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## **CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP**

**Monday, January 4, 2010**

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**Room 267**

<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Dinner</b>
<b>5:15 p.m.</b>	<b>CLOSED SESSION</b>
<b>6:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Transportation: Preparation for Winter Weather</b>
<b>6:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Environment: Utilities Billing Issues in North Mecklenburg</b>
<b>7:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Citizens' Forum Room 267</b>

**1. Closed Session**

**Action: Adopt a motion to go into closed session pursuant to:**

- A. NCGS 143-318.11(a)(3) to consult with attorneys employed by the City in order to preserve the attorney-client privilege and to consider and give instructions to the attorneys concerning the handling of a claim; and**
- B. NCGS 143-318.11(a)(4) to discuss matters relating to the location of industries or businesses in the City of Charlotte, including potential economic development incentives that may be offered in negotiations.**

# ***COUNCIL WORKSHOP AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY***

**TOPIC:** Preparation for Winter Weather

**COUNCIL FOCUS AREA:** Transportation

**RESOURCES:** Layton Lamb, Charlotte Department of  
Transportation

**KEY POINTS:**

Summary of CDOT Winter Storm Preparations for Charlotte Streets

- Weather Predictions
- Preparedness
  - Training, equipment and materials
  - Coordination
  - Communication
  - Routes
  - Service level targets
- Items Not Included in City's Snow and Ice Plan
- Improvements from Lessons Learned

**COUNCIL DECISION OR DIRECTION REQUESTED:**

This presentation is for Council information.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

None.

# ***COUNCIL WORKSHOP AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY***

**TOPIC:** Utilities Billing Issues in North Mecklenburg

**COUNCIL FOCUS AREA:** Environment

**RESOURCES:** Doug Bean, Charlotte Mecklenburg Utilities  
Denise Foreman, Charlotte Mecklenburg Utilities

## **KEY POINTS:**

- Utilities customers in the Peninsula area of northern Mecklenburg County have recently expressed concern regarding high water/sewer bills in recent months.
- Utilities has been working with the Peninsula Homeowners Association to address the concerns identified by their residents.
- A recent meeting with the Peninsula Homeowners Association received media attention that has resulted in additional concerns throughout the Utilities service area.
- At the December 14 City Council meeting, Council requested more information regarding these issues.
- Utilities will present Council with an overview of the concerns from the homeowners, information shared with the homeowners and next steps to address their concerns.

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## **ATTACHMENTS:**

None.