

**AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE**  
**CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: JULY 2, 2008**

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**DEPARTMENT: OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS**  
**DIRECTOR: DAVID RIGGLEMAN**

**SUBJECT:**  
**RECOGNITION OF THE EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR**

Minutes:

MAYOR GOODMAN proudly announced the selection of OSCAR SIDA as the City's Employee of the Year and called forward ACTING DIRECTOR BILLIE BASTIAN of the Leisure Services Department to assist with the presentation. MAYOR GOODMAN explained that the honor is bestowed upon one of the twelve Employees of the Month.

MAYOR GOODMAN explained that MR. SIDA was tasked with finding cost-effective and efficient methods to account for visitors who frequent the City's recreation centers. After much research and analysis, MR. SIDA discovered the biometric system, which utilizes fingerprint technology. Integrating the new fingerprint technology with the recreation software has resulted in a savings of \$200,000 a year for the City.

MS. BASTIAN described MR. SIDA as a dedicated employee who is committed to ensuring that the Department's computer systems are in order to best serve the residents of Las Vegas.

MR. SIDA read a quote from ALEXANDER NOBEL, stating that it exemplifies the way he feels about his job.

