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NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP

Notice of public workshop to solicit comments per NRS 233B.061 on proposed regulations to be adopted By Nevada Health Authority pursuant to section 24, subsection 3 of SB494 (2025). The purpose of the public workshop is to receive comments from all interested parties regarding the contents of the proposed regulations being developed by the Nevada Health Authority in consultation with the department of administration and the office of the attorney general.

Date of Publication: Tuesday, October 28th, 2025

Date and Time of Meeting: Wednesday, November 12th, 2025, at 1:00pm PST

Name of Organization: The State of Nevada, Nevada Health Authority (NVHA), Health Care Purchasing and Compliance Division (HCPC)

Place of Meeting: This hearing will be conducted via video conference and telephone on Microsoft Teams and viewable in person.

Microsoft Teams: <https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2216419613548?p=7CcAulFp8eylryJQAB>

Meeting ID: 221 641 961 354 8

Passcode: 3KZ2U6vJ (password should not be needed)

Audio Only: (775) 321-6111

Conference ID: 601 619 56#

In person: 727 Fairview Dr. STE. E
Carson City, Nevada 89701

Note: The Nevada Health Care Purchasing and Compliance Division staff can be contacted to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the hearing. If special arrangements are necessary, please notify NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov before the meeting date. Si necesitas ayuda traduciendo este mensaje, por favor escribe a NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov.

If you need supporting documents for this meeting, please notify NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov before the meeting date.

Written information regarding this workshop can be sent to the Nevada Health Care Purchasing and Compliance Division in advance of the meeting via email at NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov or if unable to send via email or need assistance please contact by telephone at 775-684-1070 to make other arrangements.

If at any time during the meeting, an individual who has been named on the agenda or has an item specifically regarding them, included on the agenda is unable to participate because of technical or other difficulties, please email NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov and note at what time the difficulty started so that matters pertaining specifically to their participation may be continued to a future agenda if needed or otherwise addressed.

Please be cautious and do not click on links in the chat area of the meeting unless you have verified, they are safe. If you ever have questions about a link in a document purporting to be from Nevada Health Authority, please do not hesitate to contact NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov for verification.

This meeting is a public meeting, recorded and held in compliance with and pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 241, Nevada Open Meeting Law and Nevada Revised Statutes, 233B Nevada Administrative Procedure Act. By participating, you consent to recording of your participation in this meeting. All voting members should leave their cameras on for the duration of the meeting and refrain from entering any information into the chat function of the video platform.

A person may also have comments added to the minutes of the meeting by submitting them in writing either in addition to testifying or in lieu of testifying. Written comments may be submitted electronically before, during, or after the meeting by email to NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov.

Use of obscenities or other behavior which disrupts the meeting to the extent that its orderly conduct is made impractical may result in the forfeiture of the opportunity to provide public comment or removal from the meeting.

NOTICE:

1. Agenda Items may be taken out of order.
2. Two or more items may be combined; and
3. Items may remove from the agenda or delayed at any time.

Agenda

- **Call to Order and introduction of the workshop process.**
 - a. The purpose of this workshop is to solicit input regarding the regulations to be developed and adopted by Nevada Health Authority pursuant to Section 24 of Senate Bill 494. See, [SB494 \(2025\)](#). Pursuant to Section 24 of SB494, Nevada Health Authority is developing regulations pertaining to purchasing and procurements to be conducted by the agency. The regulations will be developed based on the items set forth in Section 24 of SB494 (2025), as outlined below.
- **Public comment on proposed regulations.**
 - a. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment period unless the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. To provide public comment telephonically, you may join the meeting by dialing (775) 321-6111 and when prompted to provide the conference ID, enter 601 619 56#. Comments will be limited to three minutes per person. Persons making comment will unmute themselves by pressing *6 and speak up briefly. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name. Those who wish to provide a written comment may submit their comment via email to NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov.

- **Public comment regarding any other issue.**

- a. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment period unless the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. To provide public comment telephonically, you may join the meeting by dialing (775) 321-6111 and when prompted to provide the conference ID, enter 601 619 56#. Comments will be limited to three minutes per person. Persons making comment will unmute themselves by pressing *6 and speak up briefly. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name. Those who wish to provide a written comment may submit their comment via email to NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov.

- **Adjournment**

Senate Bill 494, Sec. 24(3) states as follows:

In consultation with the Department of Administration and the Office of the Attorney General, the Authority shall adopt regulations to carry out the provisions of this section. Those regulations must:

- (a) Establish processes and rules governing any committee established to evaluate proposals;

- (b) Require the provision of notice to prospective vendors who submit proposals to provide commodities or services before and after the Authority awards a contract;

- (c) Provide for the confidentiality of information submitted as part of a proposal and any communication between a person who submits a proposal and the Authority, or any members of a committee described in paragraph (a);

- (d) Prescribe the procedure for awarding a contract, which may include, without limitation, procedures for:

- (1) An invitation to bid, a request for proposals, a request for qualifications, a request for information, a request for a quote or any other generally accepted procedures for awarding contracts;

- (2) Soliciting, bidding and receiving proposals and bids through an Internet website in accordance with paragraph (b) of subsection 2; and

- (3) Determining the costs of a contract for the purpose of soliciting bids and responses;

- (e) Establish preferences for bids or proposals submitted by businesses based in this State, businesses owned and operated by veterans with service-connected disabilities and other entities which are given preferences under chapter 333 of NRS;

- (f) Establish the duties of persons who are authorized to enter into contracts on behalf of the Authority, which must be consistent with the duties prescribed by NRS 333.337;

- (g) Prescribe prohibitions consistent with NRS 333.339 against entering into certain contracts;

- (h) Prescribe procedures for determining and awarding contracts to bidders who will produce results that are high in quality and value;

- (i) Procedures consistent with NRS 333.350 for:

- (1) Awarding contracts for separate items or portions or groups of items, or for separate portions of a project;

- (2) Rejecting all bids or proposals;

- (3) Withdrawing bids or proposals; and

- (4) Entering records of bids and proposals;

(j) Penalties consistent with NRS 333.365 for persons who enter into contracts with the Authority and do not perform according to the contract;

(k) Procedures for the submission of revised proposals;

(l) Procedures consistent with NRS 333.370 by which a person who makes an unsuccessful bid or proposal may submit an appeal, including, without limitation, requirements that such a person:

(1) File a notice of appeal with the Authority and the Hearings Division of the Department of Administration; and

(2) Post a bond with good and solvent surety in a form approved by the Director in an amount that is equal to or greater than 25 percent of the amount of the successful bid submitted for the same project;

(m) Procedures consistent with NRS 333.435 for purchasing prescription drugs, pharmaceutical services or medical supplies and related services; and

(n) Procedures for the awarding of contracts on a contingency basis.

NOTICE AND AGENDA OF THIS PUBLIC HEARING IS POSTED FOR INSPECTION AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS

PHYSICAL POSTINGS

- Nevada Health Authority: 4070 Silver Sage Dr. Carson City, NV 89701
- Nevada Health Authority, Nevada Health Care Purchasing and Compliance Division: 9850 Double R Blvd. Suite 200 Reno, NV 89521
- Nevada Health Authority, Health Care Purchasing and Compliance Division, Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance: 727 Fairview Dr. Suite E Carson City, NV 89701
- Nevada Health Authority, Health Care Purchasing and Compliance Division, Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance: 500 E Warm Springs Dr. Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89119
- Nevada State Library and Archives: 100 Stewart Street, Carson City, NV, 89701

INTERNET POSTINGS

- Nevada Health Authority website: <https://nvha.nv.gov/home/features/Announcements/>
- Nevada Administration's website: <http://notice.nv.gov>
- Legislative Council Bureau website: <https://www.leg.state.nv.us/app/notice/a/>

The notice and supporting materials for this workshop may be requested at the above locations during normal business hours or by contacting Nevada Health Care Purchasing and Compliance Division staff at NVHAPIO@nvha.nv.gov or by calling 775-684-1070.

In addition, the notice information was mailed to groups and individuals as requested and per NRS 233B.061. Supporting materials are available for the public on the Nevada Health Authority Website: <https://nvha.nv.gov/home/features/Announcements/>