



# City of Denton

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## AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Human Resources

**CM/ DCM/ ACM:** Sara Hensley, City Manager

**DATE:** August 19, 2025

### **SUBJECT**

Consider adoption of an Ordinance of the City of Denton approving an amended compensation agreement setting the compensation and terms for the Presiding Judge, Tyler Atkinson with an effective date of August 19, 2025 and ending date of September 30, 2026; to allow for increases to base salary and other financial and non-financial components of compensation without further amendment or renewal of said agreement; to allow payment to employee in lieu of unused, accrued sick leave for up to seven (7) days per year; authorizing the Mayor to execute the agreement; authorizing the expenditure of funds; and providing an effective date..

### **BACKGROUND**

During the City Council Closed Session held on August 5, 2025, the Council reviewed the accomplishments and goals of the Municipal Judge Tyler Atkinson, along with the terms of his employment agreement.

Following this review, the Council approved the authorization of up to 7 days of sick leave buyback each fiscal year effective October 1, 2025, the annual determination of compensation items, and the establishment of consistent contract structures.

The attached ordinance and amended contract authorize these actions.

### **OPTIONS**

Approve the ordinance as proposed, do not approve the ordinance, or make modifications.

### **EXHIBITS**

Exhibit 1 – Agenda Information Sheet

Exhibit 2 – Current Agreement

Exhibit 3 – Proposed Ordinance and Amended Agreement

Respectfully submitted:

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Director of Human Resources