




# City of Arlington Council Agenda Bill

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<b>COUNCIL MEETING DATE:</b>	
January 16, 2018	
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	
Selection of Mayor Pro Tem	
<b>ATTACHMENTS:</b>	
None	
<b>DEPARTMENT OF ORIGIN</b>	
Administration	
<b>EXPENDITURES REQUESTED:</b>	-0-
<b>BUDGET CATEGORY:</b>	N/A
<b>BUDGETED AMOUNT:</b>	N/A
<b>LEGAL REVIEW:</b>	
<b>DESCRIPTION:</b>	
<p>The City Council is to select a Mayor Pro Tem every two years. The Council Rules of Procedure state as follows:</p> <p><b>Selecting Mayor Pro Tem and Alternate Mayor Pro Tem:</b></p> <p>The Mayor Pro Tem will be selected by a majority vote of the Council members at the second meeting in January in even years or when there is a vacancy. In selecting the Mayor Pro Tem, the Council will be guided by the following principles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To preserve continuity in the office, the Mayor Pro Tem shall generally serve for a term of two (2) years.</li> <li>• The Mayor Pro Tem should have served as a Council member for at least two (2) years before appointment to the office of Mayor Pro Tem.</li> <li>• In general, the appointment of Mayor Pro Tem will be to the eligible Council member who has served the longest in office.</li> </ul> <p>The Alternate Mayor Pro Tem will be the Council member that most recently served as Mayor Pro Tem.</p>	
<b>HISTORY:</b>	
<p>Prior Mayor Pro Tems: Sally Lien (2006-2007)  Marilyn Oertle (2008-2009)  Steve Baker (2010-2011)  Marilyn Oertle (2012-2013)  Chris Raezer (2014-2015)  Debora Nelson (2016-2017)</p>	



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**ALTERNATIVES**

No alternatives.

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

I move to select Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_ as the City's Mayor Pro Tem.