BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THERE WAS BEGUN AND HELD ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1993 AT 6:00 P.M. THE BUDGET HEARING FOR THE PROPOSED BUDGET FOR F/Y 1993-94 FOR THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI.

THOSE PRESENT

MAYOR JACK GAY

ALDERMEN

RAYMOND C. BRANDLE W.H. CAMPBELL REUBEN CLEPPER BOBBY W RUNNELS LEROY SCOTT

OTHERS PRESENT

AUBRA EVANS BOBBY MITCHELL TIPPY EASTERLING GUY DOTY KATHY TOWNSEND AND OTHERS

A BUDGET COMPARISON OF THE 1992-93 AMENDED BUDGET AND THE PROPOSED 1993-94 BUDGET WAS PRESENTED TO THE PUBLIC.

MR. DOTY STATED THAT OF THOSE IN ATTENDANCE WERE REPRESENTING THE PETAL GIRLS SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION (PGSA) AND STATED THAT THEY ARE CONCERNED BECAUSE THERE ARE NO FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE FOUR OR FIVE ADDITIONAL SOFTBALL FIELDS NEEDED FOR THE NEXT SOFTBALL SEASON.

MR. EASTERLING STATED THAT THE PGSA IS VERY COMMITTED TO HELPING THE CITY IN ANY WAY NECESSARY.

MAYOR GAY EXPLAINED THAT A PROJECT OF THIS MAGNITUDE WOULD REQUIRE A GREAT DEAL OF PLANNING AND THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FUND THE LAND ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION. MAYOR GAY STATED THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE CONSISTING OF BOBBY RUNNELS, LEROY SCOTT, GUY DOTY, TIPPY EASTERLING AND TWO MEMBERS OF THE CITY'S RECREATION COMMITTEE TO BEGIN THE SEARCH FOR LAND AND THE PLANNING OF THE FACILITY.

NO ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS WERE POSED CONCERNING THE BUDGET.

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