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**TITLE:** Discuss City Council Preferencing for 2022 Boards & Commissions Appointments

**COUNCIL GOAL:** Direction for Strategic & Economic Growth  
(1E: Increase community involvement and participation within local government / community)

**MEETING DATE:** August 16, 2022

**DEPARTMENT:** City Attorney / City Secretary

**CONTACT:** Mark Houser, City Attorney  
Empress Drane, City Secretary

**RECOMMENDED CITY COUNCIL ACTION:** discussion only - no action

**ITEM SUMMARY:**

- On Tuesday, August 23, 2022, the City Council will meet in special session to appoint members to the various boards & commissions of the city.
- Prior to the special meeting,
  - individual Council Members may prepare and submit to the City Secretary his or her list of preferred nominees; and
  - the City Council may meet in work session, without action, to discuss preferencing nominations, prior to the special meeting held to appointment members.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- Each board consists of members appointed to two-year terms with approximately half of all terms expiring in staggered years.
- The City Council may fill expired terms with incumbent or new members. Additionally, the Council may remove / replace members with unexpired terms at any time, with or without cause.

- Nearly 120 new candidates and incumbent members applied to serve on the various boards & commissions in 2022, with almost 71% of those participating in candidate interviews.

**FINANCIAL SUMMARY:** N/A

**BOARD OR COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:** N/A

**SUPPORTING MATERIALS:**

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