

City Of Piedmont
Council Agenda Report

DATE: November 15, 2004

FROM: Mark E. Feldkamp, Parks and Project Manager

SUBJECT: **Approval of a Street Closure on November 25, 2004 for the
“Turkey Trot” Fundraiser**

RECOMMENDATION

By motion, approve a request to close city streets on November 25, 2004 for the “Turkey Trot” fundraiser sponsored by Piedmont High School Cross-Country Team.

BACKGROUND

Attached is a request and background information from Doyle O’Regan, Piedmont High School Cross-Country coach, to conduct a foot race on the morning of November 25th (Thanksgiving Day) as a fundraiser for the team.

Coach O’Regan and his volunteers successfully managed this event in November 2003 and have requested permission to hold a fund raiser this year. Based on the excellent preparation and execution of the 2003 event, the Director of Public Works, the Chief of Police and Fire Chief support this request.

Coach O’Regan will provide volunteers with safety vests and signs reading “race in progress.” Public Works will provide barricades and traffic cones as needed. The Fire Department will provide paramedic ambulance service in the event they are needed. AC Transit will be notified by race officials. Race officials will provide cell phones and two-way radio. Each household along the race route will receive a flyer notifying them of the race and publicity will appear in the Piedmonter and Piedmont Post.