AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Human Resources

CM/ DCM/ ACM: Bryan Langley

DATE: August 15, 2017

SUBJECT

Consider and confirm the appointment by the City Manager of a new member to the Civil Service Commission.

BACKGROUND

Abraham Benavides has served on the Civil Service Commission since August of 2005. His term expires in August of 2017, and he does not wish to be reappointed. As a result, a new Commissioner needs to be appointed to serve.

Chapter 143.006(b) of the Texas Local Government Code states that the municipality's chief executive (City Manager) shall appoint a member to serve a three-year term, and the appointment shall be confirmed by the governing body of the municipality.

Per Chapter 143.006(c), a person appointed to the Commission must:
    (1) be of good moral character;
    (2) be a United States citizen;
    (3) be a resident of the municipality who has resided in the municipality for more than three years;
    (4) be over 25 years of age; and
    (5) not have held a public office within the preceding three years.

RECOMMENDATION

The City Manager has elected to appoint John Baines to the Civil Service Commission. A brief biography has been attached.

STRATEGIC PLAN RELATIONSHIP

The City of Denton's Strategic Plan is an action-oriented road map that will help the City achieve its vision. The foundation for the plan is the five long-term Key Focus Areas (KFA): Organizational Excellence; Public Infrastructure; Economic Development; Safe, Livable, and Family-Friendly Community; and Sustainability and Environmental Stewardship. While individual items may support multiple KFAs, this specific City Council agenda item contributes most directly to the following KFA and goal:

Related Key Focus Area: **Organizational Excellence**
Related Goal: **1.2 Develop a high-performance work force**

<u>EXHIBITS</u>

Exhibit 1 – Agenda Information Sheet
Exhibit 2 – John Baine's Bio

Respectfully submitted:
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