City Council Regular Meeting

DEPARTMENT: City Secretary's Office

FROM: Amanda Campos, City Secretary

MEETING: December 9, 2024

THE CITY OF

SUBJECT:

Consider approval of an ordinance appointing Terri Wilson for a two-year term ending December 31, 2026 to serve as Associate Judge for the City of Burleson. (First Reading). (Staff contact: Amanda Campos, City Secretary).

SUMMARY:

The Burleson City Charter Section 30 states the qualifications and manner to appoint municipal judges; as a competent and duly licensed attorney practicing law in the State of Texas and shall be appointed by ordinance. Terri Wilson meets all the requirements and serves currently as an Associate Judge for the city. It is the recommendation of Presiding Judge Greg Coontz that the city re-appoint Judge Wilson for an additional two years.

The attached ordinance is before council for consideration on first reading and if approved will be presented for final reading at the January 6, 2025, council meeting. After approval of ordinance on final reading and execution of the Professional Services Agreement the judge will be sworn in by the City Secretary and will be considered qualified. The professional service agreement is attached for review and revisions if necessary. The final agreement will be considered for approval the January 6, 2025 council meeting.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval

PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):

REFERENCE:

FISCAL IMPACT:

All the municipal court judges expenses are budgeted in 1011104-62040 Legal Expenses

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