City of Culver City

Staff Report

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(1) Receive Final Report from the Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee for Fiscal Year 2025-2026, (2) Dissolve the Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 (3) Establish New Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee for Fiscal Year 2026-2027, if Desired; and (4) Appoint Members to the 2027 Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee

Meeting Date: August 12, 2026

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Fiscal Impact: Yes [] No [X] **General Fund:** Yes [] No [X]

Public Hearing: [] **Action Item:** [X] **Attachments:** []

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Departmental Approval: Punit Chokshi, Sr. Management Analyst (08/06/2026)

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Finance Advisory Committee (FAC): (1) receive the final report from the Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee for Fiscal Year 2025-2026; (2) dissolve the Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee for Fiscal Year 2025-2026; (3) form a new Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee for Fiscal Year 2026-2027, if desired; and (4) appoint members to the 2027 Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

The Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee was established to research, implement, and continue a City Innovation Award Program to encourage employees and/or departments to contribute towards increased efficiency, improved quality of life for Culver City residents, reduced costs and/or generated revenue, or demonstrate distinguished performance based on department goals/outcome measures.

The Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee is currently comprised of Finance Advisory Committee Members Austin, Di Vincente, and Thakur.

On August 10, 2026, the Government Efficiency Ad Hoc Subcommittee presented the Fifth Annual Innovation Awards Ceremony, fulfilling its purpose. The Ad Hoc Subcommittee may thus be dissolved after providing a final report to the FAC on its work in Fiscal Year 2025-2026. It is recommended that a new ad hoc subcommittee be formed to carry the program into Fiscal Year 2026-2027.

ATTACHMENTS

None.

MOTION

That the FAC:

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