
**PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEKIN, ILLINOIS,
HELD AT PEKIN HOSPITAL - CONFERENCE ROOMS 3 NORTH
ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1998, AT 12:00 O'CLOCK NOON
R. DAVID TEBEEN * MAYOR * PRESIDING**

**PRESENT: COMMISSIONERS, ORRICK, BARRA, JONES, AND RICHMOND
ABSENT: NONE**

Notice of a special meeting of the City Council was posted in the office of the City Clerk and received by members of Council on December 1, 1998.

In attendance were City Manager Richard Hierstein and Corporation Counsel Patrick Oberle; staff members: Ed Basch, Tim Gillespie, Bob Reis, John Hamann, Sue McMillan, Denny Kief and Greg Ranney.

Agenda

The meeting was opened by the City Manager with the introduction of the facilitator Dick Neumiller. Mr. Neumiller presented this year's retreat concept of forming visionary ideas of where the City should be going without applying specific goals. Exercises were used to challenge the group to think creatively. Staff then discussed ideas in two separate groups. General priorities were identified collectively. Each group shared the focus they had given to the development of the riverfront.

No action was taken at the meeting.

COUNCIL ADJOURNED AT 3:40 P.M.

Sue E. McMillan
City Clerk