

EUGENE CITY COUNCIL

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY



Work Session: Council Vision, Goals and Outcomes and Process Session

Meeting Date: September 18, 2013
Department: Central Services
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Agenda Item Number: A
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ISSUE STATEMENT

This work session is an opportunity for the council to briefly review and discuss council vision, goals and outcomes in preparation for the upcoming Budget Committee discussions. In addition, a process session will allow for discussion of the current practice for scheduling work sessions and requesting work from staff.

BACKGROUND

The Budget Committee is preparing to evaluate options for addressing the FY15 General Fund deficit by using council vision, goals, and outcomes as a guide in its deliberations. The council last discussed the vision, goals and outcomes in March with the intent of continuing a thorough review in a subsequent meeting. A work session to revisit items identified in March will be scheduled for early 2014. In the meantime, the intent of this work session is to provide the council with the opportunity to add, remove, or change any of the outcomes if needed for use by the Budget Committee in evaluating financial options.

The process by which councilors request work sessions, as described in Council Resolution 5043, outlines that councilors may poll the full body for a majority vote in the affirmative to place items on the agenda and that the Mayor and City Manager will find specific dates on the tentative working agenda for such items. With a full tentative working agenda through early 2014, scheduling additional work sessions on emerging topics will become increasingly difficult without adjustments to currently scheduled items.

RELATED CITY POLICIES

Resolution 5043, City Council Operating Agreements outlines work session scheduling requirements.

COUNCIL OPTIONS

Action is not required.

CITY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION

The City Manager does not have a recommendation.

SUGGESTED MOTION

Council action is not required.

ATTACHMENTS

- A. Eugene City Council Vision, Goals and Outcomes
- B. Resolution 5043

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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