City Council Goals and Objectives Discussion for 2006 March 9, 2005

Improve Economic Development:

Better PUD Ordinance Enhance Public/Private Alliances Commercial Use – size and amount **Business Incentive Programs** Regional Communication Cooperative/Chamber of Commerce

Enhance/Maintain Infrastructure:

Adams Road Relocation Crooks/Hamlin/M-59 Comprehensive Storm Water Management Program **DPS** Facility Trail Development Proactive Maintenance Gateways Road Funding Reservoirs

Enhance Communication with Residents:

Citizen Academy Youth Council (in process 5/3/04) Channel 55 Hills Herald City Web Site Town Hall Meetings Complaint System Improve Notification / Programs Enhance City PR

Enhance Sister City - Explore "Shared" Services Public Communication/Proactive Committee

News Releases

"Suggestion" Box

Citizen Hotline with Recorded Messages and Publish/Promote in H.H.

Enhance/Maintain Public Safety Levels:

Enhance/Maintain Fire Department LOS Enhance/Maintain Police Operations/LOS Emergency Broadcast City Wide via Pagers and Channel 55/10 **Community Policing**

Amber Alerts via Pagers and Channel 55/10

Enhance Quality If Life:

Community Center
Green Space Preservation
Parks
Leaf Pickup
Historical Preservation
Solid Waste Threat to Quality of Life Trail Development
Improve Access to River
Pro Active Code Compliance
Policy Review – Operations

Efficient Government:

Upgrade facilities, staff, equipment – DPS perspective
Implement new meter read capabilities
Improve and maintain staff training
Upgrade communication/technology system - Long Term Technology Plan
Long-term tech. plan
Implement records management
Program Prioritization by Department
Cut "red-tape" – process improvement
Develop Five-year Plan for Fire services
Outsourcing and privatization
Review City Charter
Decrease Dependency on Outside Consultants
Inter-Departmental Communication
Regional "Shared" Resources
Add an Employee Suggestion Box

Maintain Financial Stability:

Enhance revenue
Contain costs
Maximize Grants and other funding sources
"Spend smarter!"
Police services funding
Pathway funding