

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSON/ACTION

Agenda Item #1

AGENDA REPORT SUMMARY

Meeting Date: November 12, 2019

Subject: Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA): Accommodations for Elected Officials

Prepared by: Chris Jordan, City Manager

Attachment(s):

• Discussion/Questions from Councilmember Enander

Initiated by:

City Council

Previous Council Consideration:

• August 27, 2019; September 18, 2019

Fiscal Impact:

ShawHR Consulting contract: \$70,000 (authorized, but not all expended to date)

Air Quality Testing: \$16,490 Future Costs: To be determined

Environmental Review:

Not Applicable

Policy Question(s) for Council Consideration:

N/A

Summary:

- To respond to concerns raised by members of the City Council at its meeting of September 18, 2019 regarding ADA compliance for elected officials, the City hired Shaw HR Consulting to review the situation, work with the Council, and with individual Council members
- The City Council will receive a presentation by Rachel Shaw regarding compliance with the ADA, specifically addressing compliance by, and for, elected officials and the status of her review concerning accommodation requests made by multiple members of the Los Altos City Council

Staff Recommendation:

The Council will receive the presentation and any public comment, and may provide input or direction to the consultant and staff

Reviewed By:		
City Manager	City Attorney	Finance Director
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