

MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 13, 2020

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Commission

VIA: James Slaton, Interim City Manager

FROM: Jennifer Nanek, City Clerk

REGARDING: Ordinance 2020-23: Charter Amendment, City Manager Appointment - First Reading

SYNOPSIS: *Ordinance 2020-23 will place an amendment on the April 2021 ballot requiring the City Manager upon appointment to move to the greater Lake Wales area.*

RECOMMENDATION

The Charter Review Committee recommends approval of Ordinance 2020-23 after first reading. Staff has no recommendation. This is a Commission decision.

BACKGROUND

There is currently no requirement in City Charter that the City Manager live in Lake Wales. If this amendment is approved by voters a newly appointed City Manager would have 6 months to move to the greater Lake Wales area.

OTHER OPTIONS

Do not approve Ordinance 2020-23.
The Commission can choose to modify Ordinance 2020-23.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact.

ATTACHMENTS

Ordinance 2020-23