
City Council Regular Meeting

DEPARTMENT: City Manager's Office

FROM: Janalea Hembree, Director of Strategy and Innovation

MEETING: July 20, 2026

SUBJECT:

Consider and take possible action on a resolution for a nomination to the Texas Municipal League Intergovernmental Risk Pool Board of Trustees 2026 Term. *(Staff Contact: Janalea Hembree, Director of Strategy and Innovation)*

STRATEGIC PRIORITY AND GOAL(S):

Strategic Priority	Strategic Goal
 High Performing City Organization Providing Exceptional, People Focused Services	1.1 Develop a high-performance and diverse workforce

SUMMARY:

In 1973 the legislature passed legislation that required cities to provide workers' compensation coverage to their employees. The cost of workers' compensation through traditional insurers was extremely expensive and cost prohibitive to cities. The legislation also provided for an avenue for cities to create a self-insurance program to help with the cost.

Texas Municipal League Workers' Compensation Joint Insurance Fund was created in 1974 to create a pool of cities for workers' compensation coverage at an affordable rate. Liability fund was added and shortly after property fund became part of the pool. The pool was renamed Texas Municipal League Intergovernmental Risk Pool that included workers' compensation, liability, and property insurance coverage. Today there are 2800 members.

The City of Burleson is a member of the Texas Municipal League Intergovernmental Risk Pool and entitled to make a nomination of their board. The city received a nomination letter with a return date of August 2, 2026. The members of the board serve a six year term. There are 12 members that are elected or city officials and 3 members at-large appointed by the board (no

residency or other requirements applies). The places that are due to expire October 1, 2026 are 1, 2, 3, and 4.

RECOMMENDATION:

Insert staff recommendation

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

List date and description of any prior action related to the subject

REFERENCE:

N/A

FISCAL IMPACT:

N/A

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