



**AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES**

**SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2006**

The City Council of Austin, Texas, reconvened in a special called meeting on Friday, November 10, 2006 at The Crossings, 13500 FM 2769, Austin, TX.

Mayor Wynn reconvened the meeting at 9:00 a.m.

Present were:

Mayor Will Wynn, Mayor Pro Tem Betty Dunkerley, and Council Members Cole, Kim, Leffingwell, and McCracken.

Staff: Toby Futrell, Rudy Garza, Laura Huffman, Bert Lumbreras, Michael McDonald, David Smith, John Stephens, Kristen Vassallo and Shirley Gentry.

Council Aides: Gloria Aguilera, Rich Bailey, Bobby Garza, Andy Mormon, Kelly Vidovik, and Kenny Thompson.

Media: Sarah Coppola, Statesman, Steve Pickering, KLBJ, and Kimberly Reeves, In Fact Daily.

Presenters: John Nalbandian, Ph.D. and Carol Nalbandian, Ph.D.

1. The development of strategic goals continued. A step by step plan for reviewing and prioritizing the goals was presented. It included circulating the list to the Council before the next attempt to prioritize.

The meeting was recessed at 10:10 a.m.

The Mayor called the meeting back to order at 10:25 a.m.

2. The facilitators led a discussion about communication and team work among Council Members.
3. The facilitators summarized the session and the City Manager outlined the next steps.

Mayor Wynn adjourned the meeting without objection at 11:45 a.m.

The minutes for the Special Meeting of November 10, 2006 were approved on this the 30th day of November, 2006 on Council Member Leffingwell's motion, Council Member Martinez' second on a 7-0 vote.