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To: The Honorable Findlay City Council
From: Mayor Anthony P. Iriti, Chairman
Re: May 9, 2007, Income Tax Board meeting

Members Present: David Hackenberg, Randy Ward, Robert Cole Sprague, and Deborah Preston.
Attending: Andrew Thomas and Kathy Launder.

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m.

Minutes: The minutes of the February 7, 2006, meeting were distributed. Motion to approve minutes as presented, by Hackenberg, second by Sprague. Motion approved 4-0.

2007 Year-To-Date Collections: Thomas reported that business collections were up 14% which is very encouraging. Thomas's conservative estimate for 2007 is a 5.67% increase of collections over last year. The City has received consistent increases in collections over the past few years.

House Resolution 6167: This bill was introduced in the 109th Congress, but did not move forward. This bill will need to be reintroduced in the 110th Congress. This bill will limit state and local governments to tax income of residents who have not been a resident of the state or locality for at least one year.

Check Endorser: Thomas distributed a flyer describing a check endorser that he would like to purchase for the City Income Tax Department. Thomas stated that his department endorses 20,000 checks per year. This machine costs \$2,195. Utility Billing would also be able to utilize this machine if they so choose.

Folder/Inserter: The current machine is wearing quickly. Utility Billing Department as well as the City Income Tax Department uses this machine. Thomas is requesting to purchase a new machine which will cost around \$3,000. The current machine can be given to the Utility Billing Department for their use.

Next Meeting: The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, August 8, 2007, at 8:30 AM.

Being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Prepared by:


Kathy K. Launder, City Clerk