## Distances to Major Western Cities

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Location</th>
<th>Highway Miles</th>
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<td>Las Vegas</td>
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<td>Seattle</td>
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## Basic Nevada Driving Laws:
- Seat belts are required by law
- U-Turns may be made at an intersection unless otherwise noted
- Right turns at red lights are legal unless otherwise noted
- Speed limits in school zones range from 15-25 mph
- It’s illegal to leave a child under the age of 12 unattended in a vehicle
- Nevada is hands-free; prohibits the use of cell phone or texting while driving without a hands-free device
- Nevada requires all new residents to register their vehicle and obtain a Nevada driver’s license within 30 days

## Cost of Living

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<tr>
<th>City</th>
<th>Composite</th>
<th>Grocery</th>
<th>Housing</th>
<th>Utilities</th>
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Source: American Chamber of Commerce Association (ACCRA), First Quarter 2016

## Climate

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<td>Average</td>
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Source: Nevada Climate Summaries and *National Weather Service Forecast Office, Reno Tahoe International Airport

## Population

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U.S. Census Bureau: 2015 Est.
## Housing Comparison

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Source: ACCRA Cost of Living Index, First Quarter, 2016

## Utilities

### Gas/Electric
NV Energy
6100 Neil Road
Reno, NV 89502
775.834.4444
www.nvenergy.com

### Garbage
Waste Management
100 Vassar Street
Reno, NV 89502
775.329.8822
www.wm.com

### Water/Sewer
Truckee Meadows Water Authority
PO Box 30013, Reno, NV 89520
775.834.8000
www.tmh2o.com

### Reno DMV
305 Galletti Way
Reno, NV 89512-3824
(775) 684-40DMV
(775) 684-4368
http://www.dmvnv.com

## Recreation Reno/Tahoe
- Boating
- Fishing
- Hiking
- Camping
- Climbing
- Biking
- Snowboarding
- Skiing
- Swimming
- Golf
- Lake Tahoe
- Pyramid Lake
- Lake Lahontan
- Donner Lake
- Sparks Marina

## Events & Entertainment Reno & Surrounding Area
- National Championship Air Races
- Reno Aces (MiLB Baseball)
- Reno Bighorns (D-league Basketball)
- Reno Barons (Arena Football)
- The Great Reno Balloon Races
- Burning Man
- Reno River Festival
- Gaming
- Hot August Nights
- National Bowling Stadium
- Street Vibrations
- Reno Rodeo
- Rib Cook-off
- Sparks Farmer’s Market
- Wine Walk
- Pub Crawl
- Reno Film Festivals
- National Auto Museum
- Nevada Museum of Art
- Artown
- Lake Tahoe Shakespeare Festival
- Reno-Tahoe Open (PGA tour)
- Pro Wakeboard Tour
- NV State Fair
- Lake Tahoe Music Festival
- Reno-Tahoe Blues Fest
- Reno Events Center

## Education

### Washoe County School District
425 East Ninth Street
Reno, NV 89520
775-348-0200
www.washoe.k12.nv.us

### Carson City School District
1402 West King Street
Carson City NV 89703
(775) 283-2000
www.carsoncityschools.com

### University of Nevada, Reno
1664 N. Virginia St
Reno, NV 89557
775-784-1110
www.unr.edu

### Truckee Meadows Community College
7000 Dandini Boulevard
Reno NV 89512
775-673-7000
www.tmcc.edu

### Western Nevada College
2201 West College Parkway
Carson City, NV 89703
775-445-3000
www.wnc.edu

## Useful Websites

### City of Reno
www.cityofreno.com

### City of Sparks
www.cityofsparks.us

### Reno-Sparks Chamber of Commerce
www.reno-spraskschamber.org

### Reno
www.reno.com

### Reno/Tahoe Information
www.visitrenotahoe.com

### Economic Development
www.edawn.org

### Reno Gazette Journal
www.rgj.com

### Reno News and Review
www.newsreview.com

### Washoe County Library System
www.washoecounty.us/library

### Northern Nevada Regional MLS
http://nnrmls.com

### Reno / Sparks Association of REALTORS®
www.rsar.net

### Apartment Guide
www.apartmentguide.com

### Apartments.com
www.apartments.com