December 18th, 2019

M20-004

TO: SPEEA Council

FROM: Amy Freiburghaus (District D-9)

SUBJECT: PRESUBMITTED NEW BUSINESS: Support Young Families at our Council

Meetings

Background

The current 'rules' governing call in's to council meetings prevent action to support any requests of special accommodations within the SPEEA halls from people with special needs during those council meetings. Some examples of groups impacted by the current system include (but are not limited to) nursing mothers, young families, people with sensory disabilities, and the hearing impaired.

It is moved that: **The SPEEA Council approves** that within SPEEA halls, one room with audio and video capabilities that is separate from the main meeting room be available at the request of any individual(s) attending the a council meeting to be used to call into and watch and listen to a council meeting.