

Attachment A

Governing Body Expects/Needs from the City Manager in Order for Governing Body to Do Its Work Effectively

- Overall, accountability, transparency, results
 - Take initiative for managing/leading staff
 - Reward results
 - Focus on goals/objectives
 - Insure right people are in right places
 - Follow the code
 - Keep us fully informed; present fair and complete options
 - Reach out to community/be active in community
 - Open channels of communication with council, staff, and public
 - Meet with us individually
 - Facilitate council discussions/decision making
 - Nurture hard work, pride and integrity as an organizational culture; focus on customer service
 - Tell us what we need to know, not what you think we want to hear
 - Keep council informed about breaking news
 - Ask if you are not clear on our direction

What the Governing Body Will Provide to the City Manager in Order for Him to Do His Job Effectively

- Leadership and unified direction
- Not micro manage staff; work through the city manager
- Be available/provide time
- Trust and support
- Act in a non-partisan fashion
- Seek professional advice and keep an open mind
- Provide introduction/access to community members
- Encourage and provide opportunities for success in his professional development
- Show respect in public and disagree respectfully; do not set up for failure
- Be prepared for council meetings
- Provide institutional knowledge and history as appropriate
- Give credit; develop a culture of praise/recognition
- Be willing to accept critique; being open to feedback
- Be genuine/honest with city manager; share motivations; transparent relationship of mutual trust with city manager
- Be mindful of staff workload
- Permission for city manager to speak truth to power