

MINUTES

**CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
29592 ELLENSBURG AVE
GOLD BEACH OR 97444
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2006
REGULAR MEETING: 6:30 P.M.**

CALL TO ORDER BY MAYOR POPOFF AT 6:30 P.M.

THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

ROLL CALL:

	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Mayor Karl Popoff	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
Council Position #1 Sue Johnson	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
Council Position #2 Don Flynn	<u> </u>	<u> x </u>
Council Position #3 Mark Coltrane	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
Council Position #4 Michele Martin	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
Council Position #5 David Alexander	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
City Administrator Bob Bare	<u> </u>	<u> x </u>

****NOTE:** Comments and participation from the audience shall be limited to 5 minutes without redundancy.

SPECIAL ORDERS OF BUSINESS:

MAYOR PROCLAMATION (A)

Proclaiming the month of November as Home Care & Hospice Month in Gold Beach.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL AWARD (B)

Recognizing Councilor Sue Johnson's volunteerism.
Popoff thanked Johnson for volunteering her time in the front office during a staff shortage and for her commitment to the city.

SWEARING IN OF NEW COUNCILORS-TERMS TO COMMENCE ON NOVEMBER 15, 2006. (C)

Popoff preformed the swearing in ceremony of Councilors Johnson, Coltrane and Alexander.

CONSENT CALENDAR: (D)

Approval of Regular Council Minutes of 10/9/06 and Executive Minutes of 10/9/06

Review of bills paid in the amount of \$216,688.93

MOTION:-> Alexander moved to approve the Consent Calendar as presented, second by Coltrane, Councilors Johnson, Coltrane, Martin and Alexander voted "AYE". VOTE 4 AYES 1 ABSENT

MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS:

Mayor and Councilors commended Coos Curry Electric for their courageous and dangerous work during the recent storm and for getting power restored so quickly.

The newly elected Councilors-Johnson, Coltrane and Alexander all expressed their appreciation to the voters and stated they would continue to work towards doing the best they can for the taxpayers and the city.

Michele Martin-Attended the ART FEST FOR THE BREAST and their fund raising auction. Dr. Charles Hochberg MD, OD, GYN of Gold Beach gave a wonderful presentation with about 100 people attending. The co-ordinator of the Cancer Breast Health Network and organizer of the ART FEST is Alice Hammermeister. She can be contacted at 541-425-0074.

Martin-A lady was hit by a car this evening. Martin reminded everyone to slow down, especially when it is dark and rainy. She encouraged people to wear light colored clothes that are more visible, reflective tape would help.

Alexander-Commended the city for their recent "2006 Gold Safety Award" from the League of Oregon Cities & City County Insurance Services. (E)

Johnson-Since I've been working in the office I've been hearing loud and clear from our customers about the high cost of service. We need to do everything we can to reduce our sewer debt. Even though we don't have any choice, we fell into it- it was dumped on us, we are hurting people. The more we can pay on our debt, the less burden we will be putting on our citizens. Mayor and Councilors concurred.

Popoff thanked everyone that voted and stated an old saying "if you don't vote, don't complain".

GOOD LUCK TO THE PANTHERS IN THE PLAYOFF!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The next regular meeting for the Gold Beach City Council is scheduled for Monday evening, December 11, 2006 in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 29592 Ellensburg Ave., at 6:30 P.M.

ADJOURNED AT 6:50 P.M.

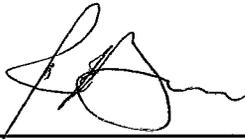
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APPROVED BY THE GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL ON 12/11/06.



Karl Popoff, Mayor

ATTEST:



Robert Bare, City Administrator