

# City of Fayetteville

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## **Legislation Text**

File #: 18-558, Version: 2

TO: Mayor and Members of City Council

THRU: Kristoff Bauer, Deputy City Manager

FROM: Cynthia Blot, Economic & Community Development Director

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DATE: December 3, 2018

RE:

**Community Voices Information** 

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S):

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### Relationship To Strategic Plan:

Goal 6: Citizen Engagement & Participation

#### **Executive Summary:**

Dr. Michelle Eley will provide an overview of the upcoming Community Voices program.

### **Background:**

On August 6, 2018 Council Member Waddell presented this item to her fellow Council Members, stating there was a movement to employ the "Community Voices" model throughout the City of Fayetteville.

Community Voices is a leadership development program that trains participants to identify and resolve community issues. The opportunity is targeted to people not traditionally active in public decision making processes and who may have experienced social and economic and educational limitations. Discussion ensued. Consensus of Council was to move this item forward.

#### Issues/Analysis:

Informational Purposes

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# Budget Impact: None

# Options: N/A

## **Recommended Action:**

None

## **Attachments:**