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**White House's Sutley in Henderson, NV with Mayor Hafen to Highlight City's Sustainability Work, Visit Nellis Air Force Base**

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Nancy Sutley, President Obama's principal environmental advisor and Chair of the White House Council on Environmental Quality, will join city of Henderson Mayor Andy Hafen at the city's LEED Gold Certified Aquatic Complex and Senior Facility this Thursday, May 10, 2012. They will participate in a press conference to highlight the city's sustainability initiatives that are saving Henderson an estimated \$2 million a year on energy bills, and to discuss the Obama Administration's strategy for growing clean energy jobs and industries and promoting sustainable communities. Following the press conference, they will tour the city's Aquatic Complex and Senior Facility, which were constructed to meet high standards of energy efficiency, water conservation and occupant safety and comfort. The city's sustainability initiatives exemplify President Obama's all-of-the-above energy approach that doubles down on clean energy and energy efficiency to save money, reduce pollution, and create American jobs.

In the afternoon, Chair Sutley will tour the clean energy features of Nellis Air Force Base in Las Vegas, to learn about the base's use of natural gas and bio-diesel alternative fuels for its fleet, enhanced central energy monitoring controls and energy efficient buildings, and a solar PV array that currently provides 30 percent of Nellis daytime electrical needs. The base is also on track to complete energy projects that will save it a projected \$646,000 a year on its energy bills. The event will highlight the importance of developing American clean energy for our national security and our economy.

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**WHO:** Nancy Sutley, Chair, White House Council on Environmental Quality  
Andy Hafen, Mayor, City of Henderson  
Jacob Snow, Henderson City Manager

**WHAT:** Press conference highlighting Henderson's sustainability initiatives and tour of the Heritage Park Aquatic Complex and Senior Facility

**WHEN:** Thursday, May 10, 2012 at 9:30 AM (PDT)

**WHERE:** Heritage Park Aquatic Complex and Senior Facility  
310 S. Racetrack Rd.  
Henderson, NV 89015

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WHO: Nancy Sutley, Chair, White House Council on Environmental Quality

WHAT: Tour of Nellis Air Force Base clean energy features

WHEN: Thursday, May 10, 2012 at 1:15 PM (PDT)

WHERE: Nellis AFB Visitor Center  
5661 Fitzgerald Blvd, Bldg 696  
Nellis AFB NV 89191

RSVP: Media interested in attending the Nellis tour should RSVP to the Nellis Public Affairs office (702-652-2750) by 4:30 p.m. May 9, 2012.

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