

Item 24-1101: Approval of Alderperson Salaries

Human Resources Information Technology Committee

Wed, Aug 28, 2024 6:30PM

Alderperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 15:05

All right, on to our next item. Item 24-1101, approval of alderperson salaries.

Alderperson Sheri Hartzheim (District 13) 15:11

Move to hold, please.

Alderperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 15:12

We have a move to hold. Do we have a second?

Alderperson Chris Croatt (District 14) 15:14

Second.

Alderperson Sheri Hartzheim (District 13) 15:15

Let me clarify, move to hold until the next HRIT meeting, which would be...I believe, September 11.

Director Jay Ratchman (HR) 15:27

Let me just real quick. That is correct.

Alderperson Sheri Hartzheim (District 13) 15:41

And then, if I may, chair?

Alderperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 15:42

Absolutely.

Alderperson Sheri Hartzheim (District 13) 15:43

My reasoning for the hold is because there have been pointed out to some of us that there is there are some historical inconsistencies and inaccuracies in previous increases, and I would like to see some of that added to the next agenda so that we can have a good base for discussion of that. Thank you.

Alderperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 16:10

We go ahead and vote on the hold then?

Darrin Glad (Assistant City Attorney) 16:12

I apologize. Did you [...]?

Alderperson Chris Croatt (District 14) 16:14

I did. Yeah.

Alderperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 16:17

Yeah.

Alderperson Chris Croatt (District 14) 16:18

Reluctantly, and, if I could have the floor?

Aldersperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 16:22

Yep, absolutely.

Aldersperson Chris Croatt (District 14) 16:23

Only because—and I think I think I understand it, Alder Hartzheim, but are we going to learn anything new, or are we just going to be able to have a discussion that we can't have today? What—I guess I'm a little confused on why we're—

Aldersperson Sheri Hartzheim (District 13) 16:38

There are some items that are—that I can refer to, but we can't discuss today because it's not in the agenda. So, I would like those pieces to be added to the agenda before we have that discussion, and it's namely from a member of the public who inquired about previous salary increases.

Aldersperson Chris Croatt (District 14) 16:56

Right, but the history is part of the packet.

Darrin Glad (Assistant City Attorney) 17:00

Yeah. So, yeah, I think part of the what was discussed previously between Aldersperson Hartzheim and myself had to do with whether information had been known by all members of council and committee, and this gives an opportunity to learn more background information about what had happened previously. I think, rather than leave it to assume that people know about it, give it opportunity for everyone to get brought up to speed.

Aldersperson Chris Croatt (District 14) 17:29

Yeah, thank you. That's fair, and I don't have any issue with holding it, because it's not that critical timing thing, and I certainly would like to have the full open discussion about it as well.

Aldersperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 17:43

So, are we ready to vote on that then?

[Not Sure Who Said This] 17:51

You ready for a vote?

Aldersperson Vaya Jones (District 10) 17:53

Yeah. Oh, okay, wonderful. You looked very pensive. All right, so those in favor of holding the item until the next HRIT meeting September 11, signify by saying, aye. Aye. Any opposed? Abstentions? That goes forward three, zero.