City of Piedmont Description of Commission Duties

Note that vacancies do not exist on all committee or commissions in the same year. See the Notice of Appointive Vacancies for current openings.

CIP Review Committee Makes recommendations to the city council regarding the

expenditure of the capital budget (construction, repair or

rehabilitation of city facilities)

Civil Service Commission Deals with personnel issues including classification

and serves as the hearing board in disputes between the city

and employees. Meets as required.

Municipal Tax Review An ad hoc committee which is formed every four years to

advise the city council regarding the need for a municipal

services tax. Meets several times each month for

approximately 6 months.

Park Commission Makes recommendations to the city council about

improvements to the public parks and manages the street tree improvement program of the city. Meets monthly on

the first Monday at 5:30 p.m.

Planning Commission Makes decisions regarding proposed modifications or

construction to homes. Advises the council on issues related to planning and building. Meets monthly on the second Monday at 5:00 p.m. Requires approximately 4

hours per month in addition to meeting time.

Public Safety Committee This ad hoc committee has a one year charge that will

terminate on April 31, 2011. Their charge is to make recommendations increasing public safety via education and awareness programs as well as strengthening the partnership between residents and the police/fire

departments.

Recreation Commission Advises the city council on issues regarding the city's

recreation programs, sports field development, allocations of field space and other issues. Meets monthly on the third

Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.