



Legislation Text

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Agenda Item Title:

Council Member Nicholl recommending an amendment to the Sandy City Purchasing Code clarifying the City Council's contracting authority.

Presenter:

Council Member Nicholl

Description/Background:

The Sandy City Purchasing Code does not expressly identify the City Council's contracting authority. Out of an abundance of caution to ensure vendors that Council-retained professional services are valid, Council staff has requested that our two most recent professional services contracts were executed by the Mayor. They include the:

- Granicus agenda management contract (signed by Mayor Dolan 11-12-15)
- Council legal services contract with Cowdell Woolley (signed by Mayor Bradburn effective 6-1-18)

Though the City Council does not often contract directly for professional services, it would be prudent to clarify the Council's authority in this regard. Other cities with the Council-Mayor form of government with express council contracting provisions in their codes include Ogden and Salt Lake City. A draft code amendment is included for the Council's reference.

Fiscal Impact:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

Further action to be taken:

Council Member Nicholl and staff will work with Administration on a final version of the proposed amendment.

Recommended Action and/or Suggested Motion:

Motion to approve the further development of the Purchasing Code amendment to clarify the Council's contracting authority.