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MEMORANDUM

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To: Common Council
From: John Weidl, City Manager
Date: April 9, 2024
Re: Requirement to be a 3rd class city

During the recent election, concerns were raised regarding the number of signatures required for a candidate to get on the ballot. In light of this confusion, I have directed our City Attorney, Jonathan McDonell, to investigate the steps necessary to change our city's status from a 4th class to a 3rd class.

Attached to this memo, you will find a detailed report from Jonathan McDonell outlining the process of transitioning from a 4th class to a 3rd class city. Jonathan has provided thorough guidance on the legal and procedural aspects involved in making this transition.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John S. Weidl". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

John S. Weidl, City Manager

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