

If your neighborhood feels hot this summer, you might turn to the writings of Saco Rienk DeBoer for an explanation.



DeBoer

DeBoer, who designed Boulder City during construction of Hoover Dam, laid out the town to most efficiently use shade and cool spots. It was "America's first fully developed and implemented experiment in town planning," according to the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation.

In a 1933 architecture journal, DeBoer noted the hill that is the
of the Federal Building