

**COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON
MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING
AUGUST 1, 2013**

3:30 p.m. at the Town Hall Council Chambers, 303 N. Beeline Highway,
Payson, Arizona.

COUNCIL PRESENT: Kenny Evans – Mayor, Michael Hughes – Vice-Mayor, Ed Blair – Council Member, Fred Carpenter – Council Member, Su Connell – Council Member, Rick Croy – Council Member, and John Wilson – Council Member.

STAFF PRESENT: Debra Galbraith – Town Manager, Tim Wright – Town Attorney, and Silvia Smith – Town Clerk.

OTHERS PRESENT: No others were present.

PURPOSE OF MEETING:

1. Presentation by League of Arizona Cities and Towns' Staff regarding the 2013 Legislative Session.

2. Discussion regarding issues and matters of importance related to the 2013 Legislative Session. (Although the Council could discuss matters related to the session, the Council did not take any action.)

Ryan Peters, Dale Wiebusch and Samantha Womer, League of Arizona Cities and Towns, gave a Power Point presentation on the 2013 Legislative Session. The general effective date for all bills would be September 13, 2013. There were 1,158 bills introduced, 282 bills were sent to the Governor, 256 bills were signed and the Governor vetoed 26 bills. Mr. Peters, Mr. Wiebusch and Ms. Womer discussed consolidated elections clean-up, sales tax reform, and other municipal issues as well as implementation assistance.

Adjournment: Mayor Evans adjourned the meeting at approximately 4:45 p.m.

APPROVED:

_____ Date: _____
Kenny J. Evans, Mayor

ATTEST:

Silvia Smith, Town Clerk

Certification

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Payson held on this day the 1 of August, 2013. I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held and that a quorum was present.

DATED this ____ day of _____, 2013.

Tracie Bailey, Deputy Town Clerk