

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE **CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: AUGUST 18, 2010**

DEPARTMENT: OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

DIRECTOR: DAVID RIGGLEMAN

SUBJECT:

RECOGNITION OF THE LAS VEGAS HAWKS LITTLE LEAGUE TEAM

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Submitted at Meeting Copy of Proclamation for the Las Vegas Hawks Little League Team

Minutes:

COUNCILMAN BARLOW congratulated all of the aforementioned teams under Item 7 on a job well done. He then invited the Las Vegas Hawks Little League Team and COACH CAESAR SALDANO to the podium and gave a background on the organization and its teams. The organization consists of five teams, ranging from ages 13 to 18, and helps foster positive citizenship, character, community, good will and competitive athletics. This team has won several championships and have played an integral part in community involvement. The Councilman introduced the team players and congratulated them on their outstanding achievement in winning the championship and for their efforts on and off the field. For more information on the organization, the public can visit the website, www.lvhawks.com.

COACH SALDANO appreciated the Council taking the time to recognize the team and expressed pride for their many accomplishments. In addition, COUNCILMAN BARLOW presented the trophy and a proclamation to COACH SALDANO declaring this day as Las Vegas Hawks Day. COACH SALDANO thanked family members and coaches for a team effort and the sacrifices made.

ADDITIONAL RECOGNITION:

COUNCILMAN BARLOW recognized two individuals, JAMES PATE and TIA CLEMENT, for participating in the Batteries Included program through the City of Las Vegas. He had the pleasure of having these individuals work in his office and see them expand their knowledge on how government operates. He invited MR. PATE and his mother, RAEJOHNE FOSTER, along with MISS CLEMENT and her father, BARRY CLEMENT, to the podium and presented the young individuals with a Certificate of Recognition for doing an excellent job.

Both MR. PATE and MS. CLEMENT thanked COUNCILMAN BARLOW and his staff for the learning experience within government. MS. FOSTER appreciated her son's recognition and hopes he will utilize his experience in the future. MR. CLEMENT was proud of his daughter's success in the program and appreciated the Council's recognition.

COUNCILMAN REESE commented that his son and daughter both received athletic scholarships and graduated from college. He encouraged parents to render their support, as it is imperative to developing children's character and their success.