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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
December 16, 1997 -- 5:00 P.M.

A short meeting of the Economic Development Committee was called to order by Councilman Crockett, Chairman, with Councilmen Taylor, Hakeem, Eaves, Rutherford, Swafford, and Hurley being present. City Attorney Randy Nelson, Management Analyst Randy Burns, and Shirley Crownover, Assistant Clerk to the Council, were also present.

Others present included Mayor Kinsey and Adm. Boney.

TOP FLIGHT AND NATIONAL POSTER

Before addressing Top Flight and National Poster, Mayor Kinsey mentioned a breakfast with Bill Baxter where he was talking about training people for AT&T. He stated Mr. Baxter was different and good.

Mayor Kinsey explained two Resolutions on tonight's agenda dealing with Top Flight and National Poster. He stated they were not considering major expansion--that Top Flight was on Central Ave. and would create an additional 25 jobs and National Poster was off of Amnicola and was utilizing abandoned buildings in order to keep them competitive. He explained he was proposing a 50% reduction on expansion over five years. He noted that Ron Swafford was involved closely on the guidelines for this area. He stated we needed guidelines to keep score and was recommending these two at this time.

On motion of Councilwoman Rutherford, seconded by Councilman Hakeem, these two Resolutions will be recommended to the full Council.

Attorney Nelson indicated that these two Resolutions were already on the agenda.

Mayor Kinsey urged everyone to come on over to the Bessie Smith Hall

to congratulate the Tyner Rams.

The meeting adjourned at 5:05 P.M.