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## Voices Section on your Web Site

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Mon, Jul 9, 2012 at 10:39 AM

Hi Angela and Darrell---Please put this in your Voice Section on your Web Site. Thanks, Linda Lyon

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July 9, 2012

This is in response to Angela's wrong information about me, Linda Lyon.

I had written Angela and told her it is our 1<sup>st</sup> Amendment Right to have prayer at our City Council meetings and quoted the 1<sup>st</sup> Amendments, **“Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.”**

I went on and told Angela that every body of Government in our Country from the White House, both bodies of Government at the Capital in Washington, every State Government and most City Governments start off with a prayer at the bargaining of their meetings. That our Country was founding on Religious Freedom over 236 years ago.

Angela in her remarks to City Council had indicated that it would offend the Staff at City Hall and offend the Citizens of Lafayette to have prayer sat Council meetings.

I was defending the Staff and the Citizen of Lafayette. It was NOT “kind of bizarre and more than slightly judgmental of the community.”, But defending everyone.

Angela had said in her remarks that Lafayette was not a church going town. I wrote her — “And I don't know for sure, but I think you are wrong about Lafayette not being a Church going town. Lafayette is the MOST Church going town I have EVER lived in, in my life. I have never seen anything like it. Almost everyone in MV goes to Church every Sunday and I spend a lot of time in American Café and I hear what everyone is say. Almost this whole town is at Church on Sundays. And I grow up and lived in the Bible belt all of my life, 64 years.”

Than I was bombarded with many, many emails from Angela, six in all. She wanted to know if I had a Bible, how many Bibles did I own and she started quoting verse from the Bible and telling me to read them etc.

In my forth email to her I told her, "I am not going to discuss the Bible with you anymore". Then she sent me the list below of Religion. ("You do realize that everyone is not Protestant, right? Some people are Jewish, Muslim, Buddhist, Catholic, Wicca, or Agnostic, etc.") Some I did not know and had to Google them on the Internet. And according to Google, Wicca, and Witchcraft are the same. I don't know and it is NOT important at all. There are more important things to worry about than the Thousands and Thousands of Religions around the world.

Angle writes "Linda is the same person that the city and current council is continuing to funnel significant money and resources into her organization's efforts to make Lafayette beautiful, all while she is filling the effort with the ugliness that pours out every time she speaks of our community."

I don't know who told Angle that, but they are lying.

- As of today, July 9, 2012 -they City of Lafayette has NEVER given the Lafayette Citizen Fund, a non-profit Organization, ONE RED PENNY.
- As of today, July 9, 2012 – the City of Lafayette has NEVER given me, Linda Lyon, ONE RED PENNY.
- I have NEVER in my life said one bad word about Lafayette to anyone. I DO however praised Lafayette all of the time and talk to people around the Country about what a pretty nice town Lafayette is. **I praise Lafayette almost daily.** In 2009 I wrote up a brochure of the History of Lafayette, map of the town and Business of Lafayette. If I did not care for Lafayette, I would not have wasted my time doing that. It was four months in the making. And I have done tons of other things for Lafayette too.
- Aren't our Beautiful Hanging Basket's just gorgeous hanging up and down the street?
- The City of Lafayette does give City Grants to non-profit organizations like the Cub Scout, Boy Scouts, Girl Scout, CERT and other non-profit Organizations and has for many years.

Angela has the 1<sup>st</sup> Armament right to say what she wants to, but it SHOULD be true and not lies. As you can see, I copied what she said to me in emails and from her Web Site so it came out of her mouth. I did not put words in her mouth or make up stuff.

Thank you for letting me clears this up.

Linda Lyon

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In fairness to the situation, I will also post the emails.

I appreciate the opportunity to allow you a forum to present your side of things.

You should note, as I've stated previously, I did not say that staff was offended. I pointed out the potential. But, as I've also previously stated, I printed the exact text of my objection and you advised that you knew better than was the record states.

Again, thank you for the input. You should see posted by 7pm.

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Wed, Mar 14, 2018 at 6:18 AM

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