



City of Denton

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AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: City Manager's Office

CM: Sara Hensley

DATE: June 28, 2022

SUBJECT

Consider approval of a resolution of the City of Denton appointing a member and proxy to the North Texas Commission; and declaring an effective date.

BACKGROUND

The Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex is unique and home to 7.5 million people. North Texas is one of the fastest-growing regions in the U.S. and currently the nation's 4th largest region. The North Texas Commission (NTC) was created as a non-profit corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Texas. NTC is a unique and powerful public-private partnership that achieves impactful outcomes benefiting the robust 13-county region. NTC manages the region's unified advocacy voice at the state and federal levels. As the lead convener of subject matter experts, the NTC improves the workforce pipeline and cultivates future leaders in North Texas.

The City of Denton first joined NTC in 1978. As required by the NTC Bylaws, the City of Denton, as a member, has the ability to appoint a member. It is preferred that the member be an elected official (historically the Mayor), otherwise a city employee. The City can also appoint a proxy.

Mayor Gerard Hudspeth is the current member, whose term will expire on September 30, 2022, with the City Manager serving as the proxy. Therefore, the need exists to continue appointing a new member and officiate the appointment of a proxy.

The proposed resolution will serve to memorialize the appointments for future reference.

PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

On June 7, 2022, an overview was provided to City Council regarding appointments to several external boards/committees. At that time, City Council consensus was to schedule Mayor Gerard Hudspeth for reappointment, with the City Manager to serve as the proxy.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the appointment period be for the term ending September 30, 2023 (such applicable term covering the period of October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023).

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1 – Agenda Information Sheet

Exhibit 2 – Proposed Resolution

Respectfully submitted:

Rosa Rios

City Secretary