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To: Mayor and City Council

From: Randy Wetmore, City Manager

Date: October 2, 2018

RE: Reorganization

Policy Issue: With the departure of Robert Cheshire former Deputy City Manager it is appropriate to consider and implement a new organization of the City Manager's Department.

Recommendation: It is recommended that two Assistant City Manager positions be created. One of the positions will be oversee for the following: Planning, Central Services, Inspections, Government Buildings and one of the TAD Districts. The other Assistant City Manager will oversee Public Works, Utilities, TSPLOST and one of the TAD Districts. The City Manager will continue to directly oversee Fire, Police, HR and Finance Departments.

Background: With the Robert Cheshire resigning in early August I have considered, not replacing the position at all. Or, make no change and hire a Deputy City Manager. Or, employ two Assistant City Managers. Which as mentioned above is the recommendation I made above. As you all are aware, there are number of significant projects that are underway presently and others that will be coming soon, such as TSPLOST and TAD projects. I believe because of the work that I foresee coming, that it is best that we employ two Assistants to best respond to the demands.

Budget Impact: Budget impact is unknown at this time. As I am not aware if we will have internal candidates or both positions will come from outside the organization. The positions will have a range of \$80,000 to \$110,000.

Council Person and District: Applies to all.

Attachments: None