

Council Chambers
300 First Street
Woodland, California

September 23, 1997

A special session of the Woodland City Council was scheduled for 6:30 p.m. but not held regarding public employment (Government Code Sec. 54957) of the Fire Chief.

The City Council met in adjourned regular session at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers.

ROLL CALL:

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Borchard, Flory, Losoya

COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT: Rominger, Ryhal

TRAFFIC SAFETY

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Hersom, Schapiro, Bechthold

STAFF PRESENT: Kristensen, Wegener, Ponticello,
Pollard, Marler

OTHERS PRESENT: Contreras, Holman, Goldwitz,
Stallard

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Under public comment Michael Conteras indicated he would be applying to become a City Traffic Safety Commissioner.

JOINT MEETING WITH CITY TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION:

Under the joint meeting with the Traffic Safety Commission Commissioner Hersom pointed out that the Commission has had a number of vacancies throughout the past year which in part, caused the Commission to cancel a number of scheduled meetings due to lack of a quorum. The Commission hopes the Council will be able to fill the vacancies in the near future.

Public Works staff reviewed activities of the Commission over the past year. Several questions and discussion developed over handicapped parking as requirements under the Americans with Disabilities Act. Vice Mayor Losoya specifically inquired about the need for handicapped parking spaces at various City ballfields.

Commissioner Hersom indicated the Commission will also be looking at time zone requirements for parking on Main Street at Hotel Woodland.

Commissioner Hersom indicated that the Commission has regularly received requests for speed bumps to control speeding in various areas of the City. This has led staff to review the use of speed bumps and other similar measures called "traffic

calming" devices and their potential use in Woodland. Public Works staff gave council a presentation on traffic calming.

The Commission has voted to recommend the Council give further consideration for the use of traffic calming devices in Woodland. Discussion ensued. The topic will be placed on the Council's October 21, 1997 regular meeting agenda for consideration.

ADJOURNMENT:

At 8:30 p.m. the meeting was adjourned.

Kris B. Kristensen, Deputy City Clerk