

November 6, 2012 Election Actions To-Date & Next Steps

Work Session
June 12, 2012



Council Actions To-Date

- Council has placed 3 charter amendments on the November ballot
 - May to November
 - Personnel
 - City Attorney
- Council has enacted 4 ordinances
 - Ethics Review Commission
 - Database
 - Bundling
 - 9 day reporting



Today's Discussion

- Provide staff guidance on remaining items:

With transition:

- Geographic representation
 - Term length
 - Term stagger
 - November in odd or even years
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- Use of an independent redistricting commission
 - Whether to require required number of initiative and referendum petition signatures to be same as number required for charter amendments



Proposed Election Matters Calendar

- June 12 WS: Discussion on election items
- June 14 ES: Legal issues related to election items
- June 26 WS: Bond package recommendation to Council
- June 28: Discussion and final direction on election items
- August 2: Action on election items: call & set ballot order
- August 7: Bond package work session
- August 16: Action on bond election ballot items

Action on petition items as needed

August 20: Legal Deadline To Call November 2012 Election



Questions

