





DATE: September 9, 2025

TO: Peter Zanoni, City Manager

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Motion to Approve Live Broadcast of Audit Committee Meetings

CAPTION:

Motion to approve the live broadcast of Audit Committee meetings and a request for Council directions to fund the broadcast expense, with such expense to be from the FY 2025-2026 budget of the Office of the City Auditor or to return on September 23, 2025, with a budget amendment, to be effective October 1, 2025.

SUMMARY:

Audit Committee unanimously approved the motion to recommend to City Council to authorize live broadcast of the audit committee meetings

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

To enhance transparency and encourage public engagement, the Audit committee has recommended the approval of live broadcasting its meetings

ALTERNATIVES:

The City Council may decline the option of live broadcast and instead propose cost-neutral alternatives to promote public participation

FISCAL IMPACT:

Livestream Meetings Hourly Staff Costs

Qty	City Staff Position	Avg. Hourly Pay		Hourly Total	
1	Multimedia Specialist	\$	23.95	\$	23.95
1	Multimedia Manager	\$	31.25	\$	31.25
1	IT System Admin	\$	36.55	\$	36.55
1	ADA Compliant Captioning	\$	115 .00	\$	115.00
Tota	Total Staff Cost Per Hour \$ 206.75				

Funding Detail:

Fund:

Fund: 5210
Organization/Activity: Department: 23

Project # (CIP Only):
Account:

Organization/Activity:
Department: 18
Project # (CIP Only):

Account: 10300

RECOMMENDATION:

Audit Committee recommends approval to live broadcast Audit Committee Meetings

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

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