

**CITY OF FARMINGTON
CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION AGENDA
April 19, 2011 – 9:00 a.m.**

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

1. Resolution in support of additional Federal funding in an amount sufficient for the expansion and completion of the Navajo Indian Irrigation Project (Jay Burnham)

Action Requested of Council:

Consideration of Adoption of Resolution.

Background/Rationale:

The Navajo Indian Irrigation Project (NIIP) was approved by Congress in 1964, however, it has yet to be completed. Annual funding for the project has historically been inadequate to bring the project to completion and proposed FY 2012 funding continues to be inadequate. NIIP has contributed greatly to the local economy and completion of the project would be economically advantageous to the City of Farmington.

Staff Recommendation:

Adopt resolution.

Instructions Upon Approval:

Mayor to sign resolution.

2. Service/water line warranty program (Bob Campbell)

Action Requested of Council:

Authorize staff to issue a Request for Proposal for a sewer/water line warranty program.

Background/Rationale:

A service/water line warranty program allows property owners an opportunity to purchase insurance to repair their sewer and/or waterlines. Policies cost approximately \$5 per month for each sewer and/or water line. If a line breaks, it could cost as much as \$4,000 to repair. This warranty program covers most of the cost of repairs.

Staff Recommendation:

Issue a Request for Proposal.

Instructions Upon Approval:

Issue a Request for Proposal.

Budgetary Impact:

No cost to the City. Some companies pay minimal fees to cities for the right to operate a warranty program.

COUNCIL AND OTHER BUSINESS

3. Fiscal Year 2012 budget hearing – Capital Improvement Plan (Rob Mayes and Andy Mason)

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