IN LIEU OF
DIRECTORS’ MEETING
MONDAY, AUGUST 11, 2008

I. MAYOR
*1. NEWS RELEASE - RE: Mayor Encourages Residents to Observe 25th Annual “National Night Out”.
*2. NEWS RELEASE - RE: South 56th Street to Close for Resurfacing (Council received on 08/04/08)
*3. NEWS RELEASE - RE: Cheney Elevated Reservoir Nearing Completion.

II. DIRECTORS

FINANCE/CITY TREASURER

LIBRARY

WEED CONTROL AUTHORITY

III. CITY CLERK

IV. COUNCIL REQUESTS/CORRESPONDENCE

JON CAMP

*2. Response E-Mail to Maurice Baker - RE: Keeping the Safe Neighborhoods Program in budget.

JONATHAN COOK
*1. Letter from George E. Wolf - RE: Opposing any decrease in funding to the Stronger, Safer Neighborhoods program.

*2. Request to Public Works & Utilities Department - RE: Water and Gas service flagged - RFI#134-08/07/08.

ROBIN ESCHLIMAN
*1. Letter from Joan Ogren - RE: Train whistles continually through the night, consider an overpass for Saltillo Road as opposed to a Quiet zone.
DAN MARVIN
*1. E-Mail & Attached Letter from Paula Rhian, President, Everett Neighborhood Association - RE: In support of program funding and services to the neighborhood.

V. MISCELLANEOUS

*1. E-Mail from Jim Brandle - RE: Extremely disappointed in cuts to the CLC (Community Learning Centers), with email received from Mayor Beutler encouraging input.

*2. E-Mail from Sue Samson - RE: Parks budget cuts.


*4. E-Mail from Wilbur Dasenbrock - RE: In budget consider health and human services in community, and stop deterioration of city landscapes and park plantings.

*5. E-Mail from Tobias Pace - RE: Cutting Bennett Martin library hours not the best solution.

*6. E-Mail from Zach Garfield - RE: Need more investment into the bus system.

*7. E-Mail from Christine Muller - RE: Proposed bus hours makes it impossible to visit the library for people working non-traditional hours.


*10. E-Mail from E. Wayne Boles - RE: Congratulate the Mayor on forwarding balanced budget, work with him to maintain this level of fiscal responsibility.

*11. E-Mail from Mary Roseberry-Brown - RE: Dismayed on reading proposed cut back of the Bennett Martin Library hours.

*12. Letter & Attachments from Marian L. Malone - RE: Cutting mid-day StarTran service and cutting the library hours are not an answer for the budget.


*15. Letter from George E. Wolf - RE: Oppose any funding decrease to the Stronger, Safer Neighborhoods program.
*16. Letter from Gloria Pedersen - RE: Listing reasons why funding should not be cut to the Easterday Program.

*17. E-Mail from Lois Poppe - RE: Opposed to proposed bus changes with examples of people who want to, and need to, ride the bus between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

*18. E-Mail & Attachment from Karen Hand, Parks & Recreation Advisory Board Chair - RE: Urging No Cuts to the Parks and Recreation budget.

*19. E-Mail from Shirley Anderson - RE: Opposed to alcohol in our parks.

*20. E-Mail from Wilma J. Williams - RE: The City Budget.


*23. Letter from Richard A. Noyes, President, Downtown Neighborhood Association - RE: The proposed City Council budget is draconian, lacks consideration for many downtown residents, and does not address the pressing needs of this growing community.

*24. Letter from Jean Ford - RE: Mayor Beutler’s proposal to eliminate StarTran bus routes and time frames of bus runs.


*26. E-Mail from Edith Meints - RE: Lincoln Budget-encourages you to maintain a substantial budget for City Parks & Rec.

*27. E-Mail & Attached Letter from Susan Epps, American Red Cross Cornhusker Regional Chapter - RE: Save the Safer Neighborhoods program.


*30. E-Mail from James R. Newell - RE: Bennett Martin Library services.


*32. 2 E-Mails from Amy Hanson - RE: Ride for Five.

*33. E-Mail from Betsy Bergman - RE: StarTran proposals.

*34. Letter from Nancy M. Russell - RE: The current rule to deliver the patient to the nearest hospital regardless of patient preferences will be amended to patient choice.
*35. Letter from Don Nelson - RE: Please leave the Bennett Martin Library like it is.


*37. E-Mail from Mary Pipher - RE: Bus service.

*38. 131 Post Cards - RE: ‘Leave My Bus Alone’.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

*HELD OVER UNTIL AUGUST 18, 2008.