



Legislation Text

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TO: Mayor and Members of City Council

THRU:

FROM: Karen M. McDonald

DATE: May 29, 2018

RE: Public Hearing to Consider Proposed Amendments to the City Charter to Change the Mode of Electing the City Council to Four-Year Terms

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S):

All

Relationship To Strategic Plan:

Goal V: Sustainable Organizational Capacity

Executive Summary:

The purpose of this agenda item is to receive public input on changing the mode of electing the City Council to four-year terms.

Background:

Council discussed adoption of four-year staggered terms at the May 2018 work session and consensus was to move forward with four-year terms. Council adopted a resolution of intent for four-year terms at its May 14, 2018, regular meeting. Pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 160A-102, the resolution of intent set a public hearing for May 29, 2018, to receive public input on changing the mode of electing the City Council from two-year terms to four-year terms.

Issues/Analysis:

Whether to go forward with implementing four-year terms.

Budget Impact:

Unknown at this time.

Options:

1. Receive public input and provide direction to staff.
2. Receive public input and do not provide direction to staff.

Recommended Action:

After receiving public input, staff recommends that Council provide direction to staff as to Council's interest.

Attachments: