Recommendation for Action

File #: 22-2832, **Agenda Item #:** 7. 8/19/2022

Posting Language

Approve an ordinance establishing classifications and positions in the classified service of the Austin Police Department; creating certain positions; and repealing Ordinance No. 20210811-004 relating to Police Department classifications and positions.

Fiscal Note

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Operating Budget of the Austin Police Department.

Prior Council Action:

August 11, 2021 - Classification Ordinance No. 20210811-004 was adopted by Council.

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Additional Backup Information:

This ordinance repeals Ordinance No. 20210811-004, establishes all positions in the classified service of the Austin Police Department, and takes effect on October 1, 2022. The number of positions in the civil service classification of Police Officer in this ordinance is increasing by three (3) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance. The three Police Officer positions created in this ordinance take effect on October 1, 2022.

The civil service classification of the Austin Police Department and the number of positions in each classification are established as follows:

Assistant Chief		6
Commander	18	
Police Lieutenant	69	
Police Sergeant		189
Police Corporal/Police Detective		398
Police Officer	1,132	

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Strategic Outcome(s):

Safety.

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