MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING OF SEPTEMBER 20, 2005 CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEADOWS PLACE, TEXAS

The public hearing meeting of the Meadows Place City Council was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Mark McGrath at Meadows Place City Hall, One Troyan Drive, Meadows Place, Texas, with notice of said meeting giving the time, place, date and subject thereof having been posted as prescribed by Article 6252-17, V.T.A.C.S. with the following members present and in attendance:

> Mayor: Mark McGrath

Aldermen: Terry Henley

Charles Jessup

Joe McCann

and the following absent:

Aldermen: David Piwonka

Rick Staigle

thus constituting a quorum.

Mayor McGrath explained this was the Second Public Hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll for calendar year 2005. State law requires two public hearings be held when the expected amount of money to be received from ad valorem taxes for the coming year will exceed what was expected to be received from the past year. While it is anticipated that our tax rate will remain the same (\$0.76), the city will raise more tax money because appraisal values in the city increased 7%. Our first public hearing was held on September 13, 2005.

Mayor McGrath opened the public hearing for comments. There were none received. Nor did Council have any comments.

There being no further business to discuss, Councilmember McCann made a motion to adjourn the public hearing. Councilmember Jessup seconded this motion and with unanimous approval the public hearing was adjourned at 7:03 p.m.

Elaine Herff, City Secretary	