

**CITY OF ANNA MARIA  
SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING  
MARCH 10, 2005  
6:45 P.M.**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**PLEDGE TO THE FLAG**

**ROLL CALL:** Commission Chair John Quam, Commissioner Dale Woodland, Commissioner Carol Ann Magill, Commissioner Duke Miller

Absent: Deputy Commission Chair Linda Cramer

**Also present:** Mayor SueLynn, Minutes Clerk Sylvie Reichmann

**Press:** Sun, Islander

**1. CONSENT AGENDA**

**a. St. Patrick's Day Parade 3/13/05**

Commissioner Carol Ann Magill noted that the application had not been received by the Commission in adequate time to properly review it. Mayor SueLynn stated that all three applications were first received in her office on March 4<sup>th</sup>, and that in addition to their regular duties, her staff had only six days to make the necessary phone calls, including insurance verification, and needed to hand carry paperwork to the Sheriff's Department in downtown Bradenton in order to put the application before the Commissioners this evening.

Discussion followed during which Commission Chair John Quam, Commissioner Duke Miller and Commissioner Dale Woodland agreed that the producers of regular annual events should be able to submit their applications in a timely manner.

Commissioner Carol Ann Magill said that she had a problem with voting on something that she had not reviewed but said that she would make one last exception on behalf of the wish of the citizens of Anna Maria to celebrate. She said she would not vote to approve the St. Patrick's Day Parade special event application next year if it is not received on time.

At Commissioner Duke Miller's suggestion, Chair John Quam authorized the Mayor to draft a memo to annual event applicants on behalf of the Commission indicating that applications received after the stated six-week lead-time would no longer be reviewed or approved.

**b. Community Center Little League Baseball Parade 3/19/05**

**c. Tour of Homes 3/19/05**

Commissioner Carol Ann Magill inquired whether someone would be directing traffic at the location of several homes on the tour, and how parking

would be handled. Mayor SueLynn said that parking areas had traditionally been designated by the tour organizers, and volunteers had been on hand to direct traffic. She indicated that her assumption was that this practice would continue at this year's event.

**MOTION: Commissioner Dale Woodland moved to approve the Consent Agenda, seconded by Chair John Quam.**

**Vote: Three Ayes, One Nay. Motion carried.**

**2. GUGGINO vs. CITY OF ANNA MARIA, CASE No. 2004 CA 6225**

Chair Quam referred to the memo from City Attorney Jim Dye dated March 4, 2005, relative to the possible conflict of interest disqualification of Judge Adams, the judge hearing this case.

**MOTION: Commissioner Duke Miller moved to authorize the City Attorney to file a motion on behalf of the City to disqualify Judge Adams, seconded by Commissioner Carol Ann Magill.**

**Vote: All Ayes.**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None offered.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION: Commissioner Duke Miller moved to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Carol Ann Magill.**

**Vote: All Ayes. Motion carried.**

The meeting adjourned at 6:56 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Alice Baird  
City Clerk

March 25, 2005  
Date