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The City of Little Rock created the Citizens Evaluation of New Tax Committee (LR CENT) to provide evaluation of the 5/8 – cent operating sales tax and the 3/8 – cent capital sales tax to ensure that 100 percent of the revenues received by the City from the sales tax are expended as promised and indicated in the City’s Sales Tax Resolution adopted on July 11, 2011.

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Orientation

March 5, 2012

- Introductions
- Scope of Responsibilities
- Overview of Priority Needs Estimated Costs
- Overview of Short-Term Financing Projects

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April 18, 2012 Meeting
Chaired By – Dr. Sybil Jordan Hampton

Departmental Presentations & Highlights

Little Rock Police Department
- Recruit Class is underway
- 36 police vehicles have been purchased
- Communications System is undergoing upgrades

Department of Community Programs
- Pilot Sidewalk Program for at-risk youth and adults

Department of Housing & Neighborhood Programs
- Additional Code Enforcement Officers have been hired
- 22 vehicles have been purchased
Follow-Up Items From Previous Meeting

- The City’s BID & Purchasing Process and When Exceptions can be made
- Prevention, Intervention and Treatment Update
June 20, 2012 Meeting
Chaired By – Gary Smith

Departmental Presentations & Highlights

**Little Rock Public Works Department**
- 2012 Capital Improvements
- Street & Drainage Improvements Public Input Meetings

**Little Rock Fire Department**
- Purchase of additional fire trucks for West Little Rock Station
- Completion of West Little Rock Station

**Little Rock Parks and Recreation**
- Purchase of four trucks
- Purchase of Lawn equipment

**Information Technology**
- Installation of Dark Fiber Ring Connection at City Facilities
Board Authorized Capital Contracts

- **Parks & Recreation** 4 Trucks $80,040 - Arkansas State Purchasing Contract
- **Parks & Recreation** 10 Mowers $117,990 - Arkansas State Purchasing Contract
- **Fire Department** 1 Pumper Truck $451,000 – Houston-Galveston Area Council Cooperative Contract
- **Police Department** 36 Pursuit-Rated Vehicles $815,842 - Arkansas State Purchasing Contract
- **Police Department** Upgrades and Development of New Emergency Communication System $8,725,905 - Performance Compatibility (Sole Source)
- **Housing & Neighborhood Programs** 18 Pick-Up Trucks $333,668 - Arkansas State Purchasing Contract
- **Information Technology** Dark Fiber Connection $416,644 - Sole Source Procurement
- **Public Works** Beechwood Drainage Channel Improvements $146,956.80 - ITB
- **Public Works** Street Resurfacing Projects $2,694,307.21 - ITB
- **Public Works** Traffic Signal Loop Installation at Various Locations $182,747.40 - ITB
- **Public Works** Video Detection System $107,030 - ITB
Next LRCENT Meeting

Wednesday, September 19, 2012
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Willie Hinton Neighborhood Resource Center
3805 West 12th Street