

**GRAND JUNCTION CITY COUNCIL
WORKSHOP AGENDA**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 5, 2000, 6:30 P.M.
TWO RIVERS CONVENTION CENTER, 159 MAIN STREET**

**** PLEASE NOTE TIME AND DATE ****

6:30 MAYOR'S INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME

6:35 COUNCILMEMBER REPORTS AND COMMENTS

PRESENTATIONS

6:40 POLICY GOVERNANCE FOR BOARDS: Cheryl Lynn Collins, Executive Director of the United Way, will discuss the program and ask for City financial support to bring it to Grand Junction. [Attach W-1](#)

WRITTEN REPORTS

UPDATE ON THE ANNUAL SPRING CLEAN UP PROGRAM [Attach W-2](#)

7:00 REVIEW WEDNESDAY COUNCIL AGENDA

7:20 ADJOURN TO FORMAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

This agenda is intended as a guideline for the City Council. Items on the agenda are subject to change as is the order of the agenda.



June 29, 2000

Mesa County Healthy Community Civic Forum

Mr. Mark Achen
City Manager
City of Grand Junction
250 North Fifth Street
Grand Junction, CO 81502

Dear Mark,

On behalf of the Board of Directors for The Civic Forum, I would like to request consideration for funding of an upcoming development opportunity to benefit Boards of both non profit and for profit organizations on the Western Slope.

The Civic Forum is seeking funding support of \$4,000 to cover the expense of bringing a professional to present on the topic of Board Governanc. Many organizations on the Western Slope depend on Boards; paid or volunteer, to set policies, act as one voice and to guide the paid staff to achieve the overall mission of the organization. In many cases, the Board sets in to manage the day-to-day operations and not to set policy.

The Board of Directors of The Civic Forum views this workshop as a benefit to Mesa County as well as the entire Western Slope. Given the funding to pull this presentation together would allow name recognition for Grand Junction as the leader in bringing this type of training to our community.

Board Leadership, Board Management and Board Training are crucial to the overall success of an organization.

I would like to have the opportunity to present this concept in person to the City Council. Be advised that upon approval of this request a full proposal will be submitted noting "in-kind" opportunities for City participants as well as any possibilities of partial refunding based on the overall number of participants. I would request representation from City Council, and The City of Grand Junction to be a part of the planning process.

Your consideration on this request is appreciated and I do look forward to hearing from you soon!

Sincerely,

Cheryl Lynn Collins
2000 -2001 Board Member, The Civic Forum

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Attachment W-2

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