



Title: Citizen Advisory Council Update

Meeting Date: July 1, 2025

Meeting Type: City Council Meeting - First Tuesday - Afternoon & Evening Sessions

Department: City Manager's Office

Sponsor: Niki Jones

Agenda Content:

Niki Jones, City Manager's Office

By informal consensus at the 2024 City Council Retreat and by a formal motion during the February 6 City Council Meeting, Council provided direction regarding Citizen Advisory Councils, to include:

Provide Citizen Advisory Councils with free, monthly access to City facilities
within the boundary of each Citizen Advisory Council

Provide free access to technology to facilitate streaming meetings

 Develop succession planning opportunities to build participation and leadership for Citizen Advisory Councils

A cross departmental team began to meet to understand the financial, technological, operational, and staffing needs necessary to determine the next steps to act on City Council direction. In April of 2024, staff shared recommendations regarding community center locations, technology cost and options, leadership development connection opportunities, summary of models, potential staff impacts, and reconciliation with the Engagement Network. The information from the April 2024 City Council update is included with the agenda materials.

During the presentation, staff will provide an overview of the progress on the items noted in the February 2024 motion regarding support to Citizen Advisory Councils.

Recommended Action: Receive as information.