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**8. COUNCIL REPORTS**

- 8.1 Councilor Baca stated she has enjoyed the past eight years and encouraged Councilors to consider attending the LOC Conference. She stated she has enjoyed serving on the Finance Committee and working with Ms. Swanson.
- 8.2 Mayor Schaudt reported on his attendance with Councilor Sloan at the Philomath Community Services Board meeting on December 2. He stated that it was made clear to them that they would not be allowed to participate, but they wanted to observe firsthand the PCS meeting proceedings. Mayor Schaudt stated it is a Board in transition with several attendees members, including Board members, walking out during that meeting and with five new Board members awaiting appointment. He stated it appears those appointments will result in positive changes. There was discussion about the recent news reporting on the organization. Councilor Sloan explained that Jeff Lamb was not re-elected President and presumably his term will expire this month. He stated that they have someone to step up as Treasurer, and he felt positive about the upcoming changes. There was further discussion about changes to the Board. Mayor Schaudt stated that it was Jeff Lamb's intention to be re-elected President despite several people having asked him to step down. Mayor Schaudt stated his personal opinion was that Mr. Lamb needs to step down for the good of the organization. Mayor Schaudt stated that if Mr. Lamb should find some way to continue as President of PCS, he would recommend that the new City Council consider not providing funding to that organization next year. Mayor Schaudt stated that the program managers do an outstanding job and it is a wonderful mission and they do it well.

**10. INFORMATION/CORRESPONDENCE**

- 10.1 CWACT Minutes from October 25, 2012, meeting – No comment.
- 10.2 Certified election results from November 6, 2012, general election – No comment.

Mayor Ken Schaudt's 10-2-12 email to his entire city administration informing them that the city of Philomath was about to be cast in a very negative image in the newspapers was his idea along with the city manager and other elected and appointed officials. Mayor Ken Schaudt email 10-2-12 confirms what is about to take place. He has absolutely no firsthand knowledge about any of the allegations that he is spreading throughout the community by his statements "be prepared to tell your constituents that we will do whatever we can, as a Council, to assist in resolving problems at PCS". After our attorney filed a freedom of information request and these public documents were obtained there is no doubt that these various city officials emails were forwarded and disseminated to "COUNTLESS CONSTITUTES, COMMUNITY SERVICE GROUPS AND LEADERS".

NOTE: This takes character assassination to a new level and of course the PCS board had no idea what was coming and the permanent damage that would be done to the organization. The city managers emails refer to what is about to happen as a PR disaster and our community has not recovered to this date. J.R.L.