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**TITLE:**

Consider/Discuss/Act on an Ordinance Appointing the Presiding Judge and Associate Judge of the Municipal Court of Record in the City of McKinney, Texas; Providing that this Ordinance Shall be Cumulative of all Ordinances; Providing a Severability Clause; and Providing an Effective Date

This is strictly a procedural matter required for the Municipal Court of Record due to the City Council's recent enactment of the ordinance creating the statutory court.

**COUNCIL GOAL:** Operational Excellence

**MEETING DATE:** July 16, 2019

**DEPARTMENT:** Municipal Court

**CONTACT:** Paul G. Grimes, City Manager  
Steve Tilton, Assistant City Manager  
Mark S. Houser, City Attorney

**RECOMMENDED CITY COUNCIL ACTION:**

- Approval

**ITEM SUMMARY:**

- Judge Roger Dickey and Judge Claire Petty currently serve as presiding judge and associate judge, respectively, and will continue to do so as a part of this procedural ordinance.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- At its June 18, 2019 meeting, the City Council passed an ordinance converting the City's municipal court into a statutory municipal court of record.
- State law requires that any judge serving at a municipal court of record be appointed by ordinance by the city's governing body.

**FINANCIAL SUMMARY:**

- N/A

**SUPPORTING MATERIALS:**

[Ordinance](#)