TOWN COUNCIL MEETING NO. 706, NOVEMBER 8, 2006

ROLL CALL

Vice Mayor Driscoll called the meeting to order at 8:04 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Ms. Howard called the roll:

Present:

Councilmembers Davis, Derwin and Merk, and Vice Mayor Driscoll

Absent:

Mayor Toben

Others:

Town Administrator Howard, Town Attorney Sloan, Asst. Town Administrator Willis, and

Deputy Clerk Hanlon

(7) <u>Authorization to Join Sustainable Silicon Valley (SSV) and International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI)</u>

Councilmember Derwin reviewed her memo on SSV and ICLEI and recommendation to: 1) become a pledging partner of SSV (\$600) and join ICLEI (\$1,000). Councilmember Davis noted that the Town contributed \$1,500 to SSV annually. Council agreed to discuss contributions to SSV during the next budget process.

Councilmember Merk said it would be worth the dues for the Town to join both groups for a year. Responding to Councilmember Merk, Ms. Howard said the money would come out of the dues budget. By motion of Councilmember Derwin, seconded by Councilmember Merk, Council agreed to join SSV and ICLEI commencing in 2007 by a vote of 4-0. Ms. Howard said staff would fill out the applications; the dues/expenditures would appear on the warrant list.