

City of Piedmont  
Council Agenda Report

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Date: May 16, 2005

From: Mark Delventhal, Director of Recreation

Subject: **DOROTHY CARTER MEMORIAL BENCH  
APPROPRIATION**

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Recommendation:

Appropriate \$2500 from the Private Contribution Fund (Carter Memorial Bench Account) to the Recreation Department Maintenance Fund.

Background:

On November 23, longtime resident Dorothy Carter passed away. Dorothy was an active member of the Piedmont Seniors Program. I was contacted by the family and members of the seniors group and asked if a memorial bench could be purchased in honor of Dorothy and if the city would be able to receive donations for the bench. I was pleased to offer assistance and agreed to coordinate the donations.

The funding needed for a larger size bench (\$2500) and has now been received and needs to be forwarded to PBF who manages the actual purchase and of these memorial benches.

Dorothy's daughter, Dorothy Paige, has worked with Mark Feldkamp and a location for this bench has been identified. The bench will be placed on the sidewalk immediately in front of the city hall courtyard.

Acknowledgements from the city on behalf the seniors group and the family were sent to all who made donations.