



**Members Present**

Everett Barnett  
Gilbert Blancas  
Angie Garcia  
Armida H. Hernandez  
Nati C. Munoz

Mary Newton  
Sofia Ordonez

**Members Absent**

Michele Aboud  
Alma Bahena  
Stefania Garza  
Lucia Hernandez  
Jeraldine Hubbard

William Wickline

**Staff**

Norma Corona  
Henry Drake  
Sandra Serrano

**Call to Order and Quorum Count**

Meeting called to order @ 10:20 am.

**Approval of minutes**

Minutes of prior meeting reviewed and approved with one correction.

**Announcements/comments**

None

**Unfinished business**

Norma explained that from now on, the agenda would mainly focus on the banquet. She also mentioned the need for ads and door prizes. Mrs. Garcia asked if a donation for a door prize could come from an elected official, she was referring to a flag or a type of glass with an emblem. Mrs. Garcia went on to explain that the flags would be new and would include a certificate. Mrs. Ordonez reminded council to mention to businesses that are considering donating a door prize that their business card would automatically be included in the banquet booklet and that would be free advertisement for them.

Norma circulated examples of what the banquet invitation would look like and she pointed out an increase in the price of the meal to \$16.00 which is a dollar more than last year. She also mentioned the possibility of having Senator Jose Rodriguez as guest speaker. Mrs. Hernandez volunteered to do the Spanish translation at the banquet.

**New business**

Norma mentioned that the banquet was only two months away and the August meeting would be changed to Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> in order to work on putting the invitations together.

**Suggestions for the good of the council**

None

**Adjournment**

11:14 am

**Next meeting**

August 15, 2012