

**Subject: Legislative Policy Positions**

<b>Meeting Date:</b> January 23, 2023	
<b>Submitted/Presented by/Department:</b> Nate Burkett, City Manager	
<b>Action Type</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Consent Item	<input type="checkbox"/> Discussion/Direction
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing	<input type="checkbox"/> Informational Only
<input type="checkbox"/> Action/Motion	<input type="checkbox"/> Report
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: Contract
<b>Action</b>	
Approve Resolution	
<b>Background</b>	
<p>On January 9, 2023 the City Council discussed legislative priorities. This resolution gives staff and Council Members the authority to speak on behalf of the entire City Council when advocating for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exemption from the TIF blight requirement for the former YMCA site, and</li> <li>• Capital funding in an amount of at least \$2,496,000 for the design and construction of replacements for Lift Station 4 and Forcemain 4, and</li> <li>• Payments from the State in any form for the purposes of refunding the City for Robert Street capital expenses.</li> </ul> <p>The resolution also generally supports the policy positions of our primary partners in legislative advocacy - the League of Minnesota Cities and Metro Cities.</p>	
<b>Attachments</b>	
Resolution - Legislative Policy Positions	
<b>Previous Relevant Actions</b>	
<b>Alternatives</b>	
<b>Financial</b>	
Budgeted: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No Financial Impact
Fund:	
Department:	
Account:	
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