CITY OF INGLESIDE ON THE BAY CITY COUNCIL MEETING August 16, 2011

- I. City Council Meeting was called to order by Mayor Gillespie at 7:00 p.m.
- II. Alderman Ehmann gave the invocation.
- III. Mayor Gillespie led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- IV. Roll Call: Present were: Mayor Gillespie, Alderman Slusher, Merrick, Ehmann, and Robbins. Alderman Morgan was absent.
- V. Minutes of Previous Public Hearing City Council Meeting and of August 2, 2011 were approved as written.
- VI. The Treasurers report was given.
- VII. No Citizen Participation was heard.
- VIII. Reports from Standing Committees
 - Item A: Planning & Zoning had no report.
 - Item B: Parks & Recreation held a meeting to discuss the Birthday Bash.
 - Item C: VFD Alderman Ehmann reported the building was coming along.
- IX. Old Business: Discussion and Possible Action

Item A: 2011/2012 Proposed Budget

Discussion occurred concerning elections and sales tax changes made to the proposed budget. The budge is in balance. Alderman Ehmann made the motion to approve the 2011/2012 Proposed Budget. Alderman Merrick seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously

Item B: 2011 Property Tax Rate

Discussion occurred concerning the effective tax rate of .207264/\$100 valuation, which would be the same amount of revenues collected last year. The property values dropped so the tax rate will need to be increased a small amount. Alderman Merrick made the motion to approve the tax rate of .207264/\$100 valuation. Alderman Ehmann seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

X. Mayor Gillespie adjourned the meeting at 7:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted & attested:

Diane Hosea City Secretary Approved:

Howard Gillespie Mayor