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Regular Meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Sandy Springs was held March 4, 2008 at 6:00 p.m., Mayor Eva Galambos presiding.

Invocation
Rabbi Joshua Heller, Congregation B’nai Torah, gave the invocation.

Call to Order
Mayor Galambos called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Roll Call and General Announcements
Mayor Galambos requested that the City Clerk call the roll.

City Clerk Christina Rowland reminded everyone to silence their cell phones and pagers at this time. Additionally, those wishing to provide public comments, either during a public hearing or at the conclusion of the meeting under the public comment section, are required to complete a public comment card. They are located at the back counter and need to be turned in to the Clerk.

City Clerk Rowland called the roll.

Councilmembers Present: Councilmember Dianne Fries, Councilmember Rusty Paul, Councilmember Ashley Jenkins, Councilmember Tibby DeJulio and Councilmember Karen Meinzen McEnerny. Councilmember Doug was MacGinnitie absent and excused.

Pledge of Allegiance
Mayor Galambos led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Meeting Agenda

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Fries moved to approve the meeting agenda. Councilmember Meinzen McEnerny seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Presentations

Sandy Springs Fire Rescue Presentations

The following individuals were recipients of the Life Saver Medal on March 4, 2008:
Battalion Commander Ronny Thomas
Crew Chief Donald Willbanks
Crew Chief Robert Rogers
Fire Rescue Technician Stacy Bailey
Fire Rescue Technician Shannon Cichosz
Fire Rescue Technician Daniel Fullmore
Fire Rescue Technician Jessie Luttrell
Fire Rescue Technician Matt Knowles
Fire Rescue Technician Joey Shoemaker
Police Officer Mike Piurowsky
Police Officer Brenda Plympton Crew Chief Mark Duke
Fire Rescue Technician Leanne Biliew
Fire Rescue Technician Tony Brown
Fire Rescue Technician Kristine Sisson
Fire Rescue Technician Reginald McClennond
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Also honored with CFO designations were James Curry and Manuel Trujillo.

Georgia Adopt-a-Stream Red Flag Award for Allen Park Stream Restoration Project

Councilmember Meinzen McEmery presented the Georgia Adopt-a-Stream Red Flag Award to the City of Sandy Springs for its contributions toward stream bank stabilization of the two (2) Allen Road Park stream tributaries. This is a statewide environmental award issued by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources.

Public Hearings

Community Development Block Grant Program

Public Hearing to receive community input on the needs of the community as the City develops its 5-year Community Development Block Grant Program goals.

Deputy Director of Community Development McNeill stated that this public hearing is a federal requirement of the City’s participation in the CDBG Program. The City is required to hold two public hearings each CDBG Program year. On June 20, 2006, Council adopted a Citizen Participation Plan and was turned into HUD on June 27, 2006. The City has met this requirement.

This public hearing is to provide citizens an opportunity to comment on community needs for the City to consider when developing 5 year goals for CDBG Consolidated Plan. CDBG is a very flexible program designed to assist local governments with community development housings and other needs intended to benefit low and moderate income communities, eliminate slum and blight and address urgent needs for which they are no other local funds available.

Code Enforcement Officer Walter Osorio provided Spanish translation.

Donna Wickes, Sandy Springs Affordable Housing Partnership, Inc. stated that she is a resident of Sandy Springs and has worked in the Real Estate Market and Housing Development in Sandy Springs and Georgia for many years. Last year, she founded a non-profit organization whose mission is to provide education, design, development and retention of income eligible housing to Sandy Springs. Part of this charter will be to educate and support the income eligible families in Sandy Springs and allow them the opportunity to purchase homes in our community or to find more suitable rental units. Ms. Wickes feels that it is important to support the families whose income comes from our community and allow them the opportunity to live within the community they work in and support.

Lucy Hall-Gainer, 230 Fieldsborn Court, Freedom House, stated that she is not aware if the needs of Sandy Springs have been looked at as it relates to the low and moderate income the community may have as it relates to affordable housing as well as other services. She questioned if the City had ID the non profit organizations who meet the needs of helping those in need of assistance.

Marie Latta, 6851 Roswell Road, stated that she highly supports the best practices in the use of the CDBG funds.

Debra Allen, 144 Allen Road, Fulton County Housing Authority stated that she is one of the Commissioners on the board of the Fulton County Housing Authority. The Fulton County Housing Authority Board is charged with providing guidance to the authority and keeping its strong belief in residential participation and empowerment. Two Commissioners on the Board are resident commissioners and she is one of them at Allen Road. Allen Road Mid Rise is the largest and most diverse public housing authority in Sandy Springs. It consists of 100 units set aside for the elderly and disabled population with limited income as defined by the Department of Housing and Urban Development. The residents of Allen Road expressed crime and safety concerns at Allen Road Mid Rise. The Sandy Springs Police Department did not indicate a significant numbers of crimes occurring at Allen Road. Residents express a high level of anxiety regarding the potential crime at Allen Road. As a result of the concerns expressed by the residents of Allen Road Mid Rise Housing Authority entered into an MOU Agreement with the Sandy Springs
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Police Department for 2007. The Housing Authority would like to implement the Allen Road Mid Rise Patrol Program. The Housing Authority is requesting funding for this program. These funds would go to the residents that volunteer to watch over the building at night. This would allow someone to watch over the entrances and also have someone patrol the floors at night. They would greatly appreciate any help with funding for the security of the Allen Road Mid Rise.

Alcoholic Beverage License

Approval of Alcoholic Beverage License Application (008402) for Money Factory Inc. dba Antro at 6600 Roswell Rd Ste K Sandy Springs, GA 30328. Applicant is Lee Seung Min for Consumption on premise Wine, Malt Beverage and Distilled Spirits.

Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that this is an alcoholic beverage license application, change in ownership for Money Factory Inc. dba Antro at 6600 Roswell Rd Ste K. The building lease is on file; the fire inspection has been completed; proper zoning has been confirmed. The facility has been inspected by the Fire Department. The owner and registered agent have both received acceptable GCIC background checks. The public hearing has been advertised as required by the Ordinance. Staff recommends approval of the application.

Mayor Galambos called for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Fries moved to approve the Alcoholic Beverage License for Money Factory Inc. dba Antro at 6600 Roswell Rd Ste K Sandy Springs, GA 30328. Applicant is Lee Seung Min for Consumption on premise Wine, Malt Beverage and Distilled Spirits. Councilmember Meinzen McEnerney seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Alcoholic Beverage License Application (008423) for Food Mart #541-Shell at 5700 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30342. Applicant is Wael Ahmed Naguid for Retail/Package Malt Beverages.

Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that this is an alcoholic beverage license application, change in ownership for Food Mart #541-Shell at 5700 Roswell Road. The building lease is on file; the fire inspection has been completed; proper zoning has been confirmed. The facility has been inspected by the Fire Department. The owner and registered agent have both received acceptable GCIC background checks. The public hearing has been advertised as required by the Ordinance. Staff recommends approval of the application.

Mayor Galambos called for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Paul moved to approve the Alcoholic Beverage License for Food Mart #541-Shell at 5700 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30342. Applicant is Wael Ahmed Naguid for Retail/Package Malt Beverages. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Alcoholic Beverage License Application (008353) for Food Mart Citgo at 8779 Dunwoody Pl Sandy Springs, GA 30350. Applicant is Jose Guzman for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverage.

Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that this application is relative to retail package, wine and malt beverage license. Staff recommends deferral based upon recent discovery of code enforcement issues.

Councilmember Fries stated that she would like to have all relevant information such as “change in ownership” reasons for deferral, etc. included in Council packet.

Councilmember Paul questioned what the code violations were.
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Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that these code enforcement issues were brought forward in a report by the Community Development Department today to the licensing staff. The code enforcement issues were related to inappropriate signage, questions about adult oriented materials being sold in the store.

Mayor Galambos called for public comments. There were no public comments.
Representative for Jose Guzman, applicant was fined and has complied with what the Police Department asked him to do.

Director of Community Development Leathers stated that the sign violation exceeds 25% of the window area. In addition, there are a number of building code violations, including a number of uncovered cables throughout the building, electrical issues which have not yet been addressed, in addition to the issues Mr. Horn spoke about.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Fries moved to defer the Alcoholic Beverage License for Food Mart Citgo at 8779 Dunwoody Pl Sandy Springs, GA 30350 to the April 1, 2008 Regular Meeting. Applicant is Jose Guzman for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverage. Councilmember Meinzen McEnerney seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Alcoholic Beverage License Application (008425) for Sunny D Inc dba Mt. Vernon Food Mart at 6180 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30328. Applicant is Ahabana Delawalla for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverage.

Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that this is an alcoholic beverage license application, change in ownership for Sunny D Inc dba Mt. Vernon Food Mart at 6180 Roswell Road. The building lease is on file; the fire inspection has been completed; proper zoning has been confirmed. The facility has been inspected by the Fire Department. The owner and registered agent have both received acceptable GCIC background checks. The public hearing has been advertised as required by the Ordinance. Staff recommends approval of the application.

Mayor Galambos called for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember DeJulio moved to approve the Alcoholic Beverage License for Sunny D Inc dba Mt. Vernon Food Mart located at 6180 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30328. Applicant is Ahabana Delawalla for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverage. Councilmember Meinzen McEnerney seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Alcoholic Beverage License Application (008399) for North Ridge Chevron at 8295 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30350. Applicant is Saleemuddin Boghani for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverages.

Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that this is an alcoholic beverage license application, change in ownership for North Ridge Chevron located at 8295 Roswell Road. The building lease is on file; the fire inspection has been completed; proper zoning has been confirmed. The facility has been inspected by the Fire Department. The owner and registered agent have both received acceptable GCIC background checks. The public hearing has been advertised as required by the Ordinance. Staff recommends approval of the application.

Mayor Galambos called for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Meinzen McEnerney moved to approve the Alcoholic Beverage License for North Ridge Chevron at 8295 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30350. Applicant is Saleemuddin Boghani for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverages. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Alcoholic Beverage License Application (008443) for North Spring Shell at 7325 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30328. Applicant is Mehmood Sohani for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverages.
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Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that this is an alcoholic beverage license application, change in ownership for North Spring Shell located at 7325 Roswell Road. The building lease is on file; the fire inspection has been completed; proper zoning has been confirmed. The facility has been inspected by the Fire Department. The owner and registered agent have both received acceptable GCIC background checks. The public hearing has been advertised as required by the Ordinance. Staff recommends approval of the application.

Mayor Galambos called for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Meinzen McEnery moved to approve the Alcoholic Beverage License for North Spring Shell at 7325 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30328. Applicant is Mehmood Sohani for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverages. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Alcoholic Beverage License Application (008414) for Sandy Springs Chevron at 5701 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30342. Applicant is Pawan Kapoor for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverages.

Director of Administrative Services Horn stated that this is an alcoholic beverage license application, change in ownership for Sandy Springs Chevron located at 5701 Roswell Road. The building lease is on file; the fire inspection has been completed; proper zoning has been confirmed. The facility has been inspected by the Fire Department. The owner and registered agent have both received acceptable GCIC background checks. The public hearing has been advertised as required by the Ordinance. Staff recommends approval of the application.

Mayor Galambos called for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Paul moved to approve the Alcoholic Beverage License for Sandy Springs Chevron at 5701 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30342. Applicant is Pawan Kapoor for Retail/Package Wine and Malt Beverages. Councilmember Meinzen McEnery seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Eminent Domain

Consideration of Approval of the Appropriation of the Property Located at 211 Abernathy Road through the Use of Eminent Domain.

Deputy Director of Public Works Drysdale stated that this property has been deemed necessary for acquisition as part of the Abernathy Road Linear Park construction. Negotiations have reached an impasse, and the purchase of the property cannot continue without the use of Eminent Domain.

Assistant City Attorney McLendon requested that this item be deferred due to concerns he has with Eminent Domain. He explained that there are requirements that need to be put in place on this parcel. He wants to be sure that the City has met all requirements of Georgia Law, in the exercise Eminent Domain. Before approval of this Eminent Domain he wants to verify that notice was given to the lessor and that deliveries of notice to all interested parties were appropriated. He would like for notice to be given once more before moving forward in order to take any potential problems off the table before they occur. Mr. McLendon stated that the public hearing still needs to be held.

Councilmember Jenkins stated that a big yellow sign is posted in both yards and questioned how the lessor would not see that. Assistant City Attorney McLendon stated that the Eminent Domain Legislation requires that a very specific package including documents about the Eminent Domain process, how to challenge it, and to be delivered to each person with a potential interest. The lessor would need to get a package and the City needs to be sure that everybody out there has received the package.

Councilmember Paul questioned what the ramifications are on the schedule. Deputy Director Drysdale stated that there are 41 parcels that staff is tracking closely that the Georgia Department of Transportation and the City are requiring together. Out of the 41 parcels, 33 have closed, 8 in process, 4 condemnation and 4 are still in negotiation.
Councilmember Paul questioned where we are with the demolition process. Deputy Director Drysdale stated that ten (10) were supposed to go down last week but GDOT pulled the contracts and put them on hold. The GDOT Commissioner asked that the contracts be reviewed. GDOT hopes to restart the demolition in April. An update will be given at the regular March 18, 2008, meeting.

Councilmember Paul stated that there are concerns with the homeless folks using the empty houses.

**Motion and Vote:** Councilmember Fries moved to defer the Appropriation of the Property Located at 211 Abernathy Road through the Use of Eminent Domain to the April 1, 2008 Regular Meeting. Councilmember Jenkins seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

**Consideration of Approval of the Appropriation of the Property Located at 6615 Brandon Mill Road through the Use of Eminent Domain.**

**Resolution No. 2008-03-10**

Deputy Director of Public Works Drysdale stated that this property has been deemed necessary for acquisition as part of the Abernathy Road Linear Park. This is a little bit different because of a foreclosure situation, not a negotiation impasse.

Assistant City Attorney McLendon stated that sufficient notice was given to every interested party and are prepared to move forward with the case and have set the appropriate ground work. It appears that in the Chain of Title that there may be a deed under power that he will review and it may allow the City to resolve this without the use of Eminent Domain.

**Motion and Second:** Councilmember Paul moved to approve the Appropriation of the Property Located at 6615 Brandon Mill Road through the Use of Eminent Domain. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion.

**Discussion on the Motion:** Councilmember Meinzen McEnerney questioned if the City was going to allow Wells Fargo to foreclose and then the City take it from Eminent Domain. She stated that this was a great way to clear the title.

Assistant City Attorney McLendon stated that it would depend on where it is in the process and that the date of actual filing is the date of taking. The City will take the title on the date the City filed the condemnation. Under law the property is acquired with all the interest values as of the date of the taking. Once the City authorizes it, the petition will be prepared and give 30 days from the authorization to file. The Eminent Domain process clears any title issue.

**Vote:** The motion carried unanimously.

**New Business:**

**Consideration of Approval of a Sublease agreement between the City of Sandy Springs and the Sandy Springs Public Facilities Authority for property at 7840 Roswell Road, Sandy Springs (City Hall).**

Assistant City Attorney McLendon stated that this is a document which will allow the City to become the Sublessor to the Sandy Springs Public Facilities Authority for the purposes of the lease of the City Hall facilities. This is a common process to have the Facilities Authority take the prime lease because they can enter into a longer term obligation and the City can enter into a similar situation with Facilities Authority. It is a method for the City to get control of the lease of this property. The City has the obligations and the abilities to be in charge of this lease.
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Councilmember Fries questioned who would be responsible for the maintenance of this property. Assistant City Attorney McLendon stated that is defined under the terms of the lease. Generally, the landlord is going to have certain maintenance obligations.

Assistant City Manager Rapson stated that the City is responsible for normal routine repairs associated with all the facilities. Councilmember Fries questioned who would be responsible for roof repairs. Mr. Rapson stated that a common area maintenance charges allocated based on square footage for all buildings at this location. A huge capital project such as that is shared among all the tenants and has been incorporated in the City’s budget.

Councilmember Meinzen McEnerny stated that capital items such as a roof can not be passed through in common area. The City should not have to pay for the roof.

Assistant City Manager Rapson stated that is actually the point of contingent the City currently has with the tenant that he is dealing with.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember DeJulio moved to approve the Sublease agreement between the City of Sandy Springs and the Sandy Springs Public Facilities Authority for property at 7840 Roswell Road, Sandy Springs (City Hall). Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Consideration of Approval of an Ordinance adopting and enacting a new Code for the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, providing for the repeal of certain ordinances not included therein; providing for providing a penalty for the violation thereof; providing for the manner of amending such code; and providing when such code and this Ordinances shall become effective.
Ordinance No. 2008-03-09

City Clerk Rowland stated that on July 17, 2006, bids were solicited for codification of the City’s Ordinances. Bids were opened on August 14, 2006 and the contract was signed on September 26, 2006. At this point she began sending Ordinances to Municipal Code Corporation.

The City received proofs from Municipal Code Corporation on September 28, 2007 and staff began reviewing the proofs. Corrections were made as needed and the proofs, along with updates, were returned to Municipal Code Corporation on December 11, 2007. A final proof was received from Municipal Code Corporation on January 18, 2008. She and Assistant City Attorney McLendon reviewed the final proof and it was returned to Municipal Code Corporation on February 1, 2008.

On February 26, 2008, the City received the final version of the Code which includes all Ordinances, excluding the Zoning Ordinance, adopted up to November 20, 2007.

City Clerk Rowland thanked City staff for all their help and hard work in helping her in this process.

Mayor Galambos thanked City Clerk Rowland for all her hard work in putting the City’s Code together and how great the Code Book looked.

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Meinzen McEnerny moved to approve an Ordinance adopting and enacting a new Code for the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, providing for the repeal of certain ordinances not included therein; providing for providing a penalty for the violation thereof; providing for the manner of amending such code; and providing when such code and this Ordinances shall become effective. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

Consideration of Approval of a Resolution adopting the City’s Financial Management Policies.
Resolution No. 2008-03-11
City Clerk Rowland stated that the Financial Management Program Policy was adopted on January 3, 2006 and Amended on July 5, 2006. Both times these were adopted by Ordinance.

She explained that policies are typically adopted by Resolution as they are ever-changing documents. Therefore, in the process of codification, these policies were removed from the Code of Ordinances to be adopted by Resolution. There are no changes being recommended at this time.

**Motion and Vote:** Councilmember DeJulio moved to approve a Resolution adopting the City’s Financial Management Policies. Councilmember Meinzen McEnery seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

**Consideration of Approval of a Resolution adopting the City’s Open Records Policy.**

**Resolution No. 2008-03-12**

City Clerk Rowland stated that the Open Records Policy was adopted on January 3, 2006 and amended on February 21, 2006 by Ordinance.

She explained that policies are typically adopted by Resolution as they are ever-changing documents. Therefore, in the process of codification, these policies were removed from the Code of Ordinances to be adopted by Resolution. There are no changes being recommended at this time.

**Motion and Vote:** Councilmember DeJulio moved to approve a Resolution adopting the City’s Open Records Policy. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.

**Consideration of Approval of Approve the realignment of fund balance to enable the purchasing of fifteen (15) police vehicles for the Police Department in this budget year.**

Assistant City Manager Rapson stated that staff is requesting approval of the realignment of fund balance to enable the purchase of fifteen (15) police vehicles for the Police Department in this budget year.

The purpose of this recommendation is to procure police vehicles that are anticipated as part of the FY2009 Budget. Placing the vehicle order in advance of the budget adoption will help alleviate delivery issues and align them with the actual budget adoption and ensure a timely implementation of City Council direction for police services.

The City is using the fund balance that was budgeted to encumber it and get the vehicles here and then reimburse the fund balance in FY2009.

These vehicles would be procured based on the last policy vehicle procurement specifications with a final recommendation coming back for City Council approval based on solicited bids.

Councilmember Meinzen McEnery questioned if this money was coming out of the 2007 Contingency Fund balance. Mr. Rapson stated that the 5 million she is referring to this contingency is actually flagged for different items. Within that 5 million was 3.5 million that was set aside for fund balance. The City had to use around $498,000 of it this year to pay for the Fulton County Election the City had as well as to shell out for the cash donations as if we had actually gone out and asked for grants. There is about 3 million of that 3.5 million left and this is where he will take the 1 million from in order to implement this for the Police Department.

**Motion and Vote:** Councilmember Jenkins moved to approve the realignment of fund balance to enable the purchasing of fifteen (15) police vehicles for the Police Department in this budget year. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously.
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Reports and Presentations

City Manager McDonough reminded everyone that the next Open House will be on Monday, March 10, 2008 at Mt. Vernon Presbyterian High School.

Program Director Crace stated that he and John interviewed a number of candidates last week for the position of the Director of Parks and Recreation and has entered into an agreement with Ronnie Young. Mr. Young has 40 years experience. He retired from the City of Carrollton after 34 years of service. Mr. Young’s staff grew to about 53 people and with the University community it had a broad base from the Art Center to various Cultural Activities to Youth Sports and to a wide range of services. Mr. Young will begin work at the first of next week.

Mayor Galambos stated that a person from the Chinese Embassy in Washington that visited with the City in December about the Sister City situation. We had told him how much the City wanted to be a Sister City with Donguan which is the City that UPS recommended. She received a response letter that stated that Donguan already has a Sister City is not interested in pursuing another Sister City with Sandy Springs. He did suggest a zone in the Canton region which is the most prosperous area with all manufacturing and all business going on north of Hong Kong. She questioned Council if this would be something they would like to pursue. This gentleman will provide information to us about this new site and will pursue the matter should Council want to move forward.

Councilmember DeJulio questioned what kind of commitment would be required by the City. Mayor Galambos stated that there are no legal commitments but a social cultural change. This is a way for the City to establish contacts that might eventually help the City in commerce and trade. Donguan has all high tech industries and could play into the City’s strengths. There is another City, Deyang interested in being a Sister City to Sandy Springs and the City has not yet responded to them.

Councilmember DeJulio stated that there are no real similarities with the City Deyang. Deyang is a City of 3.8 million that covers 3,600 square miles. Councilmember Fries concurred with Councilmember DeJulio.

City Council would like more information.

Mayor Galambos stated that Israel is interested in talking to Sandy Springs about being a Sister City. City Council would like to pursue the opportunity. Mayor Galambos stated that she pitched Sandy Springs as the headquarters for the Chinese Consulate.

Councilmember Fries announced that registration is now on line (www.sandyspringschallenge.org) for the Sandy Springs Cycling Challenge.

Adjournment

Motion and Vote: Councilmember Paul moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Fries seconded the motion. There was no Council discussion. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Date Approved: April 1, 2008

Eva Galambos, Mayor  
Christina V. Rowland, City Clerk