

**Warrenton Town Council** 

Carter Nevill, Mayor Heather Sutphin, Ward 1 William Semple, Ward 2 Brett Hamby, Ward 3 James Hartman, Ward 4 Vice Mayor Jay Heroux, Ward 5 Sean Polster, At Large Renard Carlos, At Large

**Council Meeting Date:** October 11, 2022

**Agenda Title:** Town Manager RFP Selection

**Requested Action:** Selection of RFP Proposal for the Town Manager Search

Department / Agency Lead: Human Capital
Staff Lead: Kasey Braun

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

On September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022, staff released RFP 23-006 to solicit bids from executive search consultants with national experience in recruitment of a Town Manager. Bids were due back on October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022, for Council's consideration.

#### **BACKGROUND**

Brandie Schaeffer resigned from the position of Town Manager on July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Tommy Cureton was appointed as the Acting Town Manager on July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022, for a period of 30 days.

Tommy Cureton's appointment was extended on August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022, through August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, to facilitate the start date of the new Interim Town Manager

Christopher E. Martino was appointed as the Interim Town Manager on August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022, with an effective start date of August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022.

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Review and select a firm to conduct the Town Manager Search.

# **Service Level / Policy Impact**

The appointment of a Town Manager will directly impact the implementation of the Plan Warrenton 2040 on all levels.

## Fiscal Impact

Range \$23,500-\$35,000

\$25,000 was appropriated in July. Budget may be amended if needed and approved by Council.

# **Legal Impact**

The Town Code States that the Town Manager shall be appointed by the Council. (Sec. 2-126)

# **Timing**

The following Town Manager recruiting, interviewing, and hiring timeline was discussed by Council:

- 1. RFP 23-006 (Town of Warrenton Executive Search) posted: September 1, 2022
- 2. RFP 23-006 Proposals Due: October 1, 2022
- 3. Awardee Announced: Town Council Meeting on October 11, 2022
- 4. Anticipated Kick-Off of Executive Search (posting of announcement): November 1, 2022
- 5. Anticipated Interview schedule: First two weeks of January 2023
- 6. Anticipated Hire Date: February 2023

## **ATTACHMENTS**

1. RFP: 23-006