

Meeting Name: Town Council Meeting

Meeting Date: March 26, 2025

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Item Title: Discussion on a Policy for Funding Additional Training for Council Members

DISCUSSION:

At the June 26, 2024, Town Council meeting, Mayor Wheeler, Vice Mayor Halpern, and Councilmember Davis gave consensus to have a discussion at a future meeting on a policy for funding additional training for Council members (such as conferences, meetings, seminars, etc.).

Currently, the Town Council has an approved budget of \$9,000 per Fiscal Year for training purposes, which is \$1,800 per person. This budgeted amount also includes all reimbursement requests made by individual council members.

Example: The Florida League of Cities' Annual Conference with hotel stay and a per diem reimbursement request can add up to approximately **\$1,550**+ **/each**.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff is prepared to answer any questions on this item.