

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mayor and Council

FROM:

Elaine Hart Elaine Hart, Deputy City Manager/Chief Financial Officer

DATE:

November 13, 2018

SUBJECT:

Extension Request for Resolution No. 20180809-060

On August 9, 2018, City Council adopted Resolution No. 20180809-060 directing the City Manager to research national best practices relating to independent third-party appeals processes for municipal employees whose healthcare claims are denied under certain circumstances. The City Manager has been directed to report back to Council with a report no later than November 5, 2018 detailing the limitations, opportunities, benefits, and costs of implementing such a process.

Staff requests an extension until December 3, 2018 to further research this issue.

Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact Karen Haywood, Assistant Director, Human Resources Department, at 512-974-3465 or karen.haywood@austintexas.gov.

cc:

Spencer Cronk, City Manager

Joya Hayes, Director, Human Resources Department