

City of Arts & Innovation

Mayor's Nominating and Screening Committee Memorandum

TO: MAYOR'S NOMINATING AND SCREENING DATE: JULY 20, 2021 COMMITTEE

- FROM: CITY CLERK WARD: ALL
- SUBJECT: CITY COUNCIL STANDING COMMITTEES AND REGIONAL ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENTS – VOTING DELEGATE AND ALTERNATE FOR CAL CITIES ANNUAL CONFERENCE

ISSUE:

Recommend City Council Standing Committee and Regional Organization assignments and nominate voting delegates.

RECOMMENDATION:

- 1. That the Committee consider Elected Officials preferences for City Council Standing Committee and Regional Organization assignments for recommendation to the City Council.
- 2. That the Committee nominate a voting delegate and alternate to represent the City of Riverside at the League of California Cities 2021 Annual Conference for recommendation to the City Council.

BACKGROUND:

On June 8, 2021, the City conducted a General Municipal Election for Wards 2,4, and 6. As a result of the election, on July 13, 2021, the newly elected Council member representing Ward 2 and Council members representing Wards 4 and 6 commenced a new term of office.

The City Council Rules of Procedures and Order of Business Resolution provide that following an election, reorganization of City Council Standing Committee and Regional Organization assignments shall be considered by the Mayor's Nominating and Screening Committee (MNSC) to refer recommendations to the City Council.

Each Standing Committee shall be comprised of three members. Each Council member shall serve as Chair, Vice-Chair, and Member of three Committees, respectively. The MNSC shall include the Mayor, who shall serve as Chair, and the Inclusiveness, Community Engagement, and Governmental Processes Committee members.

The resolution further provides that to the greatest extent possible, preferences of senior Councilmembers shall be honored. The City Clerk requested each elected official forward their assignment preferences for the MNSC consideration.

The MNSC last referred recommendations to the City Council for the Standing Committee and Regional Organization assignments on January 19, 2021, following the previous election for Mayor.

The League of California Cities (League) holds an annual conference and business meeting to act on conference resolutions that guide cities and the League to improve the quality, responsiveness, and vitality of local government in California. The MSNC shall nominate a voting delegate and alternate to represent the City of Riverside at the annual business meeting on Friday, September 24, 2021, for City Council consideration.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with these appointments.

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- Attachments: Standing Committee Current and Preference Chart Regional Organizational Current and Preference Chart League of California Cities Letter dated 6/16/2021