

Meeting Date: 1/5/2016

Report Type: Staff/Discussion

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Title: Vice Mayor and Mayor Pro Tem Selection for Calendar Year 2016

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Pass a Motion selecting Vice Mayor and Mayor Pro Tem for the year 2016.

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Department: City Clerk

Division: City Clerk

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Attachments:

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City Attorney Review

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Approvals/Acknowledgements

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Description/Analysis

Issue Detail: The Sacramento City Charter and the Council Rules of Procedure require the Council to elect by a majority vote a Vice Mayor from among its members, other than the Mayor, to serve for a one-year term concurrent with the calendar year at the Council's first meeting in January. The Council Rules of Procedure also require the Council to elect by a majority vote a Mayor Pro Tem from among its members, other than the Mayor, to serve for a one-year term concurrent with the calendar year at the Council's first meeting in January. The Vice Mayor and Mayor Pro Tem will be able to serve as acting Mayor in the event the Mayor becomes unavailable.

Policy Considerations: Sacramento City Charter section 45 and the Council Rules of Procedure Chapter 2, Section B-2, require a Vice Mayor to be elected annually from among the members of the Council, other than the Mayor, by a majority vote at the Council's first meeting in January. The Council Rules of Procedure Chapter 2, Section B-2, also require a Mayor Pro Tem to be elected annually from among the members of the Council, other than the Mayor by a majority vote at the Council's first meeting in January.

Economic Impacts: None.

Environmental Considerations: None.

Sustainability: None.

Commission/Committee Action: None.

Rationale for Recommendation: It is in the best interest of the City to select a Vice Mayor and Mayor Pro Tem each year to serve as acting Mayor in the event the Mayor is absent or becomes unavailable. In the absence of the Mayor from the city or a Council meeting, the Vice Mayor shall possess all powers of the office of the mayor, and be subject to all prescribed duties for that office. In the absence of the Mayor and Vice Mayor from the city or a Council meeting, the Mayor Pro Tem shall possess all powers of the office of the Mayor, and be subject to all prescribed duties for that office.

Financial Considerations: None.

Local Business Enterprise (LBE): None.