



Legislation Text

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APWA National Accreditation Award to Public Works (NB)

This item involves presentation of the plaque by the American Public Works Association to the City of Gainesville, Florida, Department of Public Works, in recognition as an Accredited Public Works Agency.

The Public Works Department established the goal of becoming a nationally accredited public works agency in 2003 and began the self assessment process, applying for accreditation in September 2004. The American Public Works Association conducted its site evaluation December 2-5, 2007, and full accreditation was awarded to Public Works on December 21, 2007, in recognition of conformance to the recommended management practices established by the Accreditation Council of the American Public Works Association. By awarding Accreditation, the Association recognizes agencies for their leadership in the field of public works and their dedication to continuous improvement in search of excellence in government service to the public.

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

Recommended Motion: The City Commission: 1) receive the plaque presented by Mr. Noel Thompson, President Elect, American Public Works Association, in recognition of the City of Gainesville Department of Public Works as an Accredited Public Works Agency.