



CITY OF MARSHALL AGENDA ITEM REPORT

Presenter:	Sheila Dubs
Meeting Date:	Tuesday, May 23, 2023
Category:	CONSENT AGENDA
Type:	ACTION
Subject:	Consider approval of Memorandums of Agreement between the City and the Unions approving Juneteenth as a holiday effective in 2023
Background Information:	<p>On February 3, 2023, Governor Walz signed a bill establishing Juneteenth (June 19th) as a Minnesota holiday. Juneteenth commemorates the end of slavery in the United States. Previously, this law was effective on August 1, 2023; however, the Legislature recently adopted a provision to amend the effective date of the new law, which will now recognize Juneteenth effective June 19, 2023.</p> <p>To comply with the law, Staff recommend approval of the Memorandums of Agreement with the unions, approving Juneteenth as a holiday effective in 2023.</p>
Fiscal Impact:	
Alternative/Variations:	None. Failure to approve results in non-compliance with Minnesota law.
Recommendations:	That the Council approve the Memorandums of Agreement approving Juneteenth as a holiday effective June 19, 2023, consistent with Minnesota law.