



AGENDA MEMO

Business of the City Council City of Sweeny, Texas

Meeting Date	08/27/2024	Agenda Items	
Approved by City Manager		Presenter(s)	Mayor
Reviewed by City Attorney		Department	Charter
Subject	Discussion and possible action to procedures, establishment, and requirements of a Charter Review and Charter Review Committee.		
Council Strategic Goals	Vibrant Economy- strengthen codes.		
Attachments / Supporting documents	Charter, Ordinance 100-15		
Financial Information	Expenditure Required:	N/A	
	Amount Budgeted:	N/A	
	Account Number:		
	Additional Appropriation Required:		
	Additional Account Number:		

Executive Summary

Requested information from Attorney on processes, procedures and possible establishment of a Charter Review and Committee.

Last Charter Amendment was completed in May of 2015; amendment of Judge of the Municipal Court's term be in alternating years and not concurrently with the term of the Mayor. Ordinance 100-15

Consideration:

We would need to order a special election if a committee were established and completed amendments are proposed for the ballot.

-Ordering a Special Election increases costs. Dependent on the amount of amendments proposed (ballot language increased) will also affect the amount charged by the County for our total Elections cost.

Recommended Action

Council Discretion