TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
FROM: Patrick Urich, City Manager
DATE: February 15, 2013
SUBJECT: Issues Update

The following are issues related to the City for the weekly Issues Update. If there are additional items you believe should be included, please let me know.

**EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS CENTER:** Attached is the Emergency Communications Center’s January 2013 Report.

**2012 BUILDING PERMITS:** Permit activity remained steady in 2012, highlighted by a significant increase in new residential permits (63%). While the overall number of permits issued in 2012 was nearly the same as 2011, the permit valuation and associated fees were slightly less than the previous year. Since 2008, 17,153 permits have been issued by the City of Peoria, with the valuation of projects topping $1 billion. This data is attached.

**PEORIA DISPOSAL COMPANY’S WORKFORCE:** At the February 12th Council meeting a citizen indicated that PDC does not have any minority workers. In checking with the composition of the group doing work for the City of Peoria, PDC consists of the following:

Total employees = 56
Males = 54
Females = 2
White = 47
African American = 9

**MARRIOTT HOTEL PROJECTS:** Attached is the January 2013 Progress Report.