

**FORT MYERS BEACH  
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING  
OCTOBER 8, 2001  
REGULAR MEETING  
Town Hall - Council Chambers  
2523 Estero Boulevard  
FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

The regular meeting of October 8, 2001 was opened by Mayor Daniel Hughes on Monday, October 8, 2001, at 6:33 p.m..

**Council members present at the meeting:** Mayor Daniel Hughes, Vice Mayor Ray Murphy, Howard Rynearson - Council, Garr Reynolds - Council, Terry Cain - Councilwoman

**Excused absence from meeting:** None

**Staff present at meeting:** Town Manager Marsha Segal-George, Deputy Town Manager John Gucciardo, Michelle Mayher, Damon Grant, Dick Roosa (Town Attorney), Dan Folke and Bill Spikowski

**II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

All assembled and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**III. INVOCATION BY REVEREND BOB STUCKEY, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF FMB**

Reverend Bob Stuckey gave the invocation.

**IV. PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS**

Bill MacDonald, 1051 Third Street, FMB, came forward and indicated he is against the one way street on Third Street. He is against it for three reasons which are that people ignore it, it is dangerous and it effects his business negatively.

**V. PRESENTATION IN HONOR OF DANIEL HAGGERTY, PSTF MEMBER**

Mayor Hughes asked Mrs. Haggerty to step forward. He read the plaque to her and made the presentation. Applause was given. Photos were taken with the Public Safety Task Force. Mayor Hughes also indicated that Daniel Haggerty's services were appreciated and he will be greatly missed.

**VI. PRESENTATION: CROSSWALK LIGHTING BY JOHN DAVIS**

John Davis, Chief Drafting Engineer for the Lee County Department of Transportation, came forward and indicated that they are looking to test the in roadway lighting system. This is a type of lighting system that goes along the outline of the crosswalk, and as an individual wishes to cross they activate the system to flash and would be visible to the motorist. It is not for every location. Some trials have been done in Florida, such as Lakeland and Orlando/Buena Vista Area. These products have been seen before and they have gotten to be more cost effective.

Two locations on Fort Myers Beach are being considered. The first would be the crosswalk at the Red Coconut RV Park. They would like to put up a camera with the property owners permission. Another location is at Charlie Brown's. They will check to see the impact and if it makes a difference.

Matthew Schindler, representative from Cloverleaf Corporation, came forward and expressed that he is the manufacturers representative of this product for the State of Florida.

The basic premises is to notify motorists that a pedestrian is crossing the crosswalk or about to cross. Studies that have been conducted by the Federal Highway found that most drivers focus more on the roadway and less on signs or overhead lights. It was Federal Highway's idea to come up with lighting systems mounted in the roadway. The end of the year 2000, Federal Highway re-did their large guidebook that all states follow as far as traffic control is concerned. They now allow for these types of devices.

He showed the actual device to the Council. He indicated that it is quite small and would be flashing. One important feature is that it is virtually flush and does not pose a tripping hazard to a pedestrian or bicyclist. The Federal Highway Administration would allow them to raise this 3/4 of an inch over the roadway surface. The second feature is LED's. They are considerably brighter than halogen lights that have been used in prior systems. They require less maintenance and have a longer life. The third important feature is the solar power and makes it virtually free to run.

Councilman Rynearson asked how you would get to the battery to change it? Matthew Schindler responded that there is a box that contains all of the computers, and inside this box is the battery backup. It would require 14 to 15 days of no sunlight to drain the battery.

Councilman Reynolds asked how many will be embedded in the pavement? Matthew Schindler responded that they will be on each of the lane lines and one down the center of the lane. The tires will be straddling on either side of them. The device can take a 40,000 pound load on top, if run over by a vehicle, before it would be crushed. He believes at the location of the Red Coconut there would be 7 facing traffic on each side and the other location would contain 5.

Councilwoman Cain needed some clarification as to how the system will work. Matthew Schindler explained that the pedestrian will activate the lights. The lights flash toward the traffic at approximately three flashes per second. They will be on a timer and the timer will be set based on the type of pedestrian traffic you have.

Vice Mayor Murphy asked if the only type of activation system will be the pedestrian having to push a button? Matthew Schindler indicated that there other activation systems such as the pressure plate, proximity sensors and microwave detectors. They are extremely unreliable and traffic can cause them to go off.

Vice Mayor Murphy expressed that both locations would be good to have at the same time, instead of just one location. People on both ends of the island would get the idea and promote it a little faster. John Davis indicated that they can take a look at this. A lot is driven by the costs of the trial. They are estimating that the cost for installation will be between \$10,000.00 to \$15,000.00. Each site is unique.

Mayor Hughes agrees with Vice Mayor Murphy. He would also like to see it tested at both locations. He asked if the present signs and posts could be utilized? John Davis replied that they will try to minimize the number of new items to be put into the right-of-way.

Councilwoman Cain asked how long the trial period would be? John Davis replied from 3 to 6 months.

Councilman Rynearson questioned the size of the solar panel? Matthew Schindler replied that it would be relatively small. He referred to it being just a hair over the size of a book he showed to Councilman Rynearson. The whole system is driven on 24 volts and this is very low power consumption. Councilman Reynolds asked about the life expectancy of the device? Matthew Schindler responded that the most fragile part is the LED's and circuitry. These are rated with a 6 year life. The device is completely incased in resin material. Water cannot get in to cause it to rust or deteriorate.

Vice Mayor Murphy asked when this would take place? John Davis indicated that some work needs to be done at the site and with staff prior to the start of this project.

Mayor Hughes questioned if it is the consensus of the Board that they are enthusiastic to go forward with this project? He asked if anyone has any objection? He saw none and urged

John Davis to proceed. They appreciate the County's participation and hope that this can be expedited.

**VII. CONSENT ON AGENDA**

- A.** Proclamation: World Population Awareness Week
- B.** Tropical Storm Gabrielle update

**MOTION:** Made by Councilman Howard Rynearson and seconded by Councilwoman Terry Cain to approve the Consent Agenda Item A.  
**Motion passes unanimously.**

**Discussion:** Councilman Reynolds would like to pull Item B. He indicated that several Town staff have had vehicle oil changes, checking of brakes and light switches, etc. because of Tropical Storm Gabrielle. They have submitted bills to the Town for the cost. They have been reimbursed by the Town Manager from the general fund. He asked why these expenses were not filed with their insurance companies? He has a difficult time excepting that himself or anyone should be paid for a lack of understanding that running through salt water is a bad idea. It was obvious that nothing could be done by staff at Town Hall. They had no business being in Town Hall. He requested to the Council members that these people should be responsible for their own actions. If they have damage it should be reported to their insurance company. Everything is not free because of being an employee of the Town. He indicated that he knows they do not like hearing his input, but they must face reality. Common sense and good judgement must be exercised. He requests that a vote of Council members be taken to have this money returned to Town Hall funds. Taxpayers should not be responsible for employees bad judgement. He indicated that Deputy Town Manager Gucciardo had included in a memo that a record of these damages should be kept, because at a later date the vehicles may rust and further damage assessments may need to be presented to the Town. He is shocked at such an idea.

**MOTION:** Made by Councilman Garr Reynolds and seconded by Mayor Daniel Hughes to not allow the payment/reimbursement for damages for staff vehicles sustained during Tropical Storm Gabrielle until each is submitted to their own insurance companies. **Role Call Vote: Councilman Garr Reynolds, yes, Mayor Daniel Hughes, yes, Councilwoman Terry Cain, yes. Motion passes unanimously. Councilman Howard Rynearson and Vice Mayor Murphy abstaining from vote.**

**Discussion:** Deputy Town Manager John Gucciardo indicated that the language of the memo reads "uninsured losses".

Mayor Hughes expressed that this motion is not needed, because they are only covering uninsured losses. Deputy Town Manager Gucciardo indicated that the vehicles inspected after the storm were actively used during the storm for Town business. A lot of activity was going on that morning, and many personal vehicles were needing to be used. He indicated that the Fire Dept. in Bonita inspects all of their vehicles after such an event. He felt that the wording used in his memo was clear. He was discussing existing damage or preventative maintenance to these vehicles and also the possibility of future damage. The language is to "cover all un-insured losses, including deductibles." He feels that this seems reasonable to staff given the circumstances.

Councilman Reynolds does not feel that this is what he read in the memo.

Councilman Rynearson indicated that he was there with his vehicle. The Town will be receiving a bill for \$73.11 to cover rental car expenses not covered by insurance. He feels that they did need to be there. A lot decisions needed to be made.

Mayor Hughes feels that it is absurd to say the staff will not be reimbursed for the damage to their vehicles when they were just trying to get to work.

Councilwoman Cain expressed that she was very happy that the Town Manager and Deputy Town Manager along with others were out there. They could then know the next step to take. She feels that it is part of their job.

Councilman Rynearson and Vice Mayor Murphy feel that they need to abstain from the vote. Attorney Roosa indicated that this would be necessary for them to abstain from the vote after much discussion.

## **VIII. ADMINISTRATIVE AGENDA**

### **A. PRESENTATION BY HANS WILSON ON SOUTH END PROJECTS**

Hans Wilson came forward and indicated that Council should have a graphic before them that was prepared regarding the south end proposed easement adjacent to eastern and southeastern center of Estero Island. He expressed that they have been working on three separate projects that are somewhat interrelated. These consist of Laguna Shore, Carlos Point and Marina Towers.

Laguna Shores is a stand alone project. This project has been completed and a report is floating about with graphics, and their recommendation on three different options for this channel. Marina Towers is in the same vicinity. It is a Condominium Association that has tried to maintenance dredge their existing docking facility. They have been working with the DEP, representatives of Marina Towers and Lee County to try and secure and finalize the permitting on this particular project. The third project is Carlos Point, which is the favored recipient of the dredge material to be excavated from Marina Towers, and placed on the beach in front of Carlos Point.

A number of items exist in relation to all three of the projects. Laguna Shores which has the feasibility study that has been completed and submitted to the City. The representatives have asked them to attend one or a number of meetings to discuss the results of the feasibility study. They have also been requested to prepare a one page summary of their recommendation out of the 22 page report. Some difficulties exist and they have proposed to the Town the taking of the report itself, and placing it on their website, so there will be immediate access for the entire report. They will attempt to put together the one page summary to give out to the Association representatives. This will give everyone an idea of what they will be getting into.

DEP is in the process of writing a permit for Marina Towers. Some hard questions have been asked of the DEP and they are needing to come to terms with these. They have applied for a permit to dredge within the confines of the submerged land lease that defines that these are those docks and boats preempt from the public being able to use. This is consistent with the states program for submerged land leases. The problem with dredging within the footprint of the submerged land lease does not get them outside of the box. They have had to expand the area of dredging beyond what is defined by the submerged land lease. The state has said

this requires one of two things. Either an expansion of the submerged land lease or an easement could be applied for. Marina Towers would need to come in with an easement to define the area to be dredged outside of the confines of the submerged land lease. He has approached DEP and stated in his opinion that the requirement for this association to have and to secure an easement within a channel area that is used by the public is an inappropriate interpretation of what maintenance dredging is. DEP has agreed and is now running this concept through their attorneys and experts within DEP. However, knowing that they may not win favor in this argument the next step would be to pursue an easement. The Town has been approached about the feasibility of placing an easement from the entrance channel to Laguna Shores south to Big Carlos Pass Bridge. He referred to the color graphic and wants to clearly illustrate what is being accomplished. The easement would be assigned to the Town from the DEP. The easement would put the Town in the position of regulating what takes place within the easement. The Town could then grant permission to an organization like Marina Towers to dredge within the Town's easement. This would solve Marina Towers problem with getting navigable access. It can be as sophisticated as the Town continuing on with this project, and perfecting a channel along the entire length of the easement as an official Town channel that is maintenance dredged. The purpose is to create a vehicle, in the form of an easement, that all property along the eastern shoreline can approach the Town and state that they would like permission to dredge within an easement that is regulated by the Town. If Laguna Shores elects to pursue a project this easement along the eastern shoreline would funnel, as a secondary channel, taking all the boat traffic to the north tying in with a channel that Laguna Shores may or may not pursue. If this happens the easement will already be in place and will be one more step forward in trying to address the navigational and maintenance issues in this particular area. If Laguna Shores elects to not pursue a project, and the only organization that would like to pursue activity is Marina Towers than the Town would be the recipient of the easement granted by the state. No other activity would take place. No appraisal costs would be associated. The core cost in developing this easement in the name of the Town would be the cost of surveying and cost of processing.

The material that would be excavated from Marina Towers would be proposed to be placed in the water in front of Carlos Point. By placing the material below the mean high water line or waterward of the erosion control line, they can help Marina Towers to not have to pay the \$2.25 cubic yard severance fee that has to be paid to the state if you remove state owned materials and place on private property. A letter has been sent to the County requesting the County's permission to allow Marina Towers to place the material within the fill template of the application that has been submitted for Estero Island Beach Restoration Project. They have also asked Carlos Point Condominium to send a letter to the County indicating that they support Marina Towers proposed action.

Mayor Hughes asked about the easement, under the section dealing with Marina Towers, when the state grants an easement to a municipality what is the term of the easement? Is it perpetual? Hans Wilson replied that it is perpetual.

Mayor Hughes asked to assume that the state grants the easement. Does this put the Town in peril of the property owners landward saying that the state owns the easement, and therefore it imposes any duties or responsibilities on the Town to any dredging in the easement rather than the property owners asking for permission to dredge? Hans Wilson replied that unless it is physically marked as a navigation channel and improved as a navigation channel there would be no obligation to create this activity. He does not feel that there is no obligation.

Attorney Roosa indicated that this would not create an obligation. If the Town did chose this would also be suitable for an assessment program.

Vice Mayor Murphy asked if dredging were to occur by any owner would they still need to go through the DEP and the Army Core to get dredging permits? Hans Wilson replied that this is correct.

Mayor Hughes asked if Tropical Storm Gabrielle had any significant effect on the situation at Carlos Point? Hans Wilson replied that it had. They sustained loss to the fence surrounding the pool, a large volume of sand was pushed up against the building and a large area of the foundation was exposed.

**MOTION:** Made by Vice Mayor Ray Murphy and seconded by Councilman Garr Reynolds to approve addendum for services on the South end project. **Motion passes unanimously.**

## **B. DISCUSSION OF ONE WAY STREETS BETWEEN OLD SAN CARLOS AND CRESCENT**

Bill Spikowski came forward and indicated that they are speaking of Second and Third Street as it goes under the Skybridge. Just those portions that are currently one way between Old San Carlos and Crescent. In the Old San Carlos/Crescent Master Plan it was proposed to return these to two way traffic and install sidewalks and parallel parking in about Phase V of this project. The question is do they need to wait for this? The earlier phases are taking time to accomplish although, they are making progress on all of them. These were converted to one way traffic 7 or 8 years ago, and during all the traffic studies that CRE and Lee DOT did during the era he cannot find one that proposed this as a good idea. In fact, having a single wide lane of traffic encourages speeding and baffling to tourists. He has seen all the things described by Mr. MacDonald. The money is not currently budgeted for the sidewalks and the question still remains if it can be returned to two way traffic now. He finds no reason to keep doing this. If Council does decide to go ahead this will not be a high budget operation.

Councilman Rynearson feels that it would be in their best interest to use the 50 foot right-of-way on those streets now. He feels that they should do the streets as they do Old San Carlos. It will be much cheaper than doing it separately. He also asked why not put the basecoat on Old San Carlos and the basecoat on Second and Third? When the construction is done the final coat can be put on. Bill Spikowski replied that the basecoat he is unsure of and is not his area. He wished they would have decided to do this with Old San Carlos. The engineering work is done, contracted and completed. They are trying to get this bid, so it can start immediately after the season. He does not know if they can go back and add on without losing time.

**MOTION:** Made by Vice Mayor Ray Murphy and seconded by Councilman Howard Rynearson to convert Second and Third Streets back to two way. **Motion passes unanimously.**

**MOTION:** Made by Councilman Howard Rynearson and seconded by Councilwoman Terry Cain to request staff to discuss with the engineers the feasibility of doing the work on Second and Third Streets contemporaneously with the work on Old San Carlos provided, however, that it will not delay the Old San Carlos Project. **Motion passes unanimously.**

**Discussion:** Councilman Rynearson would like Bill Spikowski to look into doing the basecoat and holding up on the finished coat until construction is done.

## **C. DISCUSSION OF INAUGURATION DATE**

Deputy Town Manager John Gucciardo indicated that he felt it was Town Manager Segal-George's intention that Council discuss what the plans might be for the upcoming

Inauguration after the November 6 election.

Mayor Hughes would like to think about this matter. He feels the consensus is that the Inauguration will not be held at the first meeting. Zoning cases will be taking place and Council will decide between now and then when the Inauguration will take place. This will continue on the next agenda.

**D. DRAFT ORDINANCE: Amending the Beach and Dune Ordinance**

Mayor Hughes indicated that the purpose of amending this ordinance is to make it consistent with the recently adopted parasail and jetski ordinance. He asked if there was any objection to putting this on the agenda for Public Hearing. No objections were heard.

Attorney Roosa expressed that this is not in its proper form and is only in its draft form.

**MOTION:** Made by Councilman Howard Rynearson and seconded by Councilwoman Terry Cain to instruct Counsel to prepare this in the form of an Ordinance for Public Hearing on October 22, 2001. **Motion passes unanimously.**

**IX. COUNCIL MEMBER ITEMS AND REPORTS**

**Councilwoman Terry Cain** - Enjoyed the ground breakings. That evening she was at the Keep Lee County Beautiful 10<sup>th</sup> Art Award for the calendar. A local person on the beach won first place for 6<sup>th</sup> grade. It was a wonderful event.

Monofilament Madness is coming up on October 28. The two marinas hosting will be Fishtail Marina and Mid Island Beach Marina. At lunch time come down to Fishtail and have a barbecue meal.

Went to the Bay Oaks court dedication to Larry Castello. This was a very nice event.

She will be traveling and trying to get Estero Bay land acquisitions on a higher ranking. She indicated that they have started a new ranking and the beach is on the "B" list. They want to try to get back on the "A" list, so they will be eligible for state lands monies to buy land surrounding the buffer area here.

A CRAB meeting with all the Chair heads took place. It was a very exciting meeting. The Council will find out the details soon.

**Vice Mayor Ray Murphy** - Echoed Councilwoman Cain's comments. It was a good couple of weeks. Tonight is another example of why the Town of Fort Myers Beach should have control over Estero Blvd.. He feels that it is crazy that they do not have control and should be moving in this direction.

**Councilman Howard Rynearson** - Went to Tetley's for their Grand Opening, which was very good. He and his family went down Saturday night and enjoyed it.

**Councilman Garr Reynolds** - He was disappointed that a special meeting requested with the Town Manager could not be accomplished. He plans to let this issue rest. He was hurt that Mayor Hughes failed to call the meeting. There has been no additional reported occurrences of this probable harassment.

In regards to the request for a zoning change and more density, he was disappointed to find the investor has found another lot down around the 6100 block of Estero, which is zoned multiple family MR-2 and they would like to change it to CPD. There could be up to 35 motel units there. He received 3 or 4 letters from residents who live in this area that are objecting to this. He hopes that the present Council and others coming on will scrutinize this latest request very carefully. Consider the residents.

He is glad to see the drainage projects underway.

He was also present for the CRAB meeting.

All Council was present for the Coconut Award.

He apologized to Councilwoman Cain for being hot tempered and he should have been a little more patient regarding the explaining of a motion 3 or 4 times.

**Mayor Daniel Hughes** - Indicated that most all items were covered by the other Council members.

Bay Oaks dedicated the newly remodeled gym floor in honor of Larry Castello. He was a former NBA player and coach.

He failed to mention, at the last meeting, the wonderful ecumenical service of prayer and unity that was conducted by the Beach Ministerial Association at St. Peter Lutheran Church. It was a moving ceremony.

He and Councilman Howard Rynearson went on September 28 to an interesting program. This was a prevention forum for Southwest Florida Policy Leaders dealing with principally the problem of juveniles and crimes. It was a very good meeting. An extremely interesting speaker, Robin Carr Morris, who co-authored a book called " Ghosts from the nursery - Tracing the roots of violence" was present. There were some shocking statistics.

He is needing a consensus from the Council on some items. First is a letter from Ray Judah to Senator Burt Saunders asking for the repeal of the amendment that specifies you cannot by ordinance discriminate against personal watercraft. He asked if there is a consensus that they should support the proposed legislation to repeal this?

Councilman Rynearson feels that anytime they can bring the power back to the Town and keep it local they will be better off.

Mayor Hughes indicated that if there is no objection he will write a letter to Senator Saunders very similar to Ray Judah's supporting this. He will distribute copies to all Council.

A request has been made from the Society of American Magicians to declare October 25-October 31 as National Magic Week. This is by the local chapter of the Society of American Magicians assembly 150. He asked for objections? No objections heard.

The Beach Chamber is asking whether they would like to participate in a vacation package called " The Sunshine State operation Thank You ", which is an effort to provide rescue workers with a vacation in the Sunshine State. He asked for suggestions.

Vice Mayor Murphy feels that they should endorse this as a Council by Proclamation. He also feels that they should do their own Proclamation to the City of New York to the Mayor, Firefighters and Police expressing condolences, and also congratulations on the manner in which the Mayor has handled things. They could also do one for Washington, D.C..

Mayor Hughes indicated that they will do both. He will draft up something and give further thought with staff for those who wish to vacation here.

Mayor Hughes referred to a letter from Larry Crow. He is a representative from the Florida House of Representative and Chairman of the Judicial Oversight Committee. He is asking for the Town Council of Fort Myers Beach to support a resolution and submit to the legislature which will bar the use of CCA treated wood. He would like to prohibit this and the construction of any playground equipment along with the groundcover associated with playground areas where public funds are used.

Vice Mayor Murphy and Councilman Rynearson do not have enough information at this time.

Mayor Hughes indicated that this should be deferred at this time. They will determine at a later date with more information, if they would like to support this.

## **X. TOWN MANAGER'S ITEMS**

**Deputy Town Manager John Gucciardo** - Referred to the memo from Tropical Storm Gabrielle. He made reference to the fact that they would be working with the County and FEMA to see if there was any financial relief coming to the Town. A disaster declaration has come forward that the County is eligible for and there is an applicant's briefing scheduled for Wednesday. He will not be able to make the meeting, but Damon Grant will cover for them. He

has provided an outline of issues, questions and concerns. Staff will report back to Council.

The latest round of water utility bills went out last week. An attempt was made by Beach Water to include a letter from himself and the Manager at Beach Water. This went out on Town letterhead. The print shop made an error and wrote a letter of apology. The letterhead went out with the original Town Council names on it. These apology letters are available for all Council members.

Mayor Hughes asked how he is doing with responses from the community on the questionnaires for the assessment of damages on the Beach? Deputy Town Manager Gucciardo replied that he has gotten back approximately 50 so far. They are coming back on a fairly steady basis.

Councilman Reynolds thanked Deputy Town Manager Gucciardo for bringing up the old stationary. He received three calls on this.

#### **XI. TOWN ATTORNEY'S ITEMS**

Mayor Hughes asked where they are in finalizing the documentation to settle the situation with Mr. Primo? Attorney Roosa replied that he had a conversation with the surveyor who is preparing the legal description. They are in need of this legal and other than that everything is going along fine.

Mayor Hughes asked about the Newton Property? Attorney Roosa replied that he has no report on the Newton property situation.

#### **XII. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Mike Klein mentioned that he would have discussed this at the last meeting, but did not want to stay to the next day. He feels that this is not a subject the Town Council would bring up itself and would like to start a public discussion. He would like this to be brought up sooner than later. The issue is regarding the compensation for Council for their participation in the community. His recommendation is that the Town consider increasing the monthly stipend to \$1,000.00 per month. He would like this to be considered with this Council before the new people come in.

A discussion was held between Mayor Hughes, Council and Attorney Roosa as to whether the increase in salary would apply to all present Council members during their present term. It was determined that they would all be eligible.

Councilman Reynolds is against any increase in salaries. He mentioned that for the first three years Council received no compensation. He also mentioned that Sanibel has been a Town for 26 or 27 years and their Council members do not get paid.

Joe Croker mentioned that he sat on the Charter Review Committee. The language put into the charter was put in to provide for the eventual increase in compensation. As the Town grows responsibility grows. There is nothing in the charter that precludes any Council member from giving back his compensation as a charitable contribution. He does respect anyone who is willing to run for this position and serve in this office whether they leave the pay at \$600.00 or move it to \$1000.000 or \$2,000.00. He still feels they would be underpaid. He is glad that this was brought up.

Bill MacDonald asked the Council members when the one way street signs will be removed on Third Street? How long will this take? Deputy Town Manager Gucciardo indicated they will move on this as quickly as possibly.

Mayor Hughes replied that a specific day cannot be given. Staff will get this done as quickly as possible.

Bill MacDonald wanted to know why this was made a one way street? Mayor Hughes replied that it was done by the County and as part of the CRA prior to incorporation.

Councilman Rynearson would like the item of compensation to be included on the agenda of October 22. He feels that they are missing out on a lot of good working people, and if

they have the compensation they may be able to serve.

**XIII. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m..

**If a person decides to appeal a decision made by the Council in any matter considered at this meeting/hearing, such people may need to ensure that verbatim record of the proceeding is made, to include the testimony and evidence upon which any such appeal is to be based.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Shannon Miller  
Transcribing Secretary