Memorandum



DATE June 10, 2022

Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee

To Adam McGough (Chair), Cara Mendelsohn (Vice Chair), Tennell Atkins, Jesse Moreno, Jaime Resendez, Casey Thomas, Gay Donnell Willis

SUBJECT June 22, 2022, City Council Draft Agenda Item #57; 22-1318 Towing Ordinance

The following agenda item is scheduled to go before City Council on June 22, 2022.

Draft Agenda Item #57; 22-1318

Authorize a public hearing to be held on August 10, 2022 to receive comments on amending Dallas City Code Chapter 15D; SEC 15D-15 Definitions; Sec 15D-16 Driving Wrecker To A Police Scene Prohibited; Exception; SEC 15D-17 Soliciting Wrecker Business At A Police Scene Prohibited; Presence At Scene As Evidence Of Violation; SEC 15D-21 License Application; Change of Zone; SEC 15D-22 License Qualifications; SEC 15D-50 Emergency Wrecker Service Zones; Wrecker Rotation List; SEC 15D-52 Requirements and Operating Procedures For Emergency Wrecker Service; SEC 15D-53 Rapid Response Program; SEC 15D-55 Notification of Police Department; SEC 15D-56 City-Owned Wreckers - Financing: No cost consideration to the City

Background

The Dallas Police Department is seeking to improve efficiencies with Emergency Wrecker services through the award of a RFCSP for Auto Pound Management and Towing Services. The current city ordinance will require modifications to allow for technological enhancements.

Jon Fortune Deputy City Manager

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T.C. Broadnax, City Manager Chris Caso, City Attorney Mark Swann, City Auditor Bilierae Johnson, City Secretary Preston Robinson, Administrative Judge Kimberly Bizor Tolbert, Deputy City Manager Majed A. Al-Ghafry, Assistant City Manager M. Elizabeth (Liz) Cedillo-Pereira, Assistant City Manager Robert Perez, Assistant City Manager Carl Simpson, Assistant City Manager M. Elizabeth Reich, Chief Financial Officer Genesis D. Gavino, Chief of Staff to the City Manager Directors and Assistant Directors