

CITY COUNCIL

CITY OF PIEDMONT

JUNE 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2012

5:30 PM

The City Council of the City of Piedmont met in regular session at the time and on the date above. Present were Mayor Brian Young, Council Members, John Lawrence, Mary Bramblett, Ed Hanson, Kenny Kelley, Billy Baker and Brent Morrison.

Diane Studdard was absent from the meeting.

The Mayor declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order.

Following the invocation and the pledge of allegiance to the flag the minutes were presented for consideration. Billy Baker made the motion that the minutes be approved as presented. Mary Bramblett seconded the motion and the minutes were approved unanimously.

The bills totaling \$415,436.69 were then presented for consideration for payment. Kenny Kelley made the motion that the bills be approved as presented. Diane Studdard seconded the motion and the bills were approved for payment with one abstention from Ed Hanson.

The Mayor asked for consideration of Ordinance 596 which would set a time for the Veterans Memorial Park to close at 10:00 pm every night. Billy Baker made a motion to suspend the rules for immediate consideration of Ordinance 596. Ed Hanson seconded the motion and the roll call vote was as follows:

<u>YEAS</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
John Lawrence	none	none
Mary Bramblett		
Kenny Kelley		
Ed Hanson		
Billy Baker		
Brent Morrison		

Ed Hanson made the motion to adopt Ordinance 596. Billy Baker seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The Mayor then asked for consideration of Resolution 2012-13 which would allow the city to finance two new police cars with Noble Bank for a total of \$50,706.00 at an annual percentage rate of 3% for a period of 48 months.

The Mayor asked for consideration of Resolution 2012-14 which would allow the surplus of a 2002 Ford Crown Victoria and a 2003 Ford Crown Victoria to be sold to the highest bidder on Gov Deals. Ed Hanson made the motion to adopt Resolution 2012-14. John Lawrence seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The Mayor asked for a motion to re appoint Ed Hanson to the AMEA Election Committee for another term. John Lawrence made the motion to re appoint Ed Hanson to the AMEA Election Committee. Brent Morrison seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The Mayor called on Chief Tidwell to give the police report for the month of May, 2012. Officers had a total of 959 contacts with the public, 34 misdemeanor arrests, 6 felony arrests, 3 DUI arrests, 11 drug arrests, 78 traffic citations, 89 incident reports, 71 criminal investigations. There were 110 ambulance calls dispatched in the police jurisdiction and 51 ambulance calls dispatched outside the police jurisdiction. The Piedmont Municipal Court collected \$13,209.46.

In other business Brent Morrison made the motion to except the low bid of \$11,485.93 from McCord Communications to equip the new police vehicles. Kenny Kelley seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

There were no council reports.

In the Mayor's report the Mayor welcomed the new nail salon that opened in downtown. He also said good luck to all the all-star teams.

With no other business to come before the council Brent Morrison made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Billy Baker seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 5:47 pm.