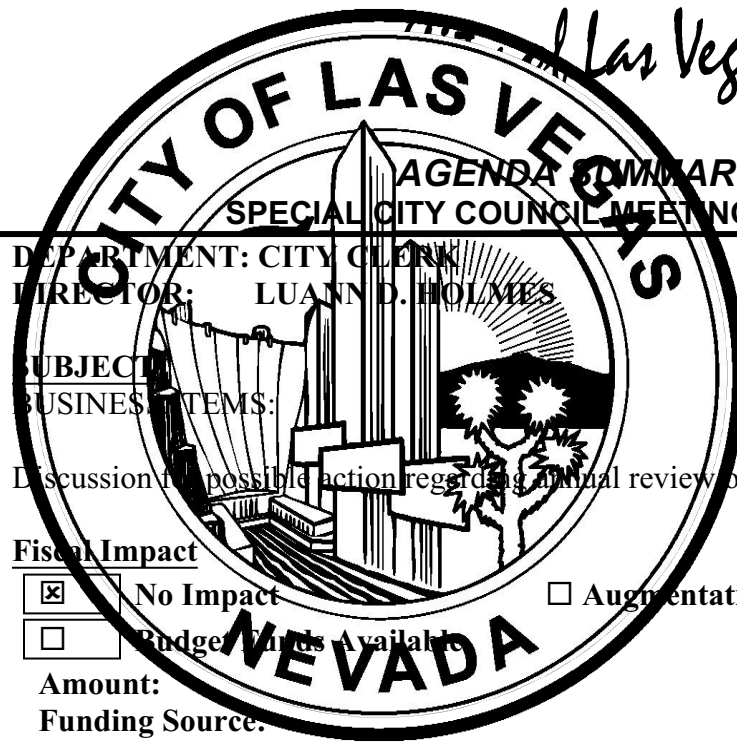




Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 7.

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DEPARTMENT: CITY CLERK
DIRECTOR: LUANN D. HOLMES

☐ Consent ☒ Discussion

SUBJECT:
BUSINESS ITEMS:

Discussion of possible action regarding annual review of City Auditor Radford K. Snelding

Fiscal Impact

☒ No Impact

☐ Augmentation Required

☐ Budget Funds Available

Amount:

Funding Source:

Dept./Division:

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

Yearly performance review of City Auditor Radford K. Snelding

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff to follow Council's direction

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Notice of Closed Personnel Session

Motion made by STEVEN D. ROSS to Approve a salary increase to the cap for the City Auditor position and a \$15,000 bonus

Passed For: 7; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0

BOB COFFIN, RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, CAROLYN G. GOODMAN, STEVEN D. ROSS, STAVROS S. ANTHONY, BOB BEERS; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)

Minutes:

MAYOR GOODMAN explained that the City Auditor is responsible to and reports directly to the City Council. The City is one of the few in the country to have an auditor working specifically for the Council.

COUNCILMAN ROSS directed staff to evaluate the salary range for the City Auditor position and provide that information to the Council at a future date.

MAYOR GOODMAN stated that CITY AUDITOR RAD SNELDING and his team do a great job and save thousands of dollars for the City. At the request of MAYOR GOODMAN, CITY AUDITOR SNELDING explained that his department does performance audits; they are looking

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for economy inefficiency in departments and divisions and different operations within the City. They also conduct IT (Information Technology) audits, fraud investigations and follow-up on the recommendations they make. This has been a good year as far as the number of audits they completed and the recommendations they cleared. MAYOR GOODMAN explained that after the auditors make their findings, they report them to the Mayor and Council and meet with the City Manager. CITY AUDITOR SNELDING explained that additionally, the audit reports are all public record and are on the City's website. He thanked his staff as they are good people and have a lot of ground to cover. He also thanked the Councilmembers and expressed his appreciation.

COUNCILWOMAN TARKANIAN commented it is a rarity in government that the City Auditor has the ability to provide information to the City Council and the freedom to be extremely honest and transparent.

COUNCILMAN COFFIN was not happy with the salary range for the City Auditor position and recommended that an item regarding changing that pay scale be placed on a future City Council agenda.

COUNCILMAN ROSS asked for a round of applause for CITY AUDITOR BRAD SNELDING and CITY ATTORNEY BRAD J. BELL for all they have done for the City of Las Vegas.

