

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
LA VERNE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
OF THE LA VERNE CITY HALL  
Monday, June 3, 2013**

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1. A regular meeting of the La Verne City Council was called to order by Mayor Kendrick at 6:30 p.m.

2. Council Members present: Mayor Don Kendrick  
Mayor Pro Tem Charles Rosales  
Council Member Robert Rodriguez  
Council Member Donna Redman  
Council Member Robin Carder

Absent: None.

Advisory personnel present: City Manager Robert Russi  
City Attorney Robert L. Kress  
Deputy City Clerk Lupe Gaeta Estrella  
City Treasurer Jeannette Vagnozzi  
Public Works Director Dan Keeseey  
Community Development Director Hal G. Fredericksen  
Community Services Director Bill Aguirre  
Police Chief Scott Pickwith  
Fire Chief Pete Jankowski  
Senior Management Analyst JR Ranells  
Assistant Planner Rafferty Wooldridge  
Fire Battalion Chief Mike Vetti

3. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Kendrick.

4. Presentation/Introductions  
& Announcements

Introduction and Badge Pinning, Fire Battalion Chief Mike Thompson

Mayor Don Kendrick, on behalf of City Council, introduced and congratulated newly promoted Fire Battalion Chief Mike Thompson. Mike began his career with the City of La Verne in June, 1984, as one of the original six firefighter/paramedics hired by the City. After serving in the Fire Engineer position for six months, he was promoted to Fire Captain in 1994. In July 2012, Mike was selected for the Acting Battalion Chief position following Chief Jankowski's appointment as interim Fire Chief. On May 5, 2013, he received permanent appointment in that position. Battalion Chief Thompson is the department's training officer and emergency medical services coordinator. Mike holds an Associate's Degree in emergency medical services from Mt. San Antonio College. He and his wife Janna live in San Diego. Together, they have five children, Justin, Jason, Kristen, Lauren, and Ashley. His badge was pinned by his wife.

Introduction and Badge  
Pinning, Firefighter/Paramedic  
Andrew Glaze

Mayor Don Kendrick, on behalf of City Council, introduced and congratulated newly hired Firefighter/Paramedic Andrew Glaze. Andrew grew up in Redlands, California where he continues to live today with his wife Jennifer and their 2 year old son Hayden. He attended the fire academy at Crafton Hills College in 2009, and graduated from the NCTI Paramedic Program in 2012. He earned a Bachelor's Degree in business from Skidmore College in New York. Prior to his hiring in La Verne, Andy worked for the San Bernardino County Fire Department as a firefighter/paramedic for 1 ½ years. His badge was pinned by his wife Jennifer.

Introduction and Badge  
Pinning, Firefighter/Paramedic  
Adrian Villarreal

Mayor Don Kendrick, on behalf of City Council, introduced and congratulated newly hired Firefighter/Paramedic Adrian Villarreal. Adrian was born and raised in Rancho Cucamonga. In 2009, he attended the fire academy at Mt. San Antonio College where he earned an Associate's Degree. He also received a certificate from the Paramedic Training Institute in 2012. Adrian has been an Apprentice Firefighter for La Verne since 2010. His badge was pinned by his father Eddie Villarreal.

Captain Hecht, on behalf of the Fire Association, presented Firefighter/Paramedics Andrew Glaze and Adrian Villarreal with a set of pens.

5. Consent Calendar

It was moved by Redman, seconded by Carder, and unanimously carried to accept, approve, or act on the Consent Calendar items, as presented, with the exception of Item No. 5 d (1), Resolution No. 13-29, Declaring its intention to provide for Annual Levy and Collection of Assessments, District No. 84-1M, Council Member Carder abstained because she owns property within the District and Item No.5 d (20), Resolution No. 13-52, Declaring its intention to approve the annual report for the Old Town La Verne Business Improvement District and setting a public hearing, Mayor Kendrick abstained from voting because he owns a business within the district boundaries,

City Council Minutes of May 20,  
2013

**City Council Minutes of the meeting of May 20, 2013**, received and filed as submitted.

Registers of Audited Demands

**Registers of Audited Demands** in the amount of \$642,611.10, dated May 15, 2012, and in the amount of \$917,044.52, dated May 21, 2013. ***Approved as recommended.***

City Council Agreements for  
Fiscal Year 2013-14

**City Council Agreements for Fiscal Year 2013-14** considered routine, passed and adopted, as recommended, and enacted with one motion, as follows:

Agreement No. CC 13-05,  
Data MicroImaging Company  
for Digital Scanning Services

**Agreement No. CC 13-05 – DATA MICROIMAGING COMPANY** for digital scanning services. ***Approved as recommended.***

Agreement No. CC 13-06,  
Friends of the Fourth for  
Planning and Conducting  
Independence Day Special  
Events

**Agreement No. CC 13-06 – FRIENDS OF THE FOURTH** for planning and conducting Independence Day special events. ***Approved as recommended.***

Agreement No. CC 13-07,  
Leighton Consulting to Provide  
Soils Testing, Soils  
Compaction, and other  
Geological Services

**Agreement No. CC 13-07** – LEIGHTON CONSULTING to provide soils testing, soils compaction, and other geological services. ***Approved as recommended.***

Agreement No. CC 13-08,  
Liebert, Cassidy Whitmore for  
West Inland Empire  
Employment Relations  
Consortium Services

**Agreement No. CC 13-08** – LIEBERT, CASSIDY WHITMORE for West Inland Empire Employment Relations Consortium services. ***Approved as recommended.***

Agreement No. CC 13-09,  
Liebert, Cassidy Whitmore for  
Legal Services

**Agreement No. CC 13-09** – LIEBERT, CASSIDY WHITMORE for special legal services. ***Approved as recommended.***

Agreement No. CC 13-10,  
Sorcinelli Architects  
for Architectural Services

**Agreement No. CC 13-10** – SORCINELLI ARCHITECTS for architectural services. ***Approved as recommended.***

Agreement No. CC 13-11,  
Warren C. Siecke for Traffic  
Engineering Services

**Agreement No. CC 13-11** – WARREN C. SIECKE for traffic engineering services. ***Approved as recommended.***

Agreement No. CC 13-12,  
for Landscaping Architecture  
and Planning Services

**Agreement No. CC 13-12** – WITHERS & SANDGREN LTD for landscaping architecture and planning services. ***Approved as recommended.***

**Resolution (s)** passed & adopted, as recommended.

Resolution No 13-29,  
Declaring its Intention to  
Provide for an Annual Levy and  
Collection of Assessments and  
Setting a Public Hearing (84-  
1M)

**Resolution No 13-29** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL LEVY AND COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-14 IN A SPECIAL MAINTENANCE DISTRICT, AND SETTING A TIME AND PLACE FOR PUBLIC HEARING THEREON (84-1M.) The Engineer's Report for Maintenance District No. 84-1M was presented for Council's review. The report contains a reference to the existing plans and specifications for the area to be maintained, the estimated cost to maintain for the fiscal year July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014, and the assessment diagram. It is proposed that there will be no change in the assessment from the previous fourteen years. Staff recommended that City Council approve the Engineer's Report on a preliminary basis and set the Public Hearing for June 17, 2013. Staff also recommended that the City Council adopt the Resolution approving the Engineer's Report, setting the public hearing for June 17, 2013. ***Approved as recommended by a vote of (4-0). Council Member Carder abstained from voting on Resolution No. 13-29 because she owns property within District No. 84-1-M.***

Resolution No. 13-32,  
Agreement with A & B Electrical  
Maintenance Services

**Resolution No. 13-32** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND A & B ELECTRIC FOR ELECTRICAL MAINTENANCE SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Mayor Pro Tem Rosales asked why a La Verne business was not used.

Public Works Director Keesey responded that there is not a business in La Verne that specializes in this type of service for water components.

Resolution No. 13-33,  
Agreement with Aegis ITS for  
Traffic Signal and Safety Light  
System Maintenance

**Resolution No. 13-33** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND AEGIS ITS FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL AND SAFETY LIGHT SYSTEM MAINTENANCE (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-34,  
Agreement with Civiltec  
Engineering, Inc., for Utility  
Engineering Services

**Resolution No. 13-34** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND CIVILTEC ENGINEERING, INC., FOR UTILITY ENGINEERING SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-35,  
Agreement with D.H.  
Maintenance Services for  
Facility Maintenance Services

**Resolution No. 13-35** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND D.H. MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR FACILITY MAINTENANCE SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-36,  
Agreement with General Pump  
Company for Pump and Well  
Maintenance Services

**Resolution No. 13-36** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH GENERAL PUMP COMPANY FOR PUMP AND WELL MAINTENANCE SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-38,  
Agreement with Inter-Con  
Security Systems, Inc., to  
Provide Parking Enforcement  
Services

**Resolution No. 13-38** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH INTER-CON SECURITY SYSTEMS, INC., TO PROVIDE PARKING ENFORCEMENT SERVICES THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2013). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-39,  
Agreement with Kear  
Groundwater for Consulting  
Services

**Resolution No. 13-39** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND KEAR GROUNDWATER FOR CONSULTING SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-40,  
Agreement with LA IMPACT for  
Financial Support Services

**Resolution No. 13-40** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT WITH THE LA IMPACT FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES. ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-41,  
An Agreement with Layne  
Christensen Company for  
Pump and Well Maintenance  
Services

**Resolution No. 13-41** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH LAYNE CHRISTENSEN COMPANY FOR PUMP AND WELL MAINTENANCE SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-42,  
An Agreement with Kidman  
Law LLP for Legal Counsel on  
Water Law Matters

**Resolution No. 13-42** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND KIDMAN LAW LLP FOR LEGAL COUNSEL ON WATER LAW MATTERS (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-43,  
An Agreement with McLay for  
Plumbing Services

**Resolution No. 13-43** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND MC LAY SERVICES, INC. TO PROVIDE PLUMBING SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-44,  
An Agreement with RKA  
Consulting Group for City  
Engineering Services

**Resolution No. 13-44** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH RKA CONSULTING GROUP, FOR CITY ENGINEERING SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No.13-45,  
An Agreement with RKA  
Consulting Group for City  
Building and Safety Services

**Resolution No.13-45** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH RKA CONSULTING GROUP, FOR CITY BUILDING AND SAFETY SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-46,  
An Amended and Restated  
Exclusive Agreement with  
Sanders Towing Services

**Resolution No. 13-46** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AMENDED AND RESTATED EXCLUSIVE AGREEMENT WITH SANDERS TOWING SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-47,  
Agreement with Wallin, Kress,  
Reisman & Kranitz LLP for  
Legal Services

**Resolution No. 13-47** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH WALLIN, KRESS, REISMAN & KRANITZ LLP FOR LEGAL SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-48,  
An Agreement with Water  
Hammer, Inc., for Consulting  
and Maintenance Services

**Resolution No. 13-48** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA VERNE AND WATER HAMMER, INC., FOR CONSULTING AND MAINTENANCE SERVICES (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). ***Approved as recommended.***

Resolution No. 13-49,  
An Extension of An Agreement  
for One (1) Year with West  
Coast Arborists, Inc., for Street  
Tree Maintenance

**Resolution No. 13-49** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN EXTENSION OF AN AGREEMENT FOR ONE (1) YEAR WITH WEST COAST ARBORISTS, INC., FOR STREET TREE MAINTENANCE (FISCAL YEAR 2013-14). **Approved as recommended.**

Resolution No. 13-51,  
A Public Works Contract with  
Gentry Brothers, Inc., for the  
White Avenue Et Al  
Resurfacing and  
Reconstruction Street  
Improvement

**Resolution No. 13-51** - A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACT WITH GENTRY BROTHERS, INC., FOR THE WHITE AVENUE ET AL RESURFACING AND RECONSTRUCTION STREET IMPROVEMENT PROJECT. **Approved as recommended.**

Resolution No. 13-52,  
Declaring its Intention to  
Approve the Annual Report of  
the Old Town La Verne  
Business Improvement District,  
and Setting Public Hearing

**Resolution No. 13-52** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO APPROVE THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE OLD TOWN LA VERNE BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT WHICH INCLUDES A BUDGET AND REESTABLISHES THE BOUNDARIES AND ASSESSMENT FORMULA FOR THE 2013-2014 FISCAL YEAR AND SETS A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE MATTER. An annual public hearing is required to consider the Annual Report of the Old Town La Verne Business Improvement District (OTLVBID) and has been scheduled for June 17, 2013. At said hearing, the City Council will be requested to: 1) Receive and file a report of the OTLVBID prior year activities. 2) Approve the proposed OTLVBID 2013- 2014 Annual Budget, and incorporate it into the overall City Budget. 3) Approve re- establishment of the District boundaries and assessment formula. Staff recommended that the City Council adopt the Resolution No.13-52, declaring its intention to approve the OTLVBID Annual Report and sets a public hearing on the matter for June 17, 2013. **Approved as recommended by a vote of 4-0. Mayor Kendrick abstained from voting on Resolution No. 13-52, intention to approve the annual report for the Old Town La Verne Business Improvement District and scheduling a public hearing, because he owns a business within the district boundaries.**

6. Continued Appeal of Case No. 141-12PPR – 1530 White Avenue – New Outdoor Storage Structures, Request to Appeal Condition of Approval

City Manger Russi reported on the continued Appeal of Case No. 141-12PPR – 1530 White Avenue, New Outdoor Storage Structures – Request to Appeal Condition of Approval. He stated that the Development Review Committee conditionally approved Case No. 141-12PPR, a request for multiple outdoor storage structures for the property at 1530 White Avenue, at their March 5, 2013, and meeting. One of the conditions of approval for the project was that the illegally-constructed structure on the property not be approved, and removed prior to the issuance of permits for the structures that were approved. The property owner, Mr. Rick Land of Quality Control Services, objected to this condition and appealed the Development Review Committee's decision. The City Council previously continued this item so that staff could meet with the applicant and inspect the structure.

City Manager Russi stated that staff and the applicant came to an agreement and that the applicant will work with City Engineer to modify the remaining structure to meet the requirements of the California Building Codes.

The Mayor declared the public hearing opened and called for public testimony. There being none, he declared the public hearing closed.

It was moved by Rodriguez, seconded by Redman, and unanimously carried to modify a condition of approval for the project as found in the Conditional Approval Letter.

7. At 6:48 p.m., the City Council recessed to meet as the La Verne Successor Agency and at 6:52 p.m., reconvened to regular session.

8. **CONTINUED**  
Consider Housing Linkage Fund Assistance for Habitat for Humanity Acquisition and Construction Project

Community Development Director Fredericksen reported on the Housing Linkage Fund Assistance for Habitat for Humanity Acquisition and Construction Project. He stated that Pomona Valley Habitat for Humanity is requesting funding assistance for the acquisition of a vacant residential property at the southeast corner of First Street and Wheeler Avenue and construction of one new single family home on the property. The cost of the property is \$172,500. Habitat is requesting the \$250,000 allocation, with remaining funds beyond the purchase price to be available for construction materials and any other costs including off-site improvements or fees. Funding is available for the request through the use of "Housing Linkage" funds, as previously identified by the City Council in December 2011. Agreement No. 13-03 specifies the manner in which the funding would occur and provides for long-term affordability of the home, to benefit the future homeowner, the community, and the City.

Community Development Director Fredericksen stated that this item was continued from the May 20, 2013, City Council meeting in order to provide further study of the proposed sale price. Council had expressed concern that the original asking price at \$175,000 was possibly excessive. The sellers have reduced the price by \$2,500, to \$172,500, and have provided staff with some background to support their proposed sale price.

Mayor Kendrick stated he fully supported Habitat for Humanity and stated he would like to see the home go to a veteran.

It was moved by Carder, seconded by Rosales, and unanimously carried, to approve Agreement No. 13-03 with Pomona Valley Habitat for Humanity for acquisition of the vacant lot at the southeast corner of First Street and Wheeler Avenue, construction materials, offsite costs, or fees through an expenditure of Housing Linkage funds, not to exceed \$250,000. The City Council's approval should provide license to make non-substantive changes to the Agreement, approved as to form by the City Attorney.

9. California HERO Program

Assistant Planner Wooldridge reported on the California HERO Program – Adoption of resolution authorizing participation in the Western Riverside Council of Governments' California HERO Program. He stated that the report provides a description of the Western Riverside Council of Governments' (WRCOG) California HERO Program, and explains the community benefits from participation in program. The California HERO Program gives qualified residential and commercial property owners the ability to finance the installation of renewable energy, energy and water efficiency improvements, and electric vehicle charging infrastructure. Financing will be made possible through a joint powers authority issuance of bonds; owners will repay the bonds through a voluntary contractual assessment collected together with their property taxes. The program has no cost to the City of La Verne.

Council Member Redman stated she was happy to see this program in La Verne which will benefit La Verne homeowners.

It was moved Redman, seconded by Carder, and unanimously carried to adopt Resolution 13-50, authorizing participation in the California HERO Program, and direct staff to deliver a certified copy of the adopted resolution to the Secretary of the Western Riverside Council of Governments Executive Committee, as follows:

Resolution No. 13-50,  
Consenting to the Inclusion of  
Properties within the City's  
Jurisdiction in the California  
HERO Program

**Resolution No. 13-50** – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VERNE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, CONSENTING TO THE INCLUSION OF PROPERTIES WITHIN THE CITY'S JURISDICTION IN THE CALIFORNIA HERO PROGRAM TO FINANCE DISTRIBUTED GENERATION RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES, ENERGY AND WATER EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENTS AND ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING INFRASTRUCTURE AND APPROVING THE AMENDMENT TO A CERTAIN JOINT POWERS AGREEMENT RELATED THERETO.  
***Approved as recommended.***

10. Public Comment

This was the time set aside for anyone wishing to address the City Council on items not listed in any other place on the agenda. Mayor Kendrick called for public comment.

Joan Reyes, 2530 Damien, La Verne, asked if there was anything the City of La Verne could do regarding the horrible landscape at the La Verne Post Office.

Chief Pickwith reported a crew has started working on the landscape at the Post Office.

Mayor thanked Ms. Reyes for stepping up and coming forward regarding this matter.

11. Council Reports/  
Memorial Day Celebration

Council Member Rodriguez stated that the Memorial Day Celebration recently held at the Veterans Memorial was outstanding. He said the Mayor did an excellent job in his presentations and he commended the Veterans Committee and Council Member Carder for the wonderful job they did on planning the event.

Mayor Kendrick also commended former Council Member Dan Harden for his planning and research in planning the Memorial Day event.

China Trip

Mayor Pro Tem Rosales reported on his recent trip to China. He stated it was a great trip and he was glad to be home.

La Verne Heights Elementary  
School Walk-a-Thon

Council Member Carder reported on La Verne Heights Elementary School Walk-a-thon fund raiser which raised \$40,000 and the City Officials, who along with her, walked with the students, Mayor Kendrick, Council Member Redman, and Police Chief Pickwith.

Ramona Middle School  
Graduation

Council Member Carder reported on Ramona Middle School graduation.

12. Closed Session

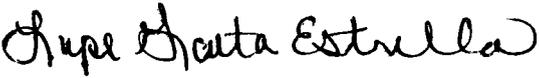
At 7:10 p.m., the City Council met in a closed session for the following purpose: Conference with Labor Negotiator (Government Code Section 54957.6)

City Negotiator: City Manager, Senior Management Analyst  
Employee Organization: La Verne Firefighters' Association

There was no announcement after closed session.

13. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m. to Monday, June 17, 2013, at 4:30 p.m., to conduct a 2013-14 Budget Study Session.

Respectfully submitted,



Lupe Gaeta Estrella  
Deputy City Clerk