SUBJECT: AUGUST 2, 2005 CITY COUNCIL MEETING TO BE HELD AT PORTERVILLE MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM, FRANK “BUCK” SHAFFER THEATRE

SOURCE: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

COMMENT: The City is initiating two (2) annexation measures to facilitate the logical and orderly growth of the City in conformance with the General Plan and adopted Sphere of Influence. The items to be heard on August 2, 2005 will consider approval of two Mitigated Negative Declarations and the public interest to be served or advantaged by proposed prezoning and annexation of twelve (12) unincorporated “islands” located throughout the City of Porterville and the proposed annexation of approximately 87 acres of land in the City of Porterville (Gibbons & Indiana).

Due to the overwhelming public response to the Island Annexation public meeting on February 3, 2005, the Community Development Department has scheduled the August 2, 2005 City Council meeting to be held at the Porterville Memorial Auditorium, Frank “Buck” Shaffer Theatre. Over 2000 public hearing notices were mailed to individuals affected by these annexations. The Porterville Memorial Auditorium, Frank “Buck” Shaffer Theatre has a capacity of 1763 people. The cost to rent the building is $575.00, which will be charged to the Community Development Department.

RECOMMENDATION: That the City Council ratify the location change to the Porterville Memorial Auditorium, Frank “Buck” Shaffer Theatre for the August 2, 2005 City Council meeting at the standard time.