proposal:

- a. Expand or intensify an existing non-conforming use?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

9 Natural Resources

Will the proposal result in:

- a. A substantial increase in the rate of use of any natural resources?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Substantial depletion of any non-renewable natural resource?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

10 Transportation/Circulation

Will the proposal result in:

- a. Substantial impact upon existing transportation systems, including highway, transit, bicycle or pedestrian facilities?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

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11 Public Services

Will the proposal have an unplanned effect upon, or result in a need for new or altered governmental services in any of the following areas?

- a. Maintenance of public facilities, including roads?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Other governmental services?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

12 Utilities

Except for planned improvements, will the proposal result in a need for new systems, or substantial alterations to the following utilities:

- a. Storm water drainage?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

13 Recreation:

Does the proposal:

- a. Create additional demand for recreation facilities?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Create additional recreation capacity?

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- c. Have the potential to create conflicts between recreation uses, either existing or proposed?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- d. Result in a decrease or loss of public access to any lake, waterway, or public lands?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

15 Archaeological/Historical

- a. Will the proposal result in an alteration of or adverse physical or aesthetic effect to a significant archaeological or historical site, structure, object or building?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Is the proposed project located on a property with any known cultural, historical, and/or archaeological resources, including resources identified on regulatory official maps or records?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- c. Is the property associated with any historically significant events and/or sites or persons?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

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- d. Does the proposal have the potential to cause a physical change which would affect unique ethnic cultural values?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- e. Will the proposal restrict historic or pre-historic religious or sacred uses within the potential impact area?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

16 Findings of Significance.

- a. Does the project have the potential to degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal or eliminate important examples of the major periods of Nevada history or prehistory?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

- b. Does the project have environmental impacts which will cause substantial adverse effects on human being, either directly or indirectly?

Yes	No	No, with Mitigation	Data Insufficient

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III Certification

I hereby certify that the statements furnished above and in the attached exhibits present the data and information required for this initial evaluation to the best of my ability, and that the facts, statements, and information presented are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

<i>Signature of Person Completing this Form</i>	<i>Date</i>
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Written Comments (USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NECESSARY):

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<i>Signature of Evaluator</i>	<i>Date</i>
<i>Title of Evaluator</i>	