



City Council Chamber
735 Eighth Street South
Naples, Florida 34102

City Council Special Workshop Meeting – May 7, 1997- 8:30 a.m.

Mayor Barnett called the meeting to order and presided.

ROLL CALL.....ITEM 1

Present: Bill Barnett, Mayor
Marjorie Prolman, Vice Mayor

Council Members:
Bonnie R. MacKenzie
John R. Nocera
Fred Tarrant
Peter H. Van Arsdale

Absent: Fred L. Sullivan

Also Present:

Dr. Richard L. Woodruff, City Manager
Kenneth B. Cuyler, City Attorney
Miss McKim, Planning director
Tara Norman, City Clerk
Dr. Jon Staiger, Natural Resources Mgr.
Dan Mercer, Utilities Director
Richard Gatti, Development Svc. Dir.
Virginia Neet, Deputy City Clerk
Flinn Fagg, Planner
Anne Walker, Planner
Susan Golden, Planner
Brenda Cairns, Administrative Asst.

Robert Middleton, Operational Supvr.,
Utilities
George Henderson, Sergeant-at-Arms,
Ret.
Molly Reed, Recording Secretary
Werner Haardt
Charlie Andrews
Alexandra Gunderson
Clark Russell
Allen Trump

Other Interested Citizens and Visitors

ITEMS TO BE ADDED.....ITEM 2

None

.....ITEM 3

INTERVIEWS WITH CANDIDATES FOR THE BEACH RENOURISHMENT/ MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE. (8:31 a.m.)

Council interviewed Alexandra Gunderson.

It is noted for the record that Council Member MacKenzie arrived at 8:35 a.m.

Council Member Prolman requested the City Clerk add a line on the candidates' applications asking them to list any alternate committees they would consider for appointment.

.....ITEM 4
INTERVIEWS WITH CANDIDATES FOR THE COMMUNITY SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD. (8:37 a.m.)

Council interviewed Clark Russell. Clark Richards was not present when called.

There was a discussion with the City Clerk Tara Norman clarifying the number of vacancies and reappointment for board positions.

Mayor Barnett noted the Special Workshop would reconvene following the Regular Meeting.

Recess: 8:51 a.m. to 3:10 p.m. It is noted for the record that when the meeting reconvened, the same Council Members were present.

.....ITEM 5
PRESENTATION OF GORDON RIVER BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION ENHANCEMENTS BY DYER, RIDDLE, MILLS AND PRECOURT, INC. (3:10 p.m.)

Development Services Director Richard Gatti explained to Council that the Gateway Committee had been developing ideas for bridge enhancements, noting that the challenge had been to incorporate the committee's ideas into a set of pre-established plans. Director Gatti informed Council that bids for the project will be received on May 21, and the construction would begin on August 1, 1997. He indicated the contractor was required to complete the work in 635 days.

Allen Trump, of Dyer, Riddle, Mills & Precourt, Inc., described the project and used transparencies and photographs to depict the anticipated results. (Copies of the photographs and transparencies are contained in the file for this meeting in the City Clerk's office.) Mr. Gatti related to Council that the City would pay the differences between the proposed plans and the bid plans. He said these items

included the landscaping and gatehouses.

Council directed Mr. Gatti to explore designs for a bike path that would be an alternative to a path which is separated merely by a solid paint stripe.

CORRESPONDENCE AND COMMUNICATIONS.....

None

OPEN PUBLIC INPUT.....

None

ADJOURN.....

3:32 p.m.

Bill Barnett, Mayor

Tara A. Norman,
City Clerk

Prepared by:

Molly Reed,
Recording Secretary

Minutes Approved: June 4, 1997.