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Airport Travel Tips for Fourth of July Holiday Travel

Use Checkpoint Mailers, located outside each security checkpoint to mail prohibited items

McCarran International Airport officials will host an estimated 604,746 passengers during the period from Friday, June 30, 2006, through Tuesday, July 4, 2006. To help make airport travel as pleasant and hassle-free as possible during the busy weekend, passengers are advised to heed the following travel tips:

Fireworks of any kind are prohibited. To avoid hefty fines up to \$10,000 and possible arrest and imprisonment, travelers should leave fireworks and other incendiary devices at home. Fireworks of any kind are not permitted in carry-on bags or on person aboard commercial passenger flights. Other prohibited items that will not pass through the checkpoint, including lighters, may be mailed using the convenient Checkpoint Mailers located outside each security checkpoint.

McCarran Travel Tips

- Do not pack or bring prohibited items to the airport. For a complete list, visit the Transportation Security Administration website at www.tsa.gov.
- If locking checked bags, use only a TSA-approved lock. Information on these locks is available at www.tsa.gov.
- Lighters are not allowed in carry-on baggage. Lighters without fuel may be packed in checked luggage.
- Carry-on is restricted to one small carry-on bag and one personal item, including purse, laptop, briefcase, diaper bag or camera case.
- Arrive two hours prior to your scheduled flight.
- Be prepared to show a boarding pass and valid photo identification at the security checkpoint.
- Only ticketed passengers are allowed to go through the security checkpoints. To meet unaccompanied minors or assist passengers with special needs, go to the airline ticket counter first for written authorization.

McCarran Parking Tips

- Economy Parking on Russell Road (\$3 for the first hour plus \$1 for each additional hour, \$6 maximum per 24-hour period). Free shuttle service to Terminal 1 Zero Level (below baggage claim) runs continuously.
- Long Term garage parking (\$3 for the first hour plus \$1 for each additional hour, \$12 maximum per 24-hour period).
- Short Term parking (25 cents per 10-minute period, \$4.50 for three-hour maximum) and the passenger pick-up curb may be busy. Before leaving for the airport to pick up someone, check the status of the flight by visiting www.mccarran.com or calling the airline.
- Valet parking (\$6 for the first hour plus \$1 for each additional hour, \$16 per 24-hour period)
- Terminal 2 parking (\$1 for the first hour plus \$1 for each additional hour, \$8 per 24-hour period). Pay stations for Terminal 2 customers accept cash, coins, and credit or debit cards. Payment is made in advance of exiting the lot.
- For 24-hour parking information, call the McCarran Parking Office at 261-5121.

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