# REPORT

SECOND QUARTER 2005

Compared to last quarter:

**VACANCY** 



**ABSORPTION** 



**LEASE RATES** 



## **CONSTRUCTION**



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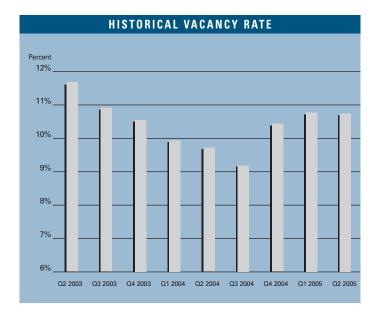
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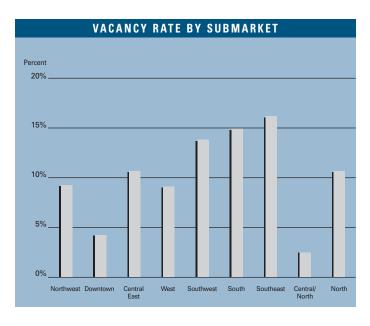
- Second quarter unemployment for Las Vegas stood at 3.7 percent, down from the 4.3 percent recorded 12 months prior. By comparison, the national unemployment rate was 5.1 percent (seasonally adjusted) at the close of the second quarter.
- The Las Vegas Valley added an estimated 61,100 new jobs during the past 12 months, representing a 7.6 percent growth rate. Consistent new job growth is anticipated during the upcoming quarter.
- At the end of the second quarter 2005, the Las Vegas office market was comprised of 34.8 million square feet of inventory in 1,220 buildings.
- New additions to the market contributed 668,000 square feet, while demand (net absorption) remained positive with 572,000 square feet.
- Currently, there are approximately 2.1 million square feet of office space under construction and 5.7 million square feet planned for future development.
- There were 3.8 million unoccupied square feet, producing a market-wide vacancy rate of 10.8 percent. Current vacancies represented an increase from the 9.7 percent reported a year ago.
- The Southwest submarket continues to lead the market in terms of the amount of development activity. As of the second quarter 2005, the Southwest reported 917,000 square feet under construction and another 1.8 million planned for future development.

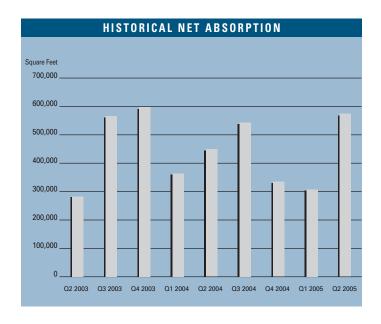
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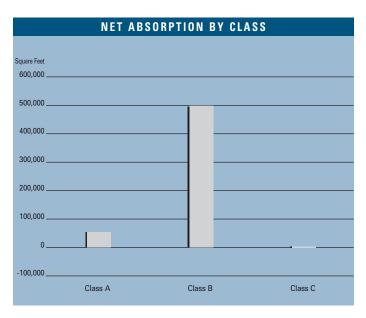
|                      | 20 2005   | 10 2005   | 20 2004   | % CHANGE VS. 2004 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Under Construction   | 2,119,000 | 1,984,000 | 1,782,000 | 18.91%            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Planned Construction | 5,719,000 | 5,733,000 | 4,573,000 | 25.06%            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vacancy              | 10.8%     | 10.8%     | 9.7%      | 11.34%            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Absorption       | 572.000   | 342,000   | 453.000   | 26.27%            |  |  |  |  |  |  |

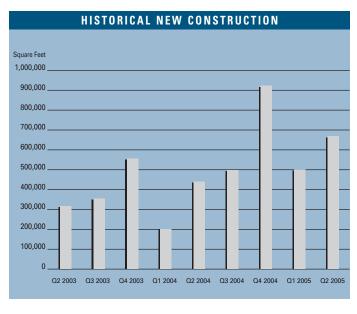
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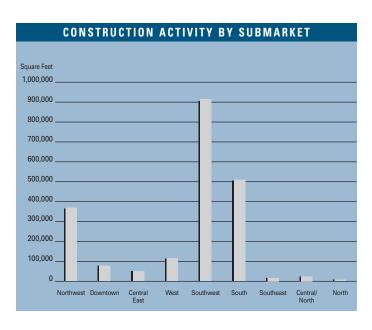










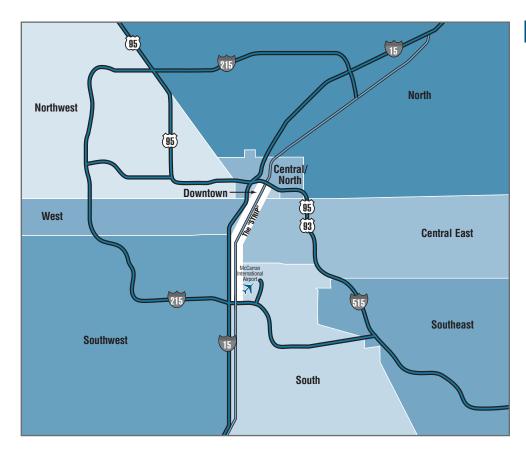


# SECOND QUARTER 2005

# LAS VEGAS MARKET

|                               |                        | INVENTORY                            |                           |                             |                                 | NCY                       | ABSORPTION                    |                            |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                               | Number<br>Of<br>Bldgs. | Net<br>Rentable<br>Square Feet       | Square<br>Feet<br>U / C   | Square<br>Feet<br>Planned   | Square<br>Feet<br>Vacant        | Vacancy<br>Rate<br>202005 | Net<br>Absorption<br>2Q2005   | New<br>Inventory<br>202005 |
| Northwest                     |                        |                                      |                           |                             |                                 |                           | ·                             |                            |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 18<br>150<br>7         | 1,334,322<br>4,183,816<br>133,131    | 195,235<br>175,510<br>0   | 310,028<br>249,011<br>0     | 107,663<br>413,002<br>3,189     | 8.1%<br>9.9%<br>2.4%      | (454)<br>82,697<br>0          | 0<br>139,320<br>0          |
| Northwest Total               | 175                    | 5,651,269                            | 370,745                   | 559,039                     | 523,854                         | 9.3%                      | 82,243                        | 139,320                    |
| Downtown                      |                        |                                      | ·                         |                             |                                 |                           |                               | •                          |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 6<br>38<br>23          | 1,340,173<br>1,084,802<br>597,598    | 85,200<br>0<br>0          | 0<br>212,000<br>0           | 12,700<br>77,612<br>35,330      | 0.9%<br>7.2%<br>5.9%      | 0<br>114,751<br>0             | 0<br>92,777<br>0           |
| Downtown Total                | 67                     | 3,022,573                            | 85,200                    | 212,000                     | 125,642                         | 4.2%                      | 114,751                       | 92,777                     |
| Central East                  |                        |                                      |                           |                             |                                 |                           |                               |                            |
| Class A Class B Class C       | 12<br>108<br>49        | 1,373,298<br>3,978,111<br>1,324,193  | 0<br>64,127<br>0          | 436,963<br>0<br>0           | 18,677<br>596,866<br>131,975    | 1.4%<br>15.0%<br>10.0%    | 2,024<br>(27,694)<br>631      | 0<br>0<br>0                |
| Central East Total West       | 169                    | 6,675,602                            | 64,127                    | 436,963                     | 747,518                         | 11.2%                     | (25,039)                      | 0                          |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 6<br>206<br>34         | 707,467<br>4,559,884<br>619,865      | 0<br>124,500<br>0         | 0<br>205,579<br>0           | 9,604<br>457,724<br>73,298      | 1.4%<br>10.0%<br>11.8%    | (3,780)<br>13,624<br>(12,292) | 0<br>0<br>0                |
| West Total                    | 246                    | 5,887,216                            | 124,500                   | 205,579                     | 540,626                         | 9.2%                      | (2,448)                       | 0                          |
| Southwest                     |                        |                                      |                           |                             |                                 |                           |                               |                            |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 6<br>117<br>19         | 182,335<br>2,920,788<br>325,077      | 137,275<br>779,541<br>0   | 421,075<br>1,379,323<br>0   | 22,435<br>446,507<br>10,245     | 12.3%<br>15.3%<br>3.2%    | 53,507<br>213,589<br>6,825    | 60,000<br>106,522<br>0     |
| Southwest Total               | 142                    | 3,428,200                            | 916,816                   | 1,800,398                   | 479,187                         | 14.0%                     | 273,921                       | 166,522                    |
| South                         |                        |                                      |                           |                             |                                 |                           |                               |                            |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 13<br>264<br>18        | 847,872<br>5,823,929<br>144,712      | 0<br>513,284<br>0         | 69,000<br>1,189,517<br>0    | 96,575<br>925,528<br>6,392      | 11.4%<br>15.9%<br>4.4%    | (562)<br>71,751<br>0          | 65,288<br>160,065<br>0     |
| South Total                   | 295                    | 6,816,513                            | 513,284                   | 1,258,517                   | 1,028,495                       | 15.1%                     | 71,189                        | 225,353                    |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 2<br>47<br>10          | 118,877<br>1,058,303<br>91,340       | 0<br>15,000<br>0          | 77,881<br>595,100<br>0      | 40,000<br>147,609<br>20,089     | 33.6%<br>13.9%<br>22.0%   | 4,155<br>9,270<br>3,471       | 0<br>0<br>0                |
| Southeast Total               | 59                     | 1,268,520                            | 15,000                    | 672,981                     | 207,698                         | 16.4%                     | 16,896                        | 0                          |
| Central/North                 |                        | 202.222                              | 0                         |                             | 0                               | 0.00/                     |                               |                            |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 1<br>18<br>9           | 220,000<br>702,078<br>368,055        | 0<br>28,982<br>0          | 0<br>120,000<br>0           | 0<br>23,001<br>8,128            | 0.0%<br>3.3%<br>2.2%      | 0<br>0<br>850                 | 0<br>0<br>0                |
| Central/North Total           | 28                     | 1,290,133                            | 28,982                    | 120,000                     | 31,129                          | 2.4%                      | 850                           | 0                          |
| North                         |                        |                                      |                           |                             |                                 |                           |                               |                            |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 1<br>35<br>3           | 45,376<br>714,758<br>12,000          | 0<br>0<br>0               | 54,419<br>399,520<br>0      | 13,092<br>71,318<br>0           | 28.9%<br>10.0%<br>0.0%    | 13,450<br>26,000<br>0         | 0<br>43,821<br>0           |
| North Total                   | 39                     | 772,134                              | 0                         | 453,939                     | 84,410                          | 10.9%                     | 39,450                        | 43,821                     |
| Las Vegas Total               |                        | -                                    |                           |                             |                                 |                           |                               |                            |
| Class A<br>Class B<br>Class C | 65<br>983<br>172       | 6,169,720<br>25,026,469<br>3,615,971 | 417,710<br>1,700,944<br>0 | 1,369,366<br>4,350,050<br>0 | 320,746<br>3,159,167<br>288,646 | 5.2%<br>12.6%<br>8.0%     | 68,340<br>503,988<br>(515)    | 125,288<br>542,505<br>0    |
| Total                         | 1,220                  | 34,812,160                           | 2,118,654                 | 5,719,416                   | 3,768,559                       | 10.8%                     | 571,813                       | 667,793                    |





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