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FACILITY STUDY
NEVADA JUSTICE AND MUNICIPAL COURTS

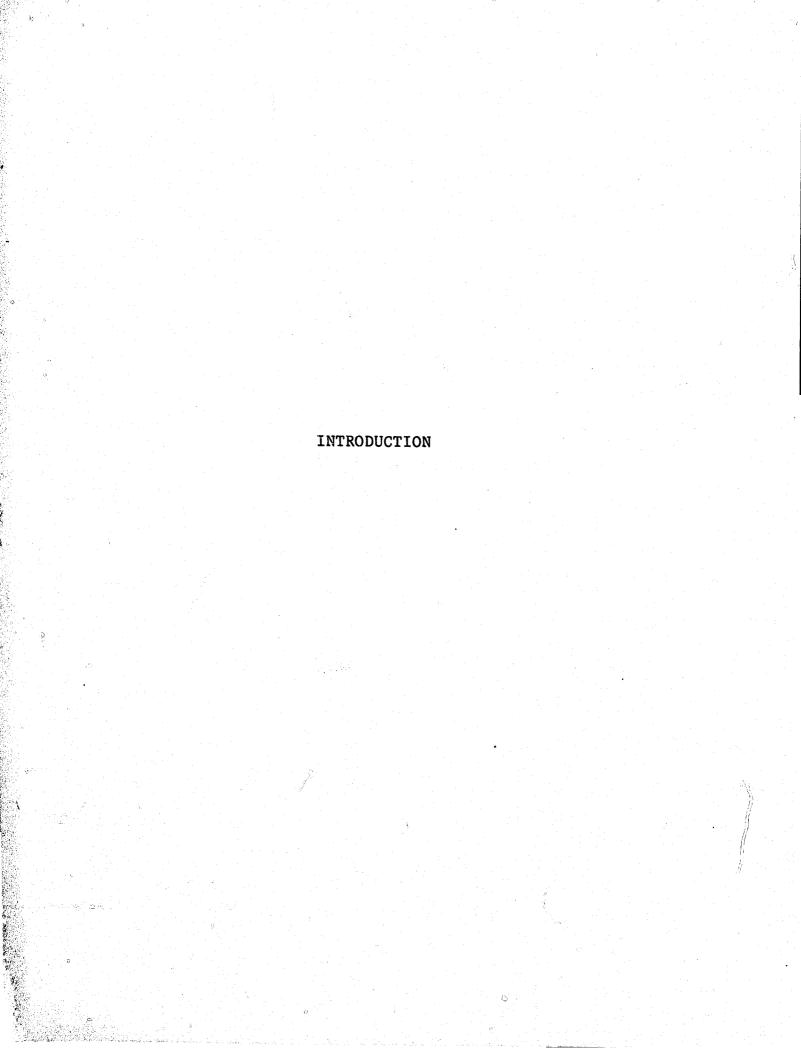
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#### INTRODUCTION

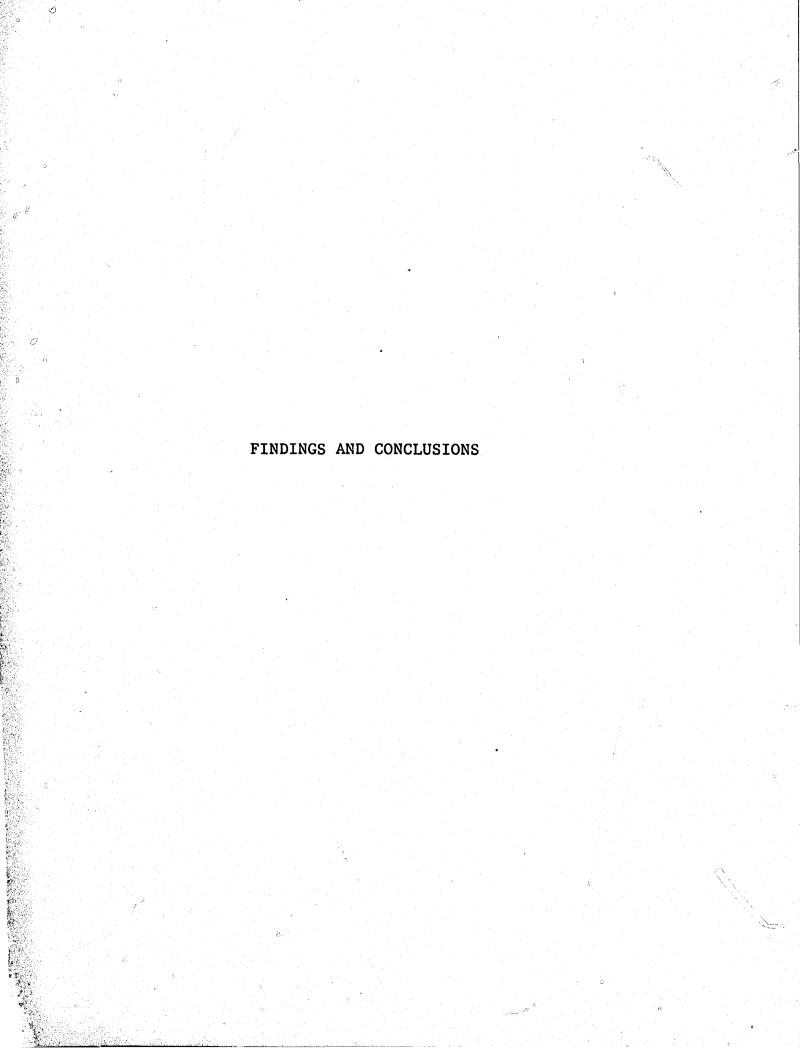
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In the state of Nevada there are 78 justice and municipal courts of which there are 64 courthouses or courtroom facilities. Some municipal and justice courts, while having separate duties and responsibilities, have the same judge and the same facilities.

The study which follows gives an inventory of the facilities available to the judge. This includes the actual physical plant, i.e. judge's bench, desk, etc. and the legal materials available to the judge.

The purpose of this study was to make an inventory of all the lower court facilities in the state of Nevada. This inventory will assist the Administrative Office of the Courts by providing the necessary knowledge to determine where financial resources should be allocated for the improvement of the Nevada Court System.

This study was financed by a federal grant administered through the state of Nevada's Office of Traffic Safety. The study was conducted by the Traffic Court Specialist with assistance from staff members of the Administrative Office of the Courts.



#### FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

#### Physical Facilities

In the State of Nevada there is great diversity between densely populated urban areas and large desolate rural areas. This diversity is reflected in the courtrooms and courthouses throughout the state. What is a satisfactory arrangement for the population and community of one area (e.g. Baker) is inappropriate and inadequate for another area (e.g. Las Vegas).

Several factors needed to be considered when determining if a courthouse is adequate or not. These included community size and needs, caseload of the court, and the actual facility. In addition, the conclusions drawn in ranking courts were done, in many cases, with the assistance of the judges and clerks of the particular court involved. By judging a court's adequacy or inadequacy on these factors, we were able to fairly rank each court.

The courts were ranked excellent, good, fair, poor, and inadequate. An excellent court would incorporate most of the ideal factors listed in the study and would meet the needs of the community for size and convenience of use. At the other end of the scale, an inadequate court would have few, if any, of the ideal conditions of a court and, in addition, would not meet community standards or needs.

#### A facility should incorporate the following ideal factors:

Jury box Public seating Press section Judge's section Separate judge's entry Robing room Washroom Jury room Defendent's room Witness room Judge's bench Witness box Attorney's Clerk's desk Bailiff's station Visual aids Sound amplifying equipment Sound recording equipment Flag

We have not made any attempt to rank the importance of each of these factors but used the total amount a court has as a method of ranking the courts. Of the lower courts in the state, eight courts, or 12%, had no facilities whatsoever. For these courts, court proceedings take place in the kitchen, living room, or den in the judge's home.

Of the eight courts with no facilities, all of them are in very small communities with small caseloads. The question which arises is, "Does a justice of the peace or municipal court judge warrant a court facility if he or she hears ten cases a year? 20 cases? 100 cases?" Where is the cut off point? This is a question which is beyond the scope of this study which should be addressed separately.

The ranking for the 64 municipal and justice courts in the State of Nevada was as follows:

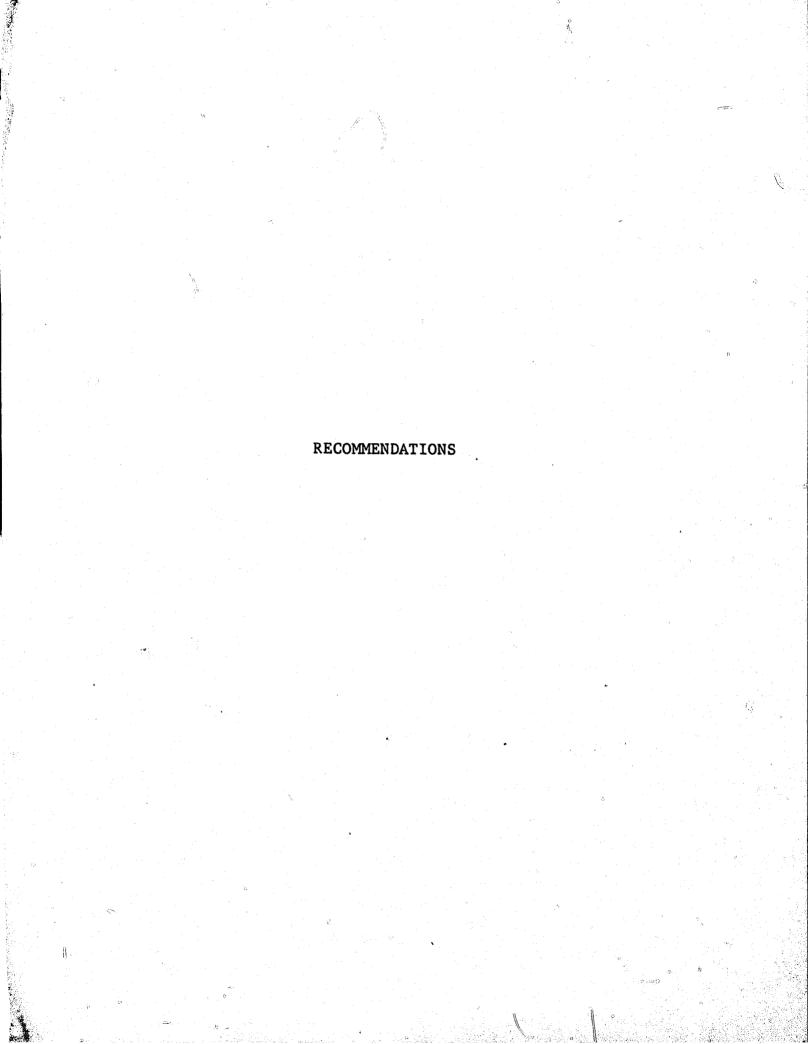
RANK	NUMBER OF COURTS	PERCENTAGE
Excellent	13	20
Good	10	16
Fair	14	22
Poor	13	20
Inadequate	6	9
No facilities	8	13
TOTALS	64	100

In the State of Nevada, forty-two percent of all justice and municipal courts are in poor condition, inadequate condition, or do not have facilities at all. These courts are located in all of the districts except the second judicial district. In general, it appears that the rural areas, rather than the urban areas, suffer the most from the lack of proper facilities. However, it should be noted that the occasional "poor" court in an urban area affects a much larger segment of the population than a "poor" court in a rural area.

#### Library Facilities

The library facilities of each court were incorporated into this study due to the importance of legal research materials being available to the judge. A court cannot operate effectively without at least the statutes which will determine an individual's innocence or guilt.

The library materials available to each court are in most instances minimally adequate. However, this study did discover that there are two courts in the state that do not have access to the Nevada Revised Statutes, and several courts which have outdated sets of statutes. Except for these isolated cases, the limited library facilities of the lower courts are in relatively good condition.



#### RECOMMENDATIONS

The following five recommendations are listed in order of priority.

the first recommendation of this study is to improve the quality and quantity of reference materials available to the lower courts. The availability of the Nevada Revised Statutes, Nevada Reports and other legal documents has a direct result on the quality of justice. It is incomprehensible to the author that in the year of 1978 we have judges in the state of Nevada who make judgements without the benefit of the written law. The cost of improving the legal reference materials for the justice and municipal courts is not substantial especially when taking into account the result of the expenditure, the improvement of the quality of justice.

The courts which need an improvement of their library facilities are Logandale Justice Court, Henderson Municipal Court, Ely Municipal Court, McDermitt Justice Court, and Jarbidge Justice Court.

The second recommendation of this study is that the six courts ranked "inadequate" should be improved. In all cases, the courts ranked "inadequate", have a substantial caseload with totally unacceptable facilities. These courts should be improved if not replaced. The caseload of these courts justify an adequate facility. The courts which are ranked inadequate are Jean Justice Court, Canal Justice Court, Moapa Justice Court, Smith Justice Court, Caliente Municipal Court, and McDermitt Justice Court.

The courts are listed in sequence with Jean Justice Court needing improvement of facilities the most and McDermitt needing it the least.

3. Following the implementation of the above recommendations those courts ranked "poor" should be improved.

Those courts ranked "poor" include Austin Justice
Court, Beowawe Justice Court, Fallon Municipal Court
Tecoma Justice Court, Mountain City Justice Court,
Gabbs Municipal Court, Hawthorne Justice Court, Mina
Justice Court, Lovelock Municipal Court, Lake Justice
Court, Meadow Valley Justice Court, Las Vegas Justice
Court, and Logandale Justice Court.

4. The author further recommends that a study should be conducted on the eight courts that do not have a facility. These courts are located in a rural area, are geographically isolated from other courts, and have a small caseload. While the court is important to the local community, can the cost of a court facility be justified?

Those courts with no facility include Jackpot Justice Court, Jarbidge Justice Court, Eastline Justice Court, Goldrun Justice Court, Paradise Valley Justice Court, Baker Justice Court, Lund Justice Court, and Alamo Justice Court.

5. The final recommendation is that this study should be updated periodically and that facilities are monitored so that once these recommendations have been implemented, court facilities in the state of Nevada will never again fall into a category of "Inadequate".



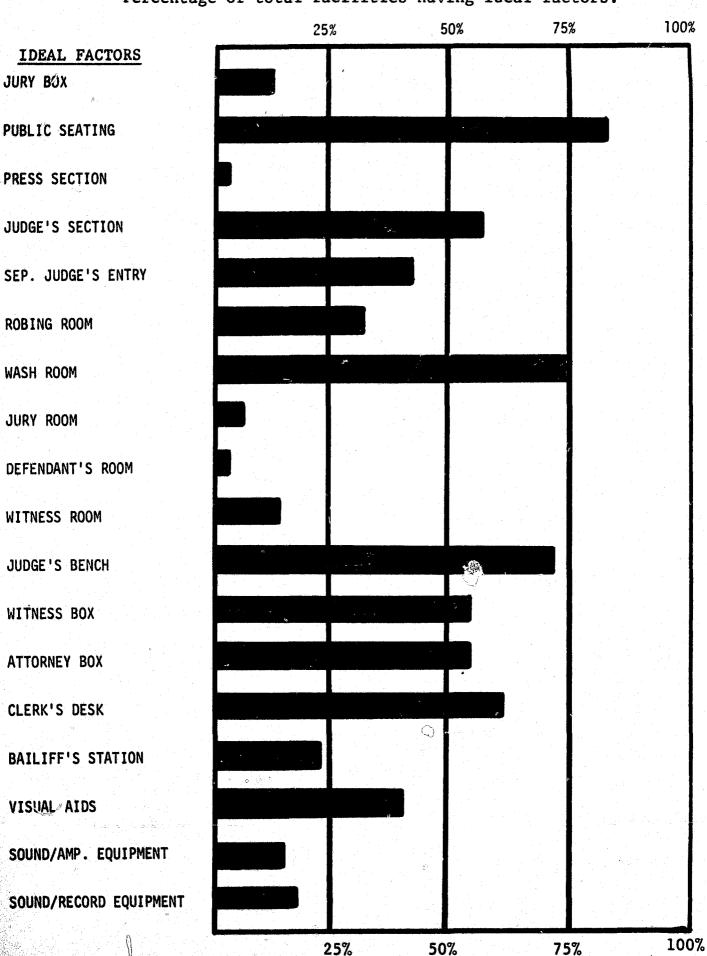
### RATINGS OF COURTS BY DISTRICTS

	Excellent	Good	<u>Fair</u>	Poor	Inadequate	No Facility	Total
First Judicial District	2	2	2	-	2		8
Second Judicial District	1	3	3				7
Third Judicial District	1	1	1	3			6
Fourth Judicial District	2	1		2		3	8
Fifth Judicial Di rict	2		3	3			8
Sixth Judicial District	1			<b>. 2</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>
Seventh Judicial District	1		1	1		3	7
Eighth Judicial District	_3_	_3_	_4_	_2_	_2_	-	14
TOTAL	13	10	14	13	6	8	64
PERCENTAGES	20%	16%	22%	20%	9%	13%	100%*

<sup>\*</sup>Figures were rounded to equal 100%

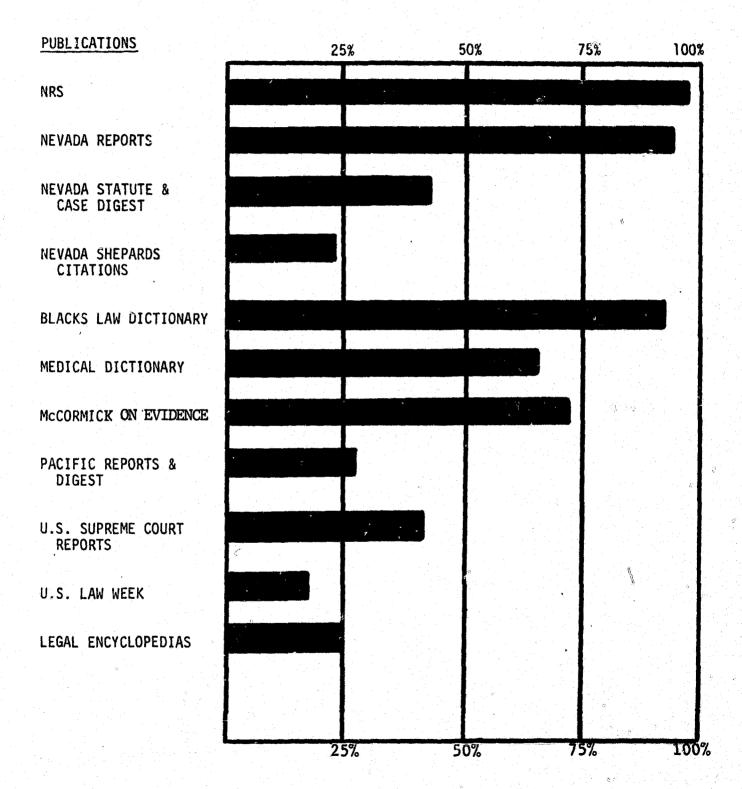
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#### Percentage of total facilities having ideal factors.

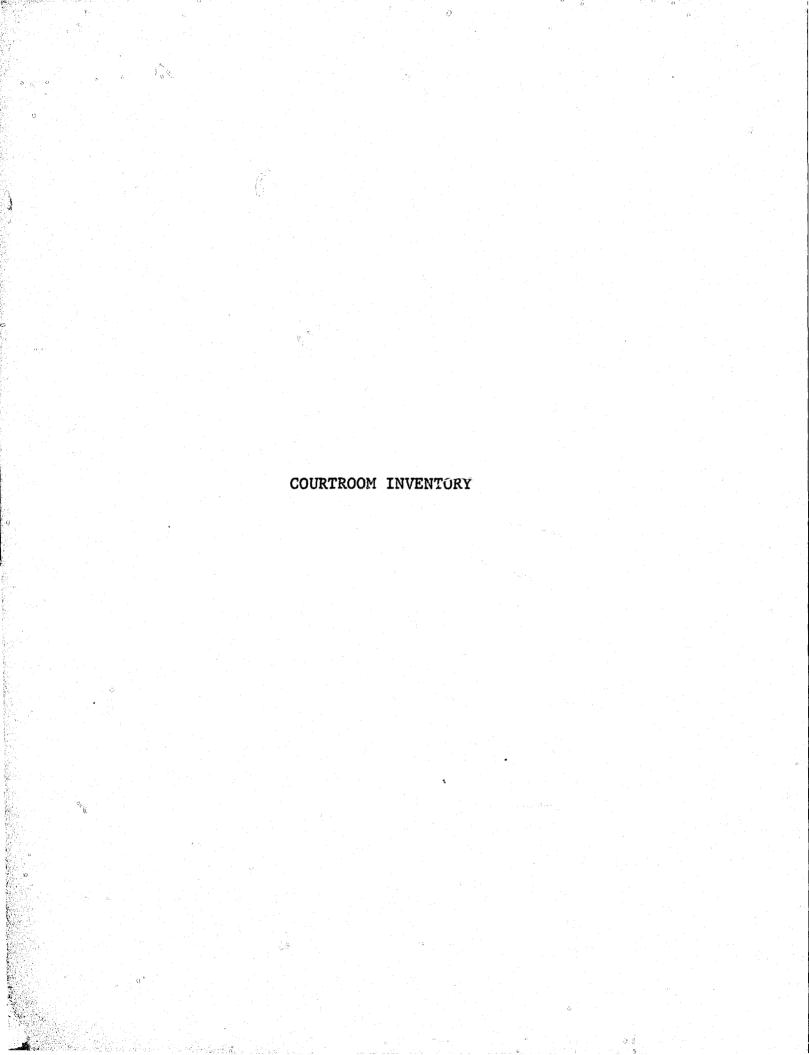


STATE TOTALS

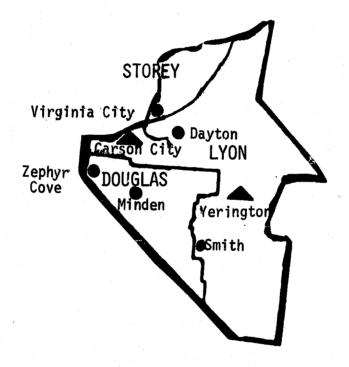
Percentage of total courts having ideal reference materials.



MAP OF STATE



FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT



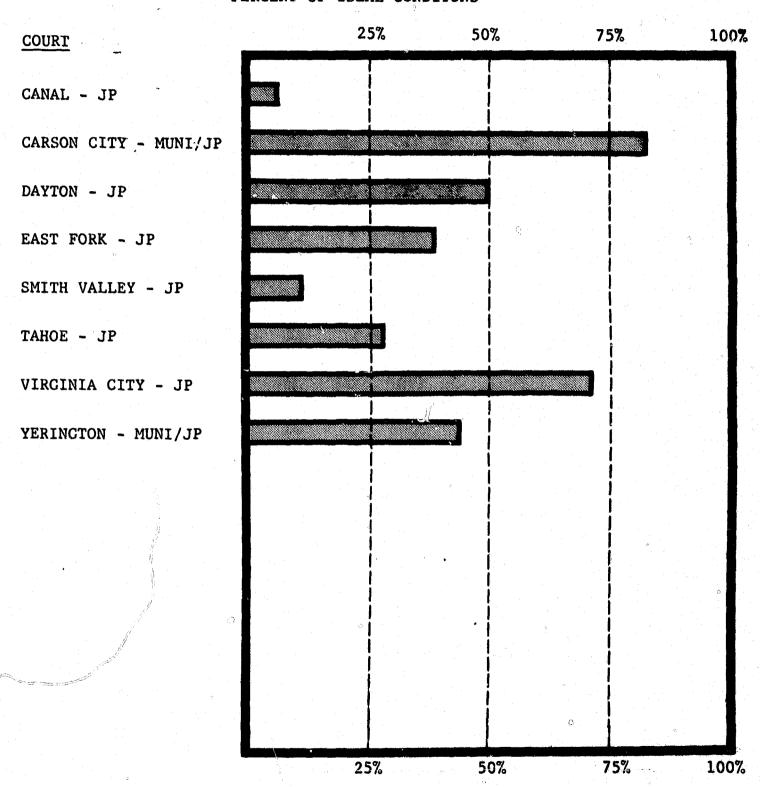
### FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT

location of justice courts
location of justice courts and municipal courts

#### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY

#### First Judicial District

#### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITONS



# COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District Canal Justice Court (Fernley)

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 1,470

Canal Justice Court is located in the same building as the sheriff's office. There is one desk in a very small room which serves as clerks desk, judges desk, bench, and court room. No storage is available for records.

RATING

Inadequate

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL LOAD 7,500

COURT ROOM DATA		·				COMMENTS
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1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's Station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual Aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value	000000000000000000000000000000000000000					
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#### COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District Carson City Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 15.468

The Carson City courthouse is currently the location of both the justice court and the municipal court with one judge presiding over both courts. The court is a new facility in a historical building which was formerly a gunshop and a post office. The court facilities are modern and have been designed with substantial help from the Administrative Office of the Courts, particularly for the needs of Carson City.

RATING

Excellent

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

8,000

#### COURT ROOM DATA

COMMENTS

#### **PHYSICAL**

YEAR BUILT 1925 or older

0 1. Jury box 2. Public seating Press section
 Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's Station14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual Aids17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District Dayton Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

826

Dayton Justice Court is located on North Main Street. It is a new facility built with the assistance of federal funds and is used by the county offices including the sheriff's office and the lire department.

RATING

Excellent

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APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 1.250

COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT	1978
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's Station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual Aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value		
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# COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District East Fork Justice Court Minden

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 3867

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 4,000

YEAR BUILT

East Fork Justice Court is located as a separate office in the county courthouse. The judges office and courtroom are in the same room.

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Fair RATING COURT ROOM DATA PHYSICAL O 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section ŏ 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 0 7. Washroom 0000 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's Station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual Aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary Ō 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence

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COMMENTS

1917

#### COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District Smith Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

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POPULATION (1970)

738

The Smith Justice Court shares a small room with the sheriff. The judge has one desk and a file cabinet.

RATING	Inadequate	APPROXIMATE	E ANNUAI	CASE	LOAD	150	
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PHYSICAL				YEAR	BUILT	before	1925
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District Tahoe Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

3.015

Tahoe Justice Court is located in Zephyr Cove, Nevada. The court has only one room with no windows. The office is crowded with very little space for the clerk. The court shares the facility with other county offices.

RATING

Fair

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

8,000

COMMENTS

#### COURT ROOM DATA PHYSICAL 0 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 00 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 0 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room O 7. Washroom 000 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports 30. U.S. Law Week

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YEAR BUILT 1958

## COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District Virginia City Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

RATING

POPULATION (1970)

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

695

The Virginia City Justice Court is located on "B" street. It is famous for its statue without a blindfold. The courtroom has poor lighting but is adequate for the caseload.

COURT ROOM DATA PHYSICAL 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL

21. Nevada Revised Statutes

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27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest

30. U.S. Law Week 31. Legal Encyclopedias

29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

22. Nevada Reports

Case Digests

Good

COMMENTS

1877

YEAR BUILT

300

### COURT ROOM FACILITIES First Judicial District Yerington Municipal and Justice Court

DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

5,187

The Yerington court is located at 30 Nevin Way. The court facility is the locatin of both the Mason Valley justice court and the Yerington Municipal Court. The facility houses the sheriff's office, jail, and the district attorney's office in addition to the court. While the courtroom is adequate, there is neither a good method for prisoner control nor a separate judges entrance.

RATING

Good

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

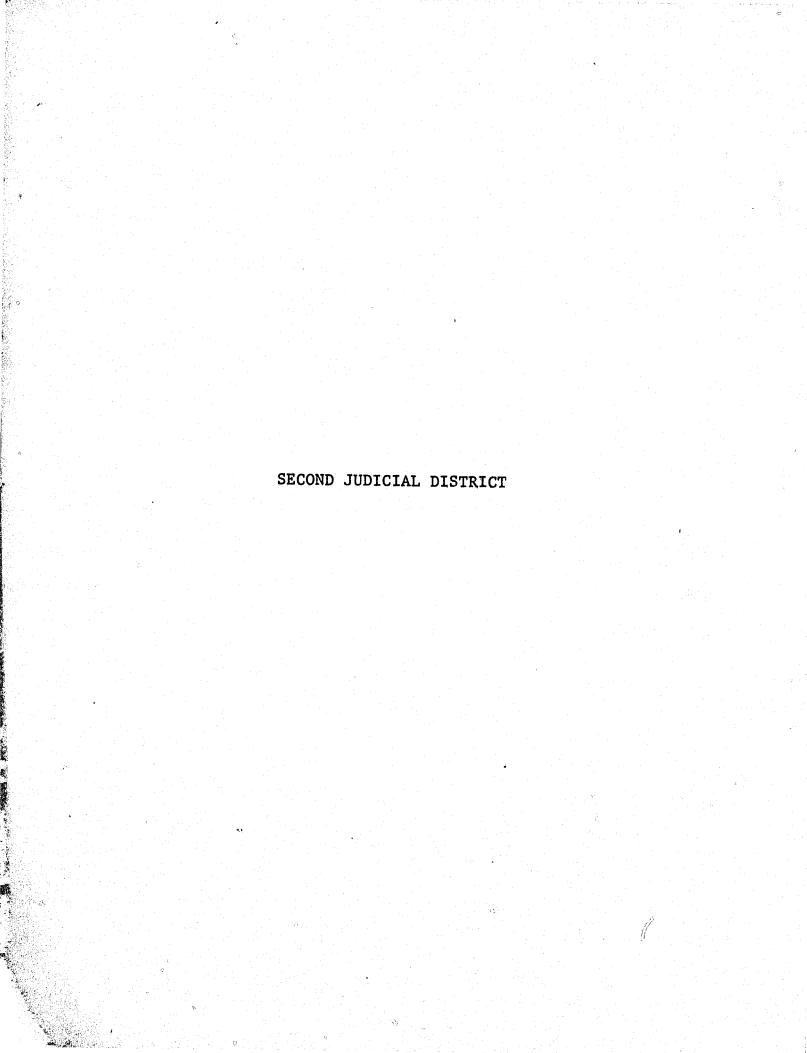
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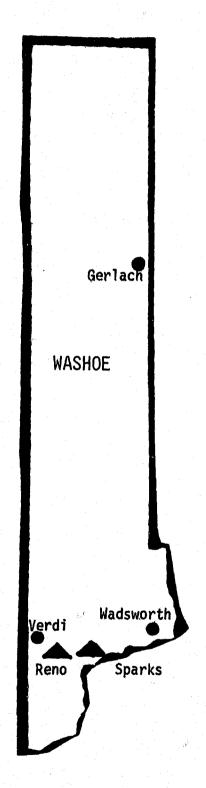
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YEAR BUILT 1976





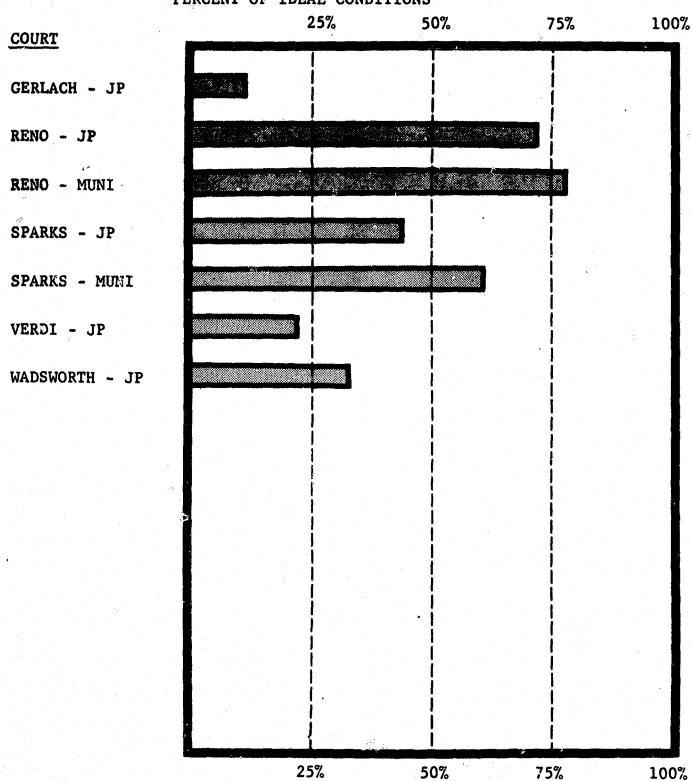
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location of justice courts and municipal courts

#### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY

#### Second Judicial District

#### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITIONS



## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Second Judicial District Gerlach Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

579

The Gerlach Justice Court is relatively new. The court was built in 1974.

RATING Fair	APPROXIMAT	E ANNUAL CA	ASELOAD	Less than 100
COURT ROOM DATA		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		COMMENTS
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Second Judicial District Reno Justice Court

DESCRIPTION

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POPULATION (1970)

90,502

The Reno Justice Court is located in the Washoe County courthouse on Virginia Street in downtown Reno. The court has two courtrooms which were formerly used by the second judicial district court.

Excellent RATING APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 28,000 COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS YEAR BUILT 1938 **PHYSICAL**  Jury box
 Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence

### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Second Judicial District Reno Municipal Court

#### DESCRIPTION

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POPULATION (1970)

72,863

The Reno Municipal Court is located on 33 High Street. The court has two separate courtrooms. This court has a spacious clerk's office. Within the courthouse there are excellent procedures and facilities for the transportation and security of prisoners.

Good 20,000 RATING APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS YEAR BUILT 1974 PHYSICAL 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 00 Jury room
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Second Judicial District Sparks Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1978) 55,700

The Sparks Justice Court is located at 814 B Street in Sparks. The acoustics in the courtroom are poor and the clerical work area is small. The court is located in a densely populated area and has limited parking available.

RATING Fair	APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD	8,000
COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT	1931
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value		Blackboard
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Second Judicial District Sparks Municipal Court

#### DESCRIPTION

24,187 POPULATION (1970)

The Sparks Municipal Court is located on B Street next to the Justice Court. A large clerk's office facilitates handling of the caseload. There is not any adequate parking available for people attending court.

RATING

Good

28. Pacific Reports & Digest 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

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APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

11,000

### COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS YEAR BUILT 1972 PHYSICAL 0 1. Jury box 2. Public seating Press section Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 000 16. Visual Aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports () 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests Õ 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary () 26. Medical Dictionary 0000 27. McCormick on Evidence

## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Second Judicial District Verdi Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 716

Verdi Justice Court is located in the center of Verdi. The court does not have a clerk. However, the facility is adequate for the limited caseload.

RATING

Fair

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 2,500

COURT ROOM DATA	· <del>····································</del>			4.5	COMMENTS
PHYSICAL		Year	Built	1878	
<ol> <li>Jury box</li> <li>Public seating</li> <li>Press section</li> <li>Judge's section</li> </ol>	0				
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Second Judicial District Wadsworth Justice Court

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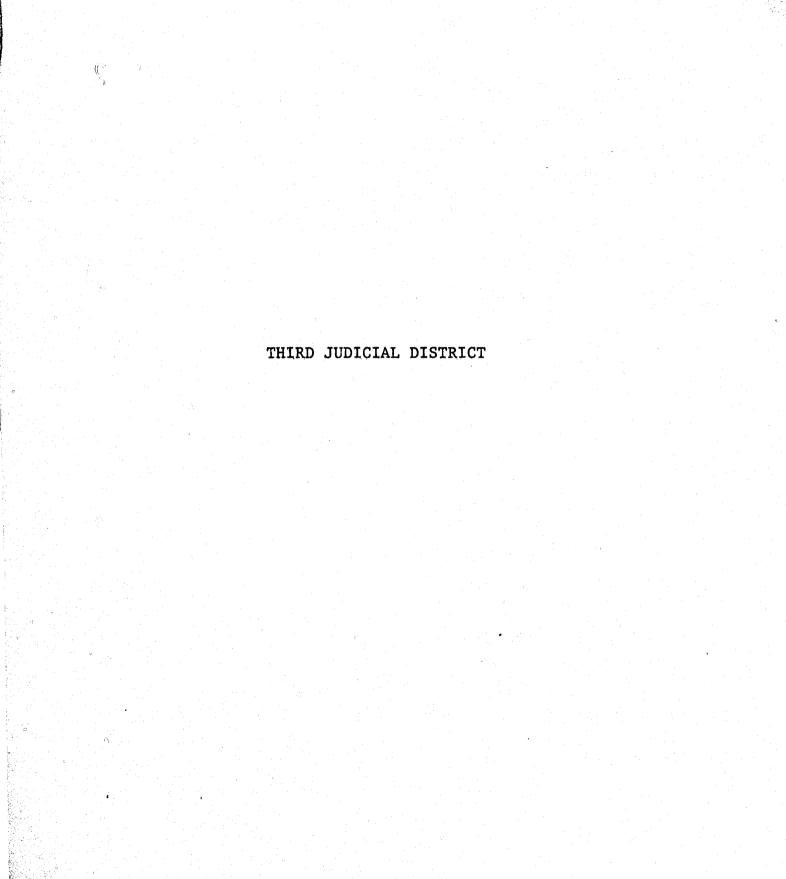
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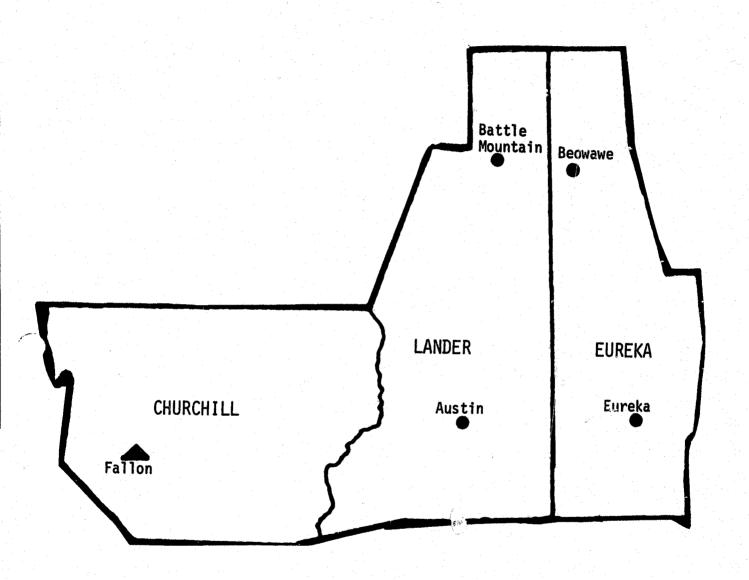
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The Wadsworth Justice Court is located on old highway 40 in Wadsworth. The facilities are more than adequate for the relatively small caseload.

RATING Good	APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD	Less than 100
COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT	1900
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### THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

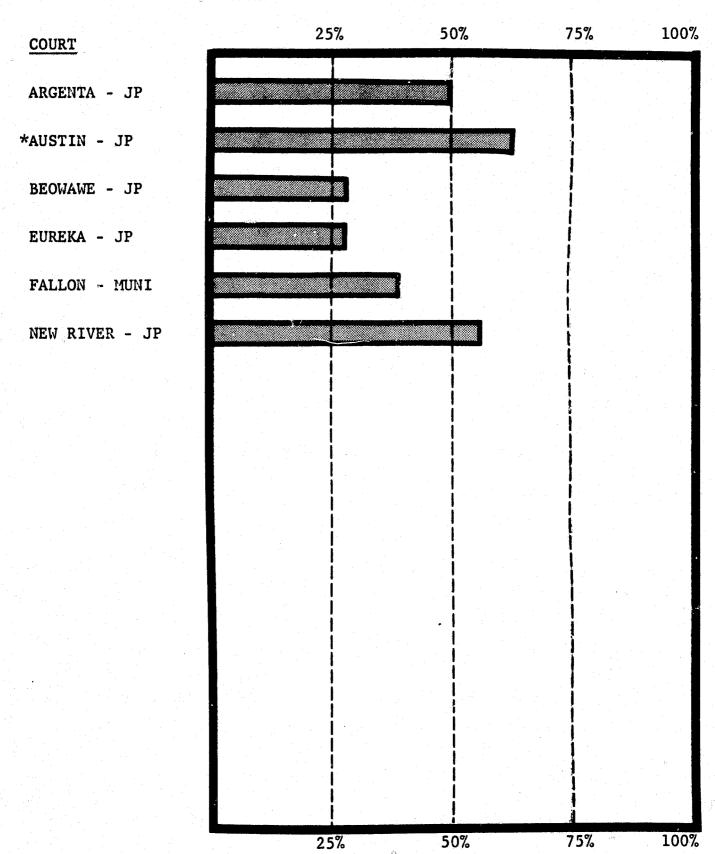
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### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY

### Third Judicial District

### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITIONS



## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Third Judicial District Argenta Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

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POPULATION (1970)

2,252

The Argenta Justice Court is located in Battle Mountain, Nevada. The court has limited clerical area however the overall court is adequate for the caseload and community.

Good RATING APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 3,000 COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS YEAR BUILT PHYSICAL 1940 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Third Judicial District Austin Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 414

The Justice Court shares the facility with the District Court. Since the district judge holds court twice a month at the Austin Justice Court, this does not create a severe problem. The courthouse is located on the main highway and has no air conditioning.

RATING Poor

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 1.500

COMMENTS

YEAR BUILT 1869

### COURT ROOM DATA PHYSICAL 1. Jury box Public seating Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual Aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest

29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports 30. U.S. Law Week

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# COURT KOOM FACILITIES Third Judicial District Beowawe Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 401

The Beowawe Justice Court is located in an old school building. The courtroum and judge's office are in one building.

RATING

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 100

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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Third Judicial District Eureka Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 547

The Eureka Justice Court is located in the District Courthouse which was built in 1879 during the mining boom of that period. The justice court consists of one room which serves as the courtroom, judge's office, and clerk's office.

RATING

Fair

29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

30. U.S. Law Week

31. Legal Encyclopedias

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

800

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Third Judicial District Fallon Municipal Court

#### DESCRIPTION

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30. U.S. Law Week

31. Legal Encyclopedias

POPULATION (1970) 2,959

The Fallon Municipal Court is located in the Fallon City Hall. The judge's office, courtroom, and clerk's office share the same room. The city police's office is located in the same building which allows for an officer present if it is necessary.

RATING Poor APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 1300 COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS PHYSICAL Year Built 1935 O 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 0 3. Press section 0 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry O 0 6. Robing room 0 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 500 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest

## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Third Judicial District New River Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 10,531

New River Justice Court is located in the Churchill County Law Enforcement facility in Fallon. The facility includes sheriff's office, district court, district attorney, and justice court. This provides a maximum amount of services with limited expenses, for example a fairly complete law library is accessible to everyone. The Justice courtroom also is used as a meeting room for the county commissioners in the evenings.

RATING

**Excellent** 

31. Legal Encyclopedias

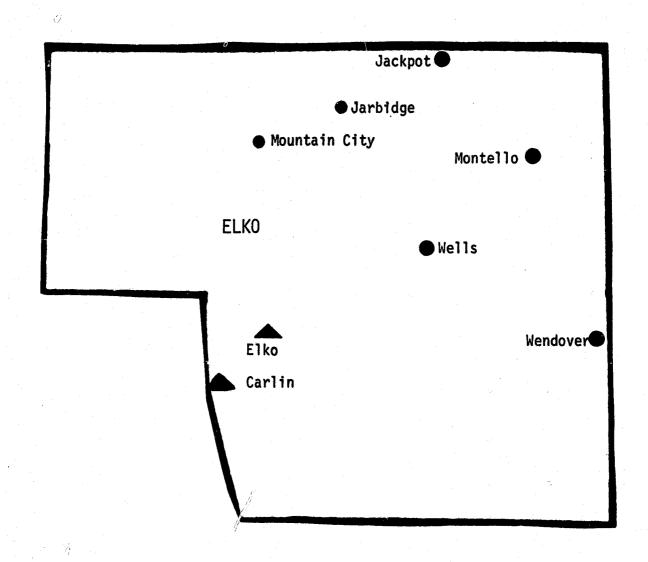
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COMMENTS

### COURT ROOM DATA Year Built 1973 PHYSICAL 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Rolling room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports 30. U.S. Law Week

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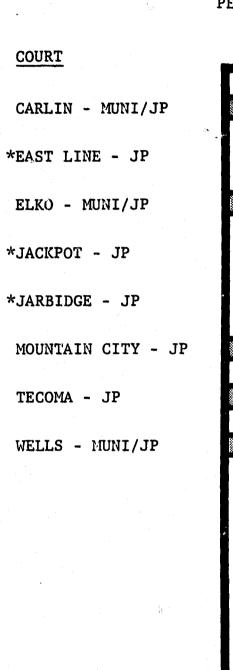
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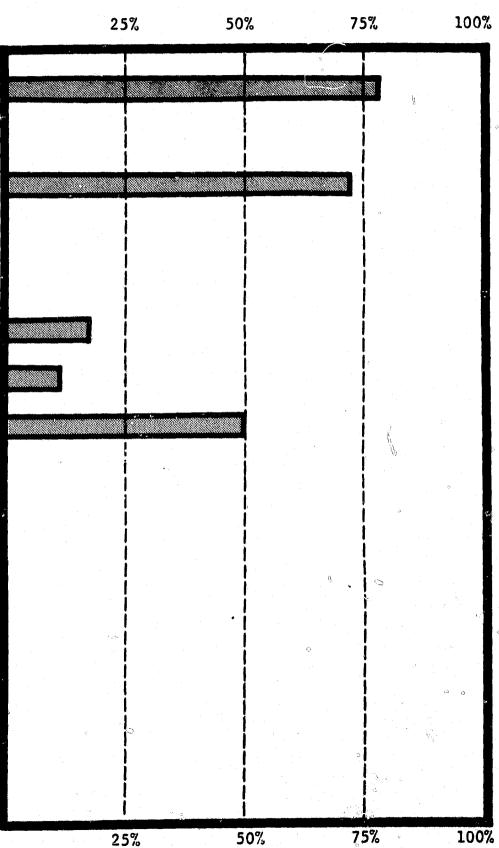
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### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY

### Fourth Judicial District

### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITIONS





## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fourth Judicial District Carlin Municipal and Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 1,356

The Carlin Justice Court is located in a new facility which is shared with the public health department. Construction of the facility was completed through efforts of the entire community.

RATING

Excellent

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 1300

COURT ROOM DATA				COMMENTS
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fourth Judicial District Elko Municipal and Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

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30. U.S. Law Week

28. Pacific Reports & Digest 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

POPULATION (1970)

8.931

The Elko courthouse is the location for both the justice court and municipal court. Since only one judge presides over both courts, this is a satisfactory arrangement. The court is located in the basement of the district court. Public seating could be expanded.

Excellent APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 9,000 RATING COMMENTS COURT ROOM DATA YEAR BUILT 1911 PHYSICAL 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 000000 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary

## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fourth Judicial District Jackpot Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 900

The Jackpot Justice Court is located in Cactus Pete's Warehouse. Better arrangements are being made.

RATING

No facilities

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD New court, information not available

COURT ROOM DATA	COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES

### Fourth Judicial District Jarbidge Justice Court

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POPULATION (1970)

32

No court facilities are available for Jarbidge Justice Court.

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# COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fourth Judicial District Montello Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

221

The Montello Justice Court shares its facilities with the jail.

RATING Poor	APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD Less than 100
COURT ROOM DATA	COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT 1924
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fourth Judicial District Wells Municipal and Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 1,109

The Wells city offices is currently the location of the Wells Municipal and Justice Court. The same judge presides over both courts so one courtroom is adequate. The courtroom is located upstairs of the city offices.

RATING Good

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 6,000

COURT ROOM DATA				COMMENTS
PHYSICAL		**	YEAR BUILT	early 1920's
<ol> <li>Jury box</li> <li>Public seating</li> <li>Press section</li> <li>Judge's section</li> </ol>	0			
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fourth Judicial District Mountain City Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

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POPULATION (1970) 1,125

The Mountain City Justice Court is located in the community center. The judge has a small office with a desk and a filing cabinet.

RATING Poor APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 200 COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS PHYSICAL Year Built 1936 () 1: Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fourth Judicial District East Line Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 97

The East Line Justice Court is located behind Jim's Casino at Wendover. Court is held in the judge's home or the conference room at the Stateline Hotel.

RATING

No facility

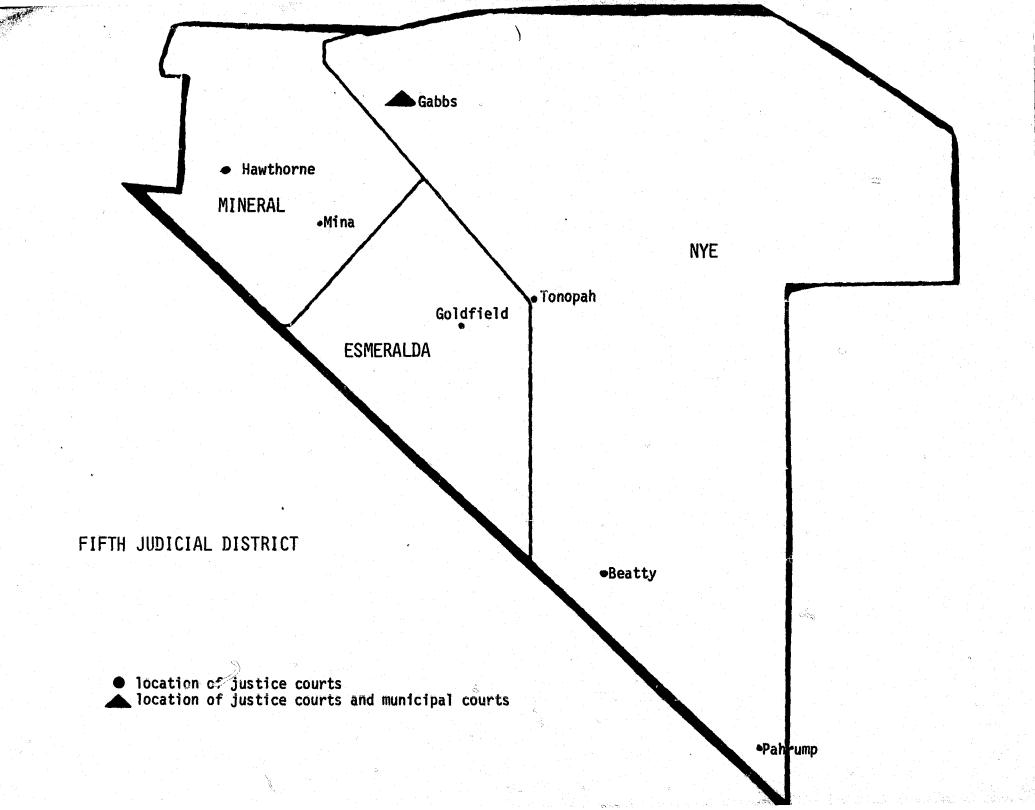
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COMMENT

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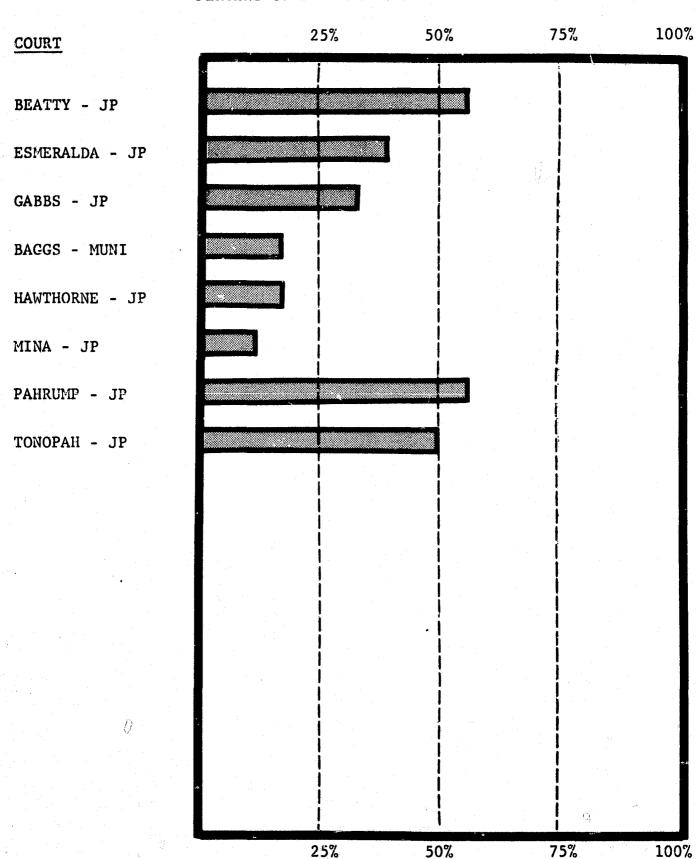
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### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY

### Fifth Judicial District

### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITIONS



100%

### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fifth Judicial District Beatty Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

1,131

The Beatty Justice Court is a relatively new facility, which incorporates the sheriff's office, jail, courtroom, judges chamber and clerk's office. The courthouse is located in the center of Beatty.

Excellent RATING APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 4,500 COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS YEAR BUILT 1976 PHYSICAL 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest



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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fifth Judicial District Gabbs Justice Court

DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

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The Gabbs Justice Court is located in a very old building. The facility is small, but due to the small caseload of the court, it is adequate.

RATING

Fair

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APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD Less than 100

COMMENTS

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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fifth Judicial District Gabbs Municipal Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 874

The Gabbs Municipal Court is located in the City Hall of Gabbs. The city hall has one large room that is used for a meeting room, courtroom, city council room, and multipurpose.

RATING

Poor

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APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

300

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fifth Judicial District Goldfield Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 629

The Goldfield Justice Court is located on the first floor of the county courthouse on State Highway 95. The judges office, the clerk's office, and the courtroom are located in one room.

RATING Fair

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 6500

COURT ROOM DATA			<u> </u>	<del></del>	COMMENTS
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## COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fifth Judicial District Hawthorne Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION(1971) 5,995

The Hawkhorne Justice Court is located on First and A Streets. While the facility is fairly new, the justice court is located in the bomb shelter area. The judge has a very small office for himself and his clerk. No courtroom is available for the exclusive use of the justice court.

RATING Poor APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 3,500

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fifth Judicial District Mina Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

506

The Mina Justice Court is a small office in Mina. The office is located in a corrugated steel building. While the caseload of the court is not large, the facilities are still not adequate as a court. Another building is being renovated for the use of the court in the near future.

Note: The present courtroom is owned by the judge. If the judge is not re-elected, there will not be

a courtroom.

RATING

Poor

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APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

200

### COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS YEAR BUILT PHYSICAL 1936 O 1. Jury box O 2. Public seating 00 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 0 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary ••0 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest O 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports 30. U.S. Law Week

### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Fifth Judicial District Tonopah Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

RATING

POPULATION (1970)

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

2,290

900

COMMENTS

The Tonopah Justice Court is an extension of the county courthouse which is located on state highway 95. The facility incorporates most of the desirable aspects of court. The judges office is small. An expansion of the facility is anticipated.

COURT ROOM DATA

PHYSICAL

1. Jury box

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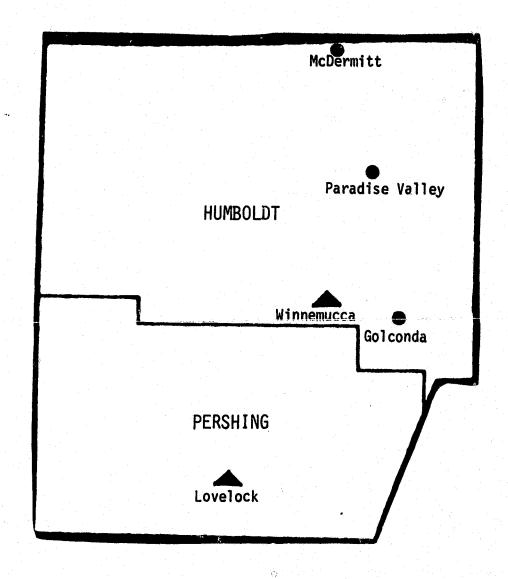
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#### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY

### Sixth Judicial District

### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITIONS



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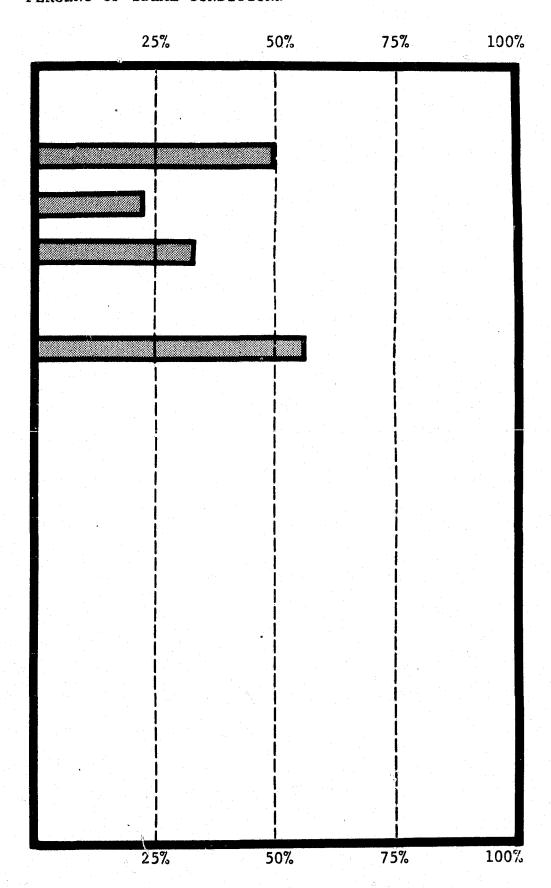
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LOVELOCK - MUNI

McDERMITT - JP

\*PARADISE VALLEY - JP

UNION - MUNI/JP



### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Sixth Judicial District Gold Run Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 238

The Gold Run Justice Court has no facilities.

RATING No.

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Sixth Judicial District Lovelock Municipal Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

1,571

COMMENTS

The Lovelock Municipal Court is located in the basement of the Pershing County Courthouse. The Municipal Court shares facilities with the justice court. Lovelock has the first and only round courtroom in the state.

RATING Poor

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 1300

### COURT ROOM DATA YEAR BUILT 1906 PHYSICAL 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest

29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

30. U.S. Law Week

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Sixth Judicial District Lake Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 2,670

The Lake Justice Court is located in the basement of the Pershing county courthouse. The court shares facilities with the Lovelock Municipal Court.

RATING

Poor

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Sixth Judicial District McDermitt Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 1,086

The McDermitt Justice Court is located in a building behind the judge's home. It is anticipated that a new courtroom will be constructed within a year.

RATING Inadequate

28. Pacific Reports & Digest 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

31. Legal Encyclopedias

30. U.S. Law Week

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 400

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Sixth Judicial District Paradise Valley Justice Court

#### **DESCRIPTION**

POPULATION (1970) 257

No court facilities are available for Paradise Valley Justice Court.

RATING No facilities

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD less than 100

COURT ROOM DATA	COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual Aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value	000000000000000000000000000000000000000
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### COURT ROOM FACIL/TIES Sixth Judicial District Winnemucca Municipal and Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 4,794

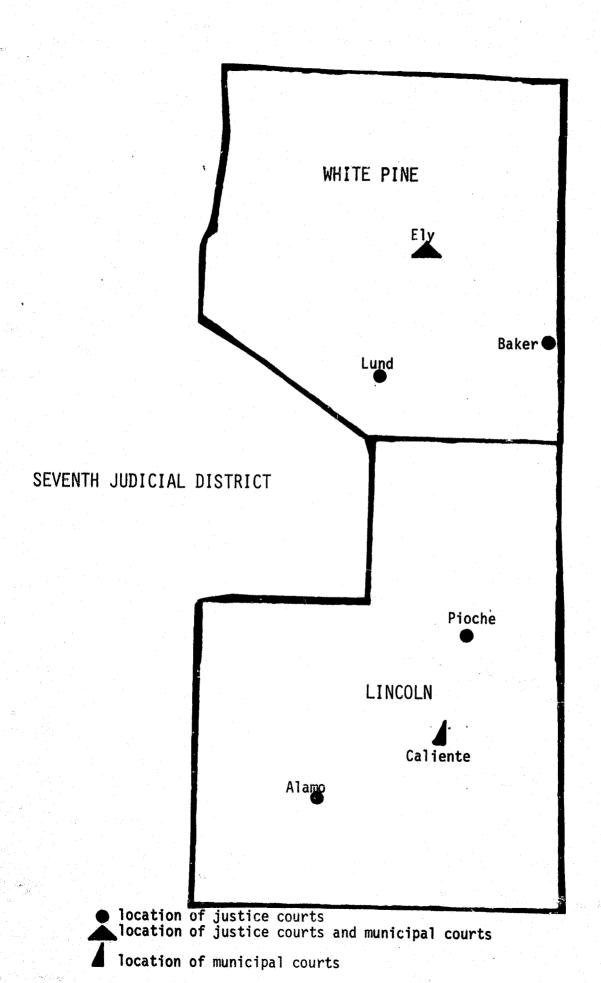
The Winnemucca Municipal and Justice Court shares the same facility. This does not present any difficulties since the judge serves as both municipal court judge and justice of the peace. The facility is relatively new and is adequate.

RATING Excellent

31. Legal Encyclopedias

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1. Jury box	0						
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SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

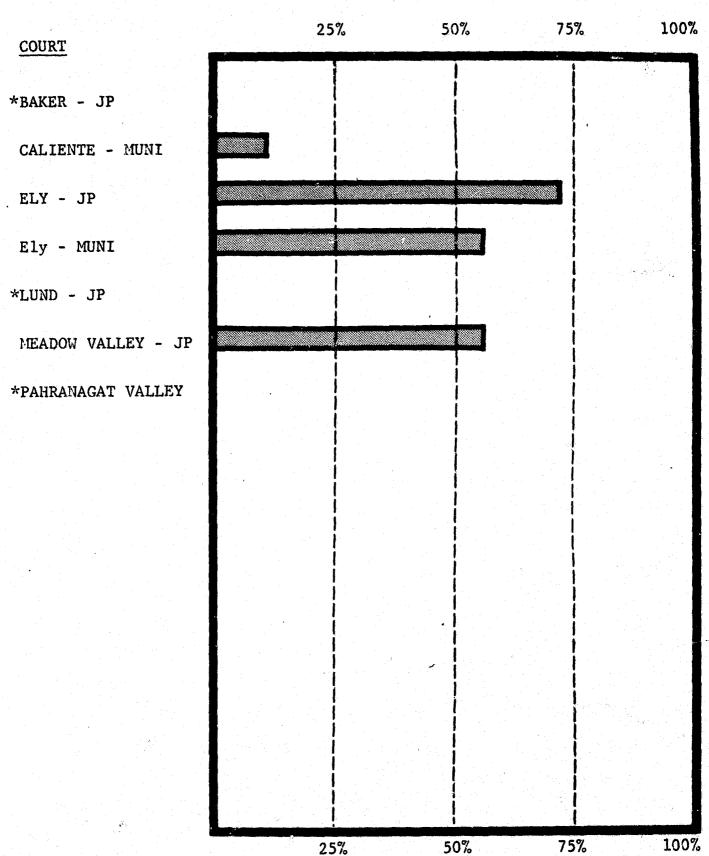


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### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY

### Seventh Judicial District

### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITIONS



### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial District Pahrump Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1978) 3,500

The Pahrump Justice Court is located in a new facility shared with a variety of county offices. The court facility incorporates most of the necessary factors of a court. The population of Pahrump is increasing substantially. The courthouse has a growth potential to adjust to an increase in population.

RATING

Excellent

COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	Year built 1977	
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff' station		
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial District Baker Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 146

There are no court facilities in Baker.

RATING No facilities	APPROXI	MATE ANNUAL (	CASELOAD 1	ess than 10
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial District Caliente Municipal Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 1,356

The Caliente Municipal Court is located in the historic railroad center. The judge has one very small room in which to conduct court. The railroad center is used by other city offices also.

RATING Inadequate

31. Legal Encyclopedias

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PHYSICAL			YEAR BUILT	1944
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value	00000000000000000			
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial District Ely Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 9,686

The Ely Justice Court is located in the basement of the White Pine County Courthouse. The judge's office, courtroom, and clerk's office are located in one room. The justice court is being remodeled at the present time.

RATING Fair

COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENTS
PHYSICAL		YEAR BUILT 1976
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value		after remodeling upstairs
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial Distirict Ely Municipal Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 4,176

The Ely Municipal Court is located in new public safety complex. The facility is shared by several public offices.

RATING Excellent

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PH	YSICAL		YEAR	BUILT 1908
2	. Jury box . Public seating . Press section	0		
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial District Lund Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 318

There are no court facilities in Lund.

RATING No facilities

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD less than 100

COURT ROOM DATA				COMMENTS
PHYSICAL			YEAR BUILT	
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial District Meadow Valley Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)

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The Meadow Valley Justice Court is located in Pioche. The Justice Court shares the facilities with the district court in the Lincoln County Courthouse.

RATING Poor

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31. Legal Encyclopedias

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

400

### COURT ROOM DATA COMMENTS YEAR BUILT 1968 PHYSICAL 1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom Jury room Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk15. Bailiff's station 0000 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment18. Sound recording equipment 19, Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Seventh Judicial District Pahranagat Valley Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1978) 1200-1500

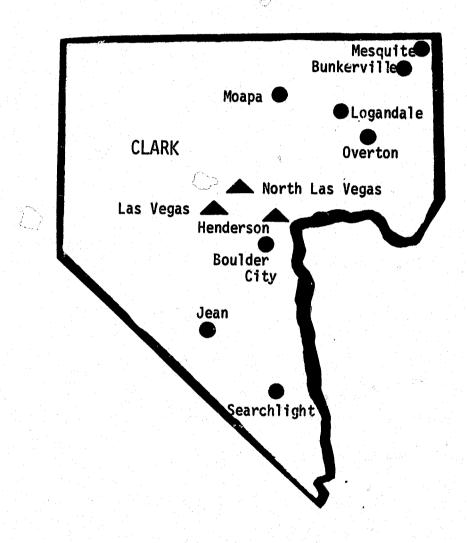
There are no court facilities in Alamo.

RATING No facilities

COURT ROOM DATA			COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	<b>.</b>	YEAR BUILT	
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EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT



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- Location of justice courts and municipal courts

### LOWER COURT FACILITIES STUDY Eighth Judicial District

### PERCENT OF IDEAL CONDITIONS

COURT	25	75%	100%	
BUNKERVILLE - JP				
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SEARCHLIGHT - JP				

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100%

### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Boulder City Municipal and Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 5,674

The Boulder City Hall is the location of the Boulder City Municipal Court and Nelson Justice Court. The offices for the judge are somewhat small but otherwise the court is adequate.

RATING Fair

COURT ROOM DATA	COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT 1930
1. Jury box	
2. Public seating	
3. Press section O	
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5. Separate Judge's entry	
6. Robing room	
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Bunkervill Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 244

The Bunkerville Justice Court is located at the old school gymnasium. The courtroom is also used as a meeting room which has been comverted into the community center.

RATING Fair

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

less than 100

COMMENTS

COURT ROOM DATA	
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT 1916
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Henderson Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 16,410

The Henderson Justice Court is located in an old school building which has been remodeled into court facilities. The court is located at 201 Lead Street.

RATING Excellent

COURT ROOM DATA	COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT 1952
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value	
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Henderson Municipal Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 16,395

The Henderson Municipal Court is located in the Henderson City Hall Building. The judge shares his courtroom with the City Council, this creates no conflict for use. The courtroom's acoustics are poor.

RATING Good

31. Legal Encyclopedias

COURT ROOM DATA						COM	MENTS
PHYSICAL				YEAR	BUILT	1954	
1. Jury box	0						
2. Public seating							
3. Press section	0						
4. Judge's section							
5. Separate Judge's entry							
6. Robing room							
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Jean Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 314

The Jean Justice Court is located in a very small motel room belonging to Pop's Oasis Casino. The justice court has a heavy caseload which will probably be increasing due to the minimum security prison recently built in Jean. (The court does not have a courtroom, a desk for the clerk, or any public seating.)

RATING Inadequate

COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENT
PHYSICAL		YEAR BUILT
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Vailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value	00000000000000000	
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Jean Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 314

The Jean Justice Court is located in a very small motel room belonging to Pop's Oasis Casino. The justice court has a heavy caseload which will probably be increasing due to the new minimum security prison recently built in Jean. (The court does not have a courtroom, a desk for the clerk, or any public seating.)

RATING

Inadequate

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Las Vegas Justice Court

### **DESCRIPTION**

POPULATION (1970) 191,260

The Las Vegas Justice Court is located at 222 South Third Street. While the courthouse has a great number of desirable features, the facility itself is inadequate for the caseload of the court. Due to lack of space, the judges's chambers are in a different building than the courthouse. The clerk's office is extremely crowded.

RATING Poor

30. U.S. Law Week

31. Legal Encyclopedias

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

115,000

RATING Poor	APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD 115,000
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Las Vegas Municipal Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 125,787

The Las Vegas Municipal Court is located on 400 E. Stewart Stewart Street in Las Vegas. The facility incorporates all municipal offices.

RATING

30. U.S. Law Week

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Excellent

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD

98,800

COMMENTS

### COURT ROOM DATA YEAR BUILT 1905 PHYSICAL Jury box Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value REFERENCE MATERIAL 21. Nevada Revised Statutes 22. Nevada Reports 23. Nevada Statute Annotations & Case Digests 24. Nevada Shepards Citations 25. Blacks Law Dictionary 26. Medical Dictionary 27. McCormick on Evidence 28. Pacific Reports & Digest 29. U.S. Supreme Court Reports

### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eight Judicial District Logandale Justice Court

#### **DESCRIPTION**

POPULATION (1970) 426

The Logandale Justice Court is located in the firehouse of Logandale. The judge does not have adequate facilities or a set of NRS. The current caseload is small.

RATING Poor

APPROXIMATE ANNUAL CASELOAD less than 100

COURT ROOM DATA	COMMENTS
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT 1946
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Mesquite Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 674

The Mesquite Justice Court is located in the community center. The judge has a separate office and can use the large meeting and social hall for a courtroom as required.

RATING Good

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Moapa Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 420

The courtroom is located within a 30 year old house. The living room is the actual courtroom with the two bedrooms converted to chambers and an office. The facility is easily located with sufficient parking.

RATING Good

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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District North Las Vegas Justice Court

### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 56,243

The North Las Vegas Justice Court is located in a new facility. The court is in a shopping area which provides ample parking for the public.

RATING Excellent

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PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT	1972
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District North Las Vegas Municipal Court

#### DESCRIPTION .

POPULATION (1970) 36,216

The North Las Vegas Municipal Court is located in the public safety building at 1301 E. Lake Mead Blvd. The facility houses all the municipal offices including the court.

RATING Good

COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENTS
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1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value		
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eight Judicial District Overton Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970)1,336

The Overton Justice Court is located in the sheriff's office. The courtroom is small and lacks a number of desireable features, but is adequate for the volume of cases and the community.

RATING Fair

COURT ROOM DATA		COMMENTS
PHYSICAL		YEAR BUILT 1960
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	
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### COURT ROOM FACILITIES Eighth Judicial District Searchlight Justice Court

#### DESCRIPTION

POPULATION (1970) 356

The Searchlight Justice Court shares the building with the sheriff's substation. The facility has one large room which serves as the judge's office, clerk's office and courtroom.

RATING Fair

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COURT ROOM DATA	COMMENT
PHYSICAL	YEAR BUILT before 1948
1. Jury box 2. Public seating 3. Press section 4. Judge's section 5. Separate Judge's entry 6. Robing room 7. Washroom 8. Jury room 9. Defendant's room 10. Witness room 11. Judge's Bench 12. Witness box 13. Attorney's station 14. Clerk's desk 15. Bailiff's station 16. Visual aids 17. Sound amplifying equipment 18. Sound recording equipment 19. Flag 20. Historical value	
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