## 01/07/08 - Lease to Piedmont Swim Club e-Correspondence

Dear Mr. Grote, Mayor McEnroe and City Council

I am writing to voice my support for the latest version of the Piedmont Swim Club Lease Extension before the Council. The Piedmont Swim Club is an excellent community asset, and although privately funded and member supported, provides aquatic usage for the Piedmont Swim Team and the teams sponsored by the Piedmont Unified School District.

Please do not pass this over or further let the lease languish. Please cast your vote in support of the continued operations of the PSC. The timing is critical, so that the operations of the pool in spring will be to the standard that the residents of this community expect. The modifications to the Lease are financial necessities for continued operations, and should be accepted along with the proposed term.

This three year extension is more than reasonable. As has often been repeated, the idea of a new swim facility is a separate concept from the need to keep the current facility operating until such time as a viable alternative is planned and ready for use. The confusion of issues has detrimentally impacted the PSC operations, and it now time to for this City Council to act to vote to continue operations, so that all swimmers in Piedmont will benefit from the continued operations of the only pool available for public use in Piedmont.

Thank you.

Carol Anderson