

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the  
LEMOORE CITY COUNCIL  
November 20, 2012

ATTENDANCE:

Mayor Rodarmel; Mayor Pro Tem Plourde; Council Members Gordon, Siegel, Murray; City Manager Britz; Police Chief Laws; Public Works Director Wlaschin; Parks and Recreation Director Simonson; Project Manager Holwell; Finance Director Silva; City Clerk Baley.

ABSENT: City Attorney Behrens.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Dave Brown addressed the Council regarding traffic safety issues at the Devon Drive and Lemoore Avenue, and the Follet Street and 'D' Street intersections.

CONSENT CALENDAR:

It was moved by Mayor Pro Tem Plourde, seconded by Council Member Murray, and carried that the Council approve the following Consent Calendar:

- A. Approval – Minutes – November 6, 2012
- B. Approval – Warrant Register 12-13 – November 15, 2012
- C. Approval – Subdivision Agreement – Wathen Castanos – Heritage Acres
- D. Approval – Medical Marijuana Cultivation Ordinance 2012-05 Second Reading
- E. Approval – Purchase of Automated Refuse Containers and Dumpsters – Budget Amendment

Ayes: Plourde, Murray, Gordon, Siegel, Rodarmel

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION: CHRISTMAS PARADE ENTRY

Council agreed to participate, and invite the Council Member Elects.

DEPARTMENT/CITY MANAGER REPORTS:

Parks and Recreation Director Simonson reported that the Christmas Tree Raising and Canned Food Drive Event will be held on November 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> and that Scott Seargeant would not be requesting a street closure for his film due to budget and schedule constraints. Mr. Simonson also reported that the

Chip Seal Project is 50% complete, however the remainder of the Project will be delayed until the Spring.

Chief of Police Laws invited Council Members to a retirement luncheon for Patrick Jerrold November 29<sup>th</sup>. Chief Laws also reported on the homeless population on Fallenleaf Drive near Lions Park and at the railroad tracks east of Lemoore Avenue.

Public Works Director Wlaschin reported that the water demand has dropped dramatically due to the weather change causing the odor and taste changes delivery to increase. The tank at West Hills was out of service for a short period of time, but it is back up and running and the Cedar Lane tank has been shut down for bacteria testing. Water supply will be compensated from the tanks at site 11 and 40 'G' Street. Mr. Wlaschin also reported that leaf pick up is in process and will continue for the next month and a half.

Finance Director Silva reported that the Annual Audit has been underway for the past three weeks and is now waiting for confirmations. Auditors expect to resume December 1<sup>st</sup>.

**COUNCIL REPORTS AND REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION:**

There were no reports.

**CLOSED SESSION PUBLIC COMMENT:**

There was no comment.

**ADJOURN TO LEMOORE CITY COUNCIL CLOSED SESSION:**

At 7:53 p.m., the Council adjourned to closed session regarding initiation of litigation and labor negotiations. There was no announcement.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

At 8:30 p.m. the meeting adjourned.

Full digital audio recording is available.

Approved the 4th day of December, 2012.

Attest:

---

Willard J. Rodarmel, Mayor

---

Kristie R. Baley, City Clerk