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WHO WE ARE

“To encourage others to discover, experience and connect to our state’s natural wonders, vast and unique landscapes”

“Committed to preserving Nevada’s public lands, urban trails, and community parks.”

HISTORY

• Formed in 2000 by a group of passionate Nevada outdoor enthusiasts and community leaders

• Formerly known as the Outside Las Vegas Foundation

SOCIAL ISSUE

We are facing many kinds of pollution as human progress with technology. For example, after the world is industrialized, we are facing the risk of global warming and air pollution. Also, The invention of the irrigation system cause desertification. While we are trying to find a replacement for fossil fuels, we created contamination along the way, we started affecting the wild lives around us and it is beginning to affect us.

LAND CONTAMINATION

Common pollutants for soil are heavy metal, hydrocarbon and organic. In addition, industrial chemicals and nutrient-rich wastes can also have an impact on the soil.

“Soil pollution can give rise to toxicological problems in humans, livestock, crops, ecosystems and also in damage to structures and services.”(Roy M. Harrison)

PROGRAMS

- Boxcar Clean Up Volunteer Program
- Community Cleanup Day with Clark County Commissioner Jim Gibson

EXPERIENCE

- Site coordinators and volunteers are nice
- Tools and equipment are prepare

ACTIVITIES

- Environment restoration
- Trash removal
- Graffiti removal