NOTICE OF PROPOSED TAX INCREASE

A PUBLIC HEARING will be held by the COUNCIL of the City of Danville, Virginia on Tuesday, May 17, 2011 at 7:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers, Fourth Floor, Municipal Building, 427 Patton Street, at which time citizens may appear and be heard by the Council on the subject of the following proposal by the City of Danville, Virginia:

Cigarette Tax

To impose an excise tax on cigarettes of no more than \$0.30 per pack, effective January 1, 2012, as authorized by Section 58.1-3840 of the Code of Virginia.

Such increase is proposed to be no more than \$0.30 per pack and may be combined with other tax increases for the purpose of funding the Economic Development Purchase Plan and the Blight Removal & Community Improvement Program.

A copy of the proposed fiscal year 2012 City budget may be viewed online at www.danville-va.gov, at the Danville Public Library, 511 Patton Street, the Danville Public Library Westover Branch, 94 Clifton Street and the office of the City Clerk 427 Patton Street.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE COUNCIL CITY OF DANVILLE Susan M. DeMasi, City Clerk