CITY COUNCIL AGENDA
CITY HALL, 291 N. MAIN STREET
PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA
AUGUST 5, 2014, 5:30 P.M.

Call to Order
Roll Call

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