

**Meeting Date: 2/21/2012**  
**Agenda Item:**

## City Council Agenda Report

### City of Scandia

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**Action Requested:** Review the draft agenda for the February 28, 2012 special City Council meeting on the Zavoral Mining and Reclamation Project DEIS (Draft Environmental Impact Statement.)

**Deadline/ Timeline:** N/A

**Background:**

- The Draft EIS has been completed. Paper copies were delivered to the City on February 14, and the document has been posted on the City's website.
- The City Council will be asked to approve its release for the formal public review and comment period at a special meeting scheduled for 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 28.
- The proposed schedule for the comment period is as follows:

March 19, 2012	Notice of EIS availability appears in EQB Monitor; 60-day comment period begins
April 3, 2012	Public information meeting (at Planning Commission meeting)
May 18, 2012	Comment period ends (4:00 p.m.)
- The draft agenda includes time for questions from the Council about the content of the DEIS. Questions from the public should focus on the review process only. It is very important that any comments concerning the adequacy of the DEIS be submitted during the formal review period, to ensure that they will be specifically addressed after the comment period ends and considered in preparation of the Final EIS.

**Recommendations:** I recommend that the Council review the agenda for the February 28 special meeting.

**Attachments/ Materials provided:**

- Draft Agenda, February 28, 2012 Special Meeting

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(Feb 28 special meeting on DEIS)

**CITY OF SCANDIA  
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA**

**Special Meeting  
Scandia Community Center Hall**

**Tuesday, February 28, 2012  
7:00 p.m.**

1. Call to Order
2. Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS), Zavoral Mining and Reclamation Project
  - a) Overview of DEIS
  - b) Council Questions on DEIS Content
  - c) Overview of Public Review and Comment Process
  - d) Questions on Review and Comment Process
  - e) Action—Approve Release of DEIS for Public Review and Comment (*Resolution 02-28-12-01*)
3. Adjournment