



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

MEETING DATE: February 6, 2023
PREPARED BY: Human Resources
AGENDA ITEM: Appointment of building official and authorize staff to begin the recruitment process for assistant building official

PREVIOUS ACTIONS:

Motion to authorize staff to begin the recruitment process for the position of building official due to the retirement of Ann Jacklitch.

RECOMMENDED COUNCIL ACTION:

Motion to authorize staff to begin the recruitment process for the assistant building official position and approve the appointment of Colby Cartney to the position of building official at an annual salary of \$121,634.24, effective February 7, 2023 subject to a 12-month probationary period. All required screenings have been successfully completed.

COMMENTS:

Colby has served with the City of Maple Grove since 2016 where he started as a plans examiner/ building inspector, and was then promoted to the assistant building official. Colby also brings relevant experience to the City of Maple Grove from the City of St. Louis Park where he served as a Construction Codes Inspector and Property Maintenance Inspector, and from the City of Rosemount where he served as a Building Inspector. Colby holds a Bachelor's Degree in Education from NorthWest Missouri State University and an Associate's Degree in Building Inspections Technology from Inver Hills Community College. He was selected for the position through an interview process led by a panel of staff representing Fire, Community and Economic Development and HR departments. We are excited to have Colby continue to be an integral leader for the City in this new role.

ATTACHMENTS:

None