

LISTENING

- 1. According to the speaker, what kind of reputation does Las Vegas have?**
 - a. eco-friendly
 - b. excessive
 - c. excellent
- 2. How do we know that buildings are eco-rated?**
 - a. certifications
 - b. licences
 - c. regulations
- 3. What expression does the speaker use meaning "to have a small environmental impact"?**
 - a. go gingerly
 - b. live simply
 - c. tread lightly
- 4. Why is water conservation especially important in Las Vegas?**
 - a. It's in a very dry environment.
 - b. It has many large conventions.
 - c. There are many water features.
- 5. Why does being eco-friendly make business sense to Mr. Murren?**
 - a. 12,000 employees work in the development.
 - b. Many millennials are environmentally aware.
 - c. The complex has bars, shops, and restaurants.
- 6. What example of environmental awareness does Mr. Murren give?**
 - a. organic menus
 - b. solar technology
 - c. recycling food
- 7. What criticism of City Center is given by Mr. Roch?**
 - a. The size and magnitude of the development is excessive.
 - b. Natural resources were not recycled during the project.
 - c. Creating new buildings has a negative impact on the environment.
- 8. What does the saying "what happens in Vegas, stays in Vegas" mean?**
 - a. Las Vegas is an unusual place to stay.
 - b. What you do in Las Vegas is your own business.
 - c. There is always a lot happening in Las Vegas.
- 9. What aspect of Las Vegas does the speaker mainly discuss?**
 - a. water conservation
 - b. gambling and hotels
 - c. urban development
 - d. convention space
- 10. What does the speaker imply when he says "The oft repeated theme of Las Vegas is 'what happens in Vegas stays in Vegas.' In the case of urban development, perhaps we should hope that it doesn't."**
 - a. There shouldn't be more urban development in Las Vegas.
 - b. Valuable lessons can be learned from development in Las Vegas.
 - c. Las Vegas is not a good example of sustainable development.
 - d. Urbanization issues are especially problematic in Las Vegas.