

Agenda Item No: 3.c

Meeting Date: July 10, 2023

SAN RAFAEL CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

Department: Human Resources

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TOPIC: PERSONNEL CHANGES

SUBJECT: ADOPT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE FOLLOWING PERSONNEL CHANGES:

RETITLING OF THE SENIOR CIVIL ENGINEER (SRSD) JOB CLASSIFICATION, CORRECTING DEPUTY BUILDING OFFICIAL SALARY RANGE, DELETING ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIRECTOR AND ADDING ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER POSITION, AND AMENDING THE UNREPRESENTED MID-

MANAGEMENT AND EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT SALARY SCHEDULES.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the resolution and approve changes to the unrepresented mid-management and executive management salary schedules.

BACKGROUND:

Periodically, the Human Resources Department seeks to establish, reallocate, amend or delete positions to reorganize or restructure staffing to most effectively and efficiently serve the community and City goals. This staff report outlines the current recommendations.

ANALYSIS:

The Senior Civil Engineer a single classification and is an unrepresented mid-management position employed by the San Rafael Sanitation District (SRSD). This position has been vacant for more than a year despite multiple efforts to recruit for the position. The SRSD District Manager recently worked with MRG Consultants to conduct a comprehensive classification and compensation study, and it was determined that the salary for this position is significantly below market in comparison to others with the same specialized and certified skillset at comparable agencies. Based on the recommendations from MRG, the San Rafael Sanitation District Board has approved an increase to the salary range for this position, which is fully funded by the San Rafael Sanitation District. Staff also recommends retitling this unrepresented mid-management position from Senior Civil Engineer (SRSD) to Principal Engineer (SRSD) to distinguish it from the City of San Rafael Department of Public Works Senior Civil Engineer which is a WCE-represented position.

In addition, there is an item that is cleanup in nature. It was discovered that there was a typo in the Deputy Building Official salary range listed on the unrepresented mid-management salary schedule which was

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approved with the fiscal year 2023-24 budget. City Council action for this item is only required to codify this correction.

The City Manager's Office staffing and organizational structure has changed over the years. Prior to the recession in 2008 the City Manager's team included a City Manager, an Assistant City Manager, a Deputy City Manager, and an Assistant to the City Manager. Position cuts as a response to the great recession resulted in the deletion of the Assistant to the City Manager position. While the Assistant to the City Manager position played a key leadership role in managing citywide policy initiatives and supporting the departments in executing on their high priority projects, insufficient resources were available at that time to dedicate staff to these efforts.

Currently there is a City Manager position and one Assistant City Manager position. As part of an ongoing restructuring in 2021, staff recommended the creation of an Administrative Services Department Director to oversee both the Finance and Human Resources Departments. The incumbent in the Administrative Services Director position has since left the city, leaving this position vacant. At the time of the Administrative Services Director staff members' departure, it was determined that the optimal recruitment strategy based on the challenges in recruiting top talent would be to hire for the Finance Director and Human Resources Director vacant positions. The City successfully hired exceptionally qualified individuals into those director level positions, who will work together to ensure the continued collaboration between the two departments.

In the current climate of increasing demand for services, a need for a second Assistant City Manager position has emerged to help continue and lead inclusive engagement efforts with our community while effectively managing the organization and keeping pace in implementing the City Council's goals and objectives. There are also new programs in local government that have grown significantly since 2020, namely the work of diversity, equity, inclusion and belonging (DEIB). These programs require leadership and consistent efforts to convene staff, create enthusiasm and commitment, and develop programs both internally and externally.

Following a thorough analysis of the organizational structure of the administrative functions of the City, staff recommends the deletion of the Administrative Services Director position and the addition of an Assistant City Manager position.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Although the net cost to increase the salary for the Senior Civil Engineer (SRSD) is approximately \$45,000, there is no increase to the City of San Rafael's General Fund as this position is fully funded by the San Rafael Sanitation District. The total cost for the Assistant City Manager position is approximately \$54,728 higher than for the Administrative Services Director. Adding the Assistant City Manager position will increase the City's total authorized headcount by 1.0, for a citywide total of 426.76 FTEs. The costs associated with creating the new Assistant City Manager position will be absorbed by the existing FY 2023-24 budget, and staff will return at mid-year should any additional General Fund appropriations be needed.

OPTIONS:

The City Council has the following options to consider on this matter:

- Approve the resolution as presented.
- Request changes to the recommendations.
- Direct staff to develop alternatives to the recommendation.

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RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Staff recommends that the City Council adopt the resolution as presented and approve the amendments to the unrepresented mid-manager and executive management salary schedules.

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment A: Resolution

Attachment B: Unrepresented Mid-Management Salary Schedule

Attachment C: Unrepresented Executive Management Salary Schedule

RESOLUTION NO.	
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A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE FOLLOWING PERSONNEL CHANGES: RETITLING OF THE SENIOR CIVIL ENGINEER (SRSD) JOB CLASSIFICATION, CORRECTING DEPUTY BUILDING OFFICIAL SALARY RANGE, DELETING ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIRECTOR AND ADDING ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER POSITION, AND AMENDING THE UNREPRESENTED MIDMANAGEMENT AND EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT SALARY SCHEDULES

WHEREAS, the City must, from time to time, add or otherwise adjust job classifications, job specifications, and/or compensation in order to satisfy the changing needs and demands of the workforce and to more closely match the duties which need to be performed by employee positions in the City's various departments; and

WHEREAS, the Mid-Management Senior Civil Engineer (SRSD) position has been challenging to fill for more than a year and the San Rafael Sanitation District Board has approved funding to adjust the salary range for this position and retitle the position to be better aligned with the level of work and responsibility of the role; and

WHEREAS, there was an administrative error in the salary range posted for the Mid-Management Deputy Building Official; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends the elimination of an Administrative Services Director position and add an Assistant City Manager position and increase the City's total authorized headcount by 1.0, for a citywide total of 426.76 FTEs, in order to effectively manage the current climate of increasing demand for services and shift responsibilities and focus to allow the organization to strategically take on new objectives and challenges, including diversity, equity, inclusion and belonging;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of San Rafael hereby approves the recommended personnel compensation, title, and classification changes included with the Staff Report for this Resolution.

I, Lindsay Lara, Clerk of the City of San Rafael, hereby certify foregoing resolution was duly and regularly introduced and adopted at a special meeting on the City Council of said City held on Monday, the 10th day of July 2023, by the following vote to wit:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS:

SAN RAFAEL UNREPRESENTED MID-MANAGEMENT SALARY SCHEDULE

Effective July 1, 2023

Grade	Position	Α	В	С	D	E
7315	Accounting Manager	\$ 10,080	\$ 10,584	\$ 11,113	\$ 11,668	\$ 12,252
2303	Assistant Community Development Director	\$ 12,646	\$ 13,278	\$ 13,942	\$ 14,639	\$ 15,371
2400	Assistant Library and Recreation Director	\$ 11,355	\$ 11,923	\$ 12,519	\$ 13,145	\$ 13,802
2202	Assistant Public Works Director	\$ 12,886	\$ 13,530	\$ 14,207	\$ 14,917	\$ 15,663
2302	Chief Building Official	\$ 11,975	\$ 12,574	\$ 13,202	\$ 13,863	\$ 14,556
4203	Civic Design Manager	\$ 10,229	\$ 10,741	\$ 11,278	\$ 11,842	\$ 12,434
2122	Code Enforcement Supervisor	\$ 7,796	\$ 8,186	\$ 8,595	\$ 9,025	\$ 9,477
4204	Data & Infrastructure Manager	\$ 11,328	\$ 11,894	\$ 12,489	\$ 13,113	\$ 13,769
2115	Deputy Building Official*	\$ 10,778	\$ 11,317	\$ 11,882	\$ 12,477	\$ 13,100
1105	Deputy City Attorney I	\$ 10,852	\$ 11,395	\$ 11,965	\$ 12,563	\$ 13,191
1109	Deputy City Attorney II	\$ 11,965	\$ 12,564	\$ 13,192	\$ 13,852	\$ 14,544
7125	Deputy Director of Emergency Management	\$ 12,886	\$ 13,530	\$ 14,207	\$ 14,917	\$ 15,663
7127	Deputy Fire Chief	\$ 14,663	\$ 15,396	\$ 16,166	\$ 16,974	\$ 17,823
2120	Deputy Fire Marshall	\$ 10,193	\$ 10,702	\$ 11,237	\$ 11,799	\$ 12,389
2135	Deputy Public Works Director	\$ 11,707	\$ 12,292	\$ 12,907	\$ 13,552	\$ 14,230
7313	Economic Development Coordinator	\$ 9,834	\$ 10,326	\$ 10,842	\$ 11,385	\$ 11,954
2128	Economic Development Manager	\$ 10,814	\$ 11,355	\$ 11,923	\$ 12,519	\$ 13,145
7117	Emergency Services Manager	\$ 9,595	\$ 10,075	\$ 10,579	\$ 11,108	\$ 11,663
2138	Housing Manager	\$ 11,173	\$ 11,732	\$ 12,318	\$ 12,934	\$ 13,581
2107	Human Resources Operations Manager	\$ 9,779	\$ 10,268	\$ 10,781	\$ 11,320	\$ 11,886
2208	Operations and Maintenance Manager	\$ 10,661	\$ 11,194	\$ 11,754	\$ 12,341	\$ 12,958
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2703	Parking Services Manager	\$ 9,834	\$ 10,326	\$ 10,842	\$ 11,385	\$ 11,954
7312	Parks Superintendent	\$ 9,735	\$ 10,222	\$ 10,733	\$ 11,269	\$ 11,833
2116	Planning Manager	\$ 11,173	\$ 11,732	\$ 12,318	\$ 12,934	\$ 13,581
2143	Principal HR Analyst	\$ 9,779	\$ 10,268	\$ 10,781	\$ 11,320	\$ 11,886
4206	Product Manager	\$ 10,229	\$ 10,741	\$ 11,278	\$ 11,842	\$ 12,434
8103	Recreation Supervisor	\$ 8,242	\$ 8,654	\$ 9,087	\$ 9,541	\$ 10,019
2206	Principal Civil Engineer (SRSD)*	\$ 13,404	\$ 14,074	\$ 14,778	\$ 15,517	\$ 16,293
7317	Senior Code Enforcement Supervisor	\$ 8,605	\$ 9,036	\$ 9,487	\$ 9,962	\$ 10,460
2101	Senior Management Analyst I	\$ 7,985	\$ 8,384	\$ 8,803	\$ 9,243	\$ 9,705
2105	Senior Management Analyst II	\$ 9,507	\$ 9,982	\$ 10,481	\$ 11,005	\$ 11,555
2203	Senior Project Manager	\$ 9,729	\$ 10,216	\$ 10,726	\$ 11,263	\$ 11,826
8102	Senior Recreation Supervisor	\$ 9,097	\$ 9,552	\$ 10,030	\$ 10,531	\$ 11,058
7310	Sewer Maintenance Superintendent	\$ 9,735	\$ 10,222	\$ 10,733	\$ 11,269	\$ 11,833
7311	Street Maintenance Superintendent	\$ 9,735	\$ 10,222	\$ 10,733	\$ 11,269	\$ 11,833
7245	Supervising Librarian	\$ 8,242	\$ 8,654	\$ 9,087	\$ 9,541	\$ 10,019
2150	Sustainability Program Manager	\$ 8,013	\$ 8,413	\$ 8,834	\$ 9,275	\$ 9,739

^{*}adjusted per Council action

SAN RAFAEL UNREPRESENTED EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT SALARY SCHEDULE

Effective July 1, 2023

Grade	Position	Α	В	С	D	E	
2142	Administrative Services Director **	\$ 14,389	\$ 15,108	\$ 15,863	\$ 16,657	\$ 17,489	
2501	Assistant City Attorney	\$ 13,677	\$ 14,361	\$ 15,079	\$ 15,833	\$ 16,625	
2001	Assistant City Manager	\$ 16,849	\$ 17,691	\$ 18,576	\$ 19,504	\$ 20,480	*
2300	Community Development Director	\$ 14,878	\$ 15,621	\$ 16,403	\$ 17,223	\$ 18,084	
4205	Director of Digital Service & Open Government	\$ 13,677	\$ 14,361	\$ 15,079	\$ 15,833	\$ 16,625	
2801	Director of Economic Development & Innovation	\$ 13,677	\$ 14,361	\$ 15,079	\$ 15,833	\$ 16,625	
2205	District Manager/Engineer (SRSD)	\$ 13,677	\$ 14,361	\$ 15,079	\$ 15,833	\$ 16,625	
2140	Finance Director	\$ 13,677	\$ 14,361	\$ 15,079	\$ 15,833	\$ 16,625	
7101	Fire Chief	\$ 15,396	\$ 16,166	\$ 16,974	\$ 17,823	\$ 18,714	*
1106	Human Resources Director	\$ 13,677	\$ 14,361	\$ 15,079	\$ 15,833	\$ 16,625	
2406	Library and Recreation Director	\$ 14,366	\$ 15,085	\$ 15,839	\$ 16,631	\$ 17,462	
6101	Police Chief	\$ 15,396	\$ 16,166	\$ 16,974	\$ 17,823	\$ 18,714	*
2201	Public Works Director	\$ 15,094	\$ 15,849	\$ 16,641	\$ 17,474	\$ 18,347	

^{**} adjusted per Council action

Position	Monthly Salary					
City Manager (Appointed)		\$	24,494			

^{*} Based on language in the executive resolution, steps can be at a maximum per the below based on City Manager discretion pertaining to performance evaluation

Assistant City Manager	\$ 17,523	\$ 18,399	\$ 19,319	\$ 20,285	\$ 21,299
Police Chief	\$ 17,077	\$ 17,931	\$ 18,828	\$ 19,769	\$ 20,758
Fire Chief	\$ 17.077	\$ 17.931	\$ 18.828	\$ 19.769	\$ 20.758