

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM: Mike Peacock,

DATE: February 1, 2023

SUBJECT: City Streetlights

Request by council for an update on city streetlights and how we can install additional light in the areas that are lacking in visibility.

In early January 2023, city staff conducted a streetlight inspection and noted that there were around 40 streetlights that were not working properly. The bulk of those lights were owned by Oncor. Since the production of that report, service requests have been filled out with either Oncor or United Cooperative.

The city funds more than 250 street lights in the city with an additional 126 guard lights and private lights paid for by property owners.

By the time of this meeting, staff will have already provided a document that can be found on the website, that will allow residents to make a request to have a light installed. Once a request has been received, staff will determine whose service area the light is in, and contact that agency for the installation.

Additionally, Development Services will begin to more carefully review new developments to assure adequate streetlights are included.