

Administrative/Fiscal Note

Part I. Date: File/Resolution Number: 1/31/2017 Original: (X) Substitute: Title: mplementation Costs (Change in Employee Pay) - Classification and Compensation Study Recommendations Submitted By (Name, Title, Department, Ext.) Peggy Steeno, Finance Director, Finance Department, Phone 302-8252 Description: This fiscal note outlines the costs to implement the recommendations for change in conjunction with the recently completed Compensation and Classification Study. Mandate: Sunset? X No Yes – term? X No Yes (attach documentation) Part II. This file (check all that apply): Increases previously authorized expenditures Decreases previously authorized expenditures Increases city services Decreases city services Decreases revenue Increases revenue Part III. Costs Avoided Ongoing 1-3 yrs 3-5 yrs Purpose Specify type/use Expenditure Implementation Cost – Movement \$63,492 \$ Yes Salaries/Wages to established steps - Estimate Social Security / WRS / Workers \$ \$12,639 Yes Fringe Benefits Comp – Estimate \$ \$ Supplies/Materials \$ \$ Equipment \$ \$ **Services** \$ (\$200,000)+

Assumptions used in arriving at fiscal estimate:

Other

Assumes an implementation date of 4/1/2017 (following a formal appeals process).

Reduced overtime estimate

- Costs are for implementation of pay plan only (increase in employee pay from 4/1/2017-12/31/2017).
- Recommended change to eliminate overtime paid to FLSA exempt employees is expected to save the City approximately \$200,000 annually.
- Recommended change to pay non-exempt positions an overtime rate only for greater than 40 hours 'worked' per week, rather than for greater than 40 hours in 'paid status' per week (with the exception of emergency calls which will continue to be paid at an overtime rate) is expected to reduce overtime paid out, however the savings amount has not been determined.

Yes

Cost details above include 12 positions that are currently lower than the positions' recommended pay ranges, and 75 positions that are between the minimum pay and control point established for the position.

Part IV.	
Revenue Source:	
Department Account #	
Grants Matching Fees TIF Contingent Fund	
X Other, list: Included in 2017 Budget - \$300,000	
Part V.	
Impacts	
Does this impact citizens or businesses in the City? _ No	Yes – Describe impact:
Does this impact employees or operations? No X Yes – Describe impact: There are 87 employees who are slated to have their pay increased due to the implementation of the new pay structure; 12 employees paid an amount lower than the proposed pay schedule minimums and 75 employees who are in between steps, from the minimum to the control point, that will go to the next step that provides an increase. The next effect of these increases is approximately \$76,000.	
In addition, based on overtime earned/paid in 2016, approximately 73 employees will not be allowed to earn overtime, and another 194 employees may have their overtime reduced, exceptions for emergency operations	
What are the goals?	
The goals of the new pay structure implementation include: (1)ensuring that each position is paid based on the specific duties/responsibilities it is responsible for, (2) aligning the City of West Allis to market rates (public/private sector comparisons used), and (3) correcting internal equity issues that currently exist within the organization.	
What are the performance criteria?	
The implementation of the new pay structure is not based on performance criteria; however future pay increases for non-represented positions in the 'High Performance Zone' will be dependent on setting and reaching measurable and attainable goals.	
Describe Timetable:	
Staff is recommending an implementation date of April 1, 2017 for the new pay structure to be effective. The development of a new performance management system, a formal review of the post-retirement benefits, and research related to a PTO (Paid Time Off) Structure in lieu of traditional leave accruals will be completed in the upcoming months.	
Miscellaneous	
Does this require new positions? X No Yes, how many?	
Information Technology resources needed?	X No Yes – describe:
Part VI.	
Performance Measurement Review Requested by committee or Common Council? Yes X No	
Timeline for review:	