

**MINUTES
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE
LA PUENTE CITY COUNCIL
OCTOBER 2, 2006**

A Special Meeting of the City Council of the City of La Puente was held in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 15900 East Main Street, La Puente, California, on October 2, 2006 at 6:30 p.m.

Mayor Chavez called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m.

Members present: Storing, Chavez, Perez and Solis who arrived at 6:38 p.m.
Members absent: Lujan

Staff Members present: City Manager Ledford, City Attorney Casso and City Clerk Cowley

Mayor Chavez led the pledge of allegiance.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

The Mayor recognized the following members of the public to address Council:

Dan Holloway addressed Council and thanked Mr. Ledford for all he has done for the City and complemented him. He reminded Council of the turmoil that the City was in when Mr. Ledford was appointed as City Manager and how under Mr. Ledford's leadership the City has made progress and suggested the Council think about that when making a decision to replace him.

Ken Medeiros addressed Council asking why this issue was being discussed in closed session and why it was not being discussed before the public. The City Attorney responded explaining that Council would discuss the personnel action in closed session and would report any action taken by Council in open session.

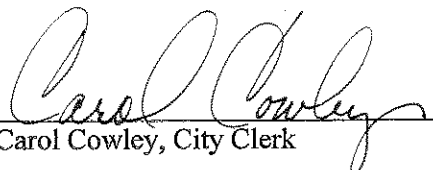
RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

The City Attorney announced that the City Council would adjourn to closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54957 – to discuss public employment – the City Manager. At 6:40 p.m. the City Council recessed.

RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

At 8:41 the City Council reconvened to open session at which time the City Attorney announced that the City Council had adjourned to closed session to discuss public employment, City Manager. The City Council gave direction to the City Attorney. No final action was taken. No votes were taken.

There being no further business to come before the Council, Mayor Chavez adjourned the meeting at 8:41 p.m.


Carol Cowley, City Clerk


Renee Chavez, Mayor