



**CITY OF GREAT FALLS
COMMISSION AGENDA REPORT**

Item: Reschedule the Regularly Scheduled City Commission Work Session and Meeting on October 7, 2008

From: Lisa Kunz, City Clerk

Initiated By: McLaughlin Research Institute

Presented By: Lisa Kunz, City Clerk

Action Requested: Reschedule City Commission Meetings

Suggested Motion:

1. Commissioner moves:

“I move that the City Commission (approve/deny) the request to reschedule the Work Session and Commission Meeting from October 7, 2008, to Monday, October 6, 2008, to accommodate the Smuin Ballet.

2. Mayor calls for a second, discussion, inquiries from the public, and calls the vote.

Staff Recommendation: In order to accommodate the McLaughlin Research Institute’s bi-annual fund raising event by presenting the Smuin Ballet on October 7, 2008, in the Mansfield Theater and Missouri Room, staff recommends that the regularly scheduled Work Session and City Commission meeting on October 7, 2008, be rescheduled.

Background: By letter dated April 28, 2007 (*sic*), the McLaughlin Research Institute advised that it will be renting the Mansfield Theater and Missouri Room on October 7, 2008, to present the Smuin Ballet of San Francisco for their bi-annual fund raising event. The performance was made possible by a generous sponsorship and all of the proceeds support McLaughlin’s missions of education and research. Said date conflicts with the regularly scheduled City Commission meeting. The McLaughlin Research Institute respectfully requested that the City Commission meeting date be rescheduled.

Fiscal Impact: None.

Alternatives: The City Commission could deny said request.

Attachments/Exhibits: Letter dated April 28, 2007, from Dave Crum, Assistant Director of Operations and Development of the McLaughlin Research Institute.