RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL	
Authorizing and directing the proper city official(s) to allow the Human Resources/Risk Management Director the ability to update position descriptions that do not affect the grade level and reporting structure without additional approval. Changes that affect the reporting structure, compensation and/or grade level must be reviewed and approved by the Human Resources Director and the Mayor. *Committee* *Personnel Committee recommends approval 3-0* *Fiscal Impact: Unknown*	
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WHEREAS, the Personnel Committee approved the recommendation to authorize the Human Resources Director to update position descriptions that involve clarification of duties and additional duties that are at the same level of responsibility. If the recommendation for change involves the reporting structure or compensation the Human Resources Director and Mayor will review and either approve if funds within the existing budget allow or take to Finance and Council.

WHEREAS, the Personnel Committee met on January 3, 2022 to review the request to authorize changes to the position description update process, and

WHEREAS, the Personnel Committee recommends approval (3-0) to accept the recommendation now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Stoughton that the proper city official(s) be hereby authorized and directed to authorize the HR/ RM Director to approve position description updates that do not affect the reporting structure or pay grade and if there are pay grade or reporting structure changes the HR/RM Director and the Mayor will review, approve, deny or move on to Finance and Council.

Council Action: ☐ **Adopted** ☐ **Failed** **Vote** _____

Mayoral Action: ☐ **Accept** ☐ **Veto**

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Timothy Swadley, Mayor **Date**

Council Action: _____ ☐ **Override** **Vote** _____

Hiring Policy – Full & Part-Time Positions

(Does Not Include Leadership)

1.0 Purpose

This policy outlines the steps taken when a position has been approved for recruitment of a non-leadership Full-Time or Part-Time position.

2.0 Policy Details

The Department Head will review the position description to see if changes are needed.
IF NO: Go to section one (1) "Recruiting for an Existing Position with No Changes to the Position Description".
IF YES: Go to section two (2) "Recruiting for an Existing Position with Changes to the Position Description".
If creating a new non-leadership position: Go to section three (3) "Creating a New Non-Leadership Position with a New Position Description".

NOTE: Police, Fire (excluding dispatchers), and Library personnel are hired by the Police and Fire Commission and Library boards, respectively, in accordance with State Statutes. The Personnel Committee and City Council are not involved in the hiring of these positions. The Human Resources & Risk Management Department and Department Head works directly with the PFC and Library Boards in regards to job posting, candidate selection, interviews, background checks, and offer of employment. Human Resources & Risk Management and Department Head review the position description and sets the schedule for hiring with the Department Head.

I. Recruiting for an Existing Position with No Changes to the Position Description

The Department Head notifies the Human Resources & Risk Management Director and Department Head regarding the opening.
See Procedure.

II. Recruiting for an Existing position with Changes to the Position Description

Leadership contacts the Human Resources & Risk Management Director the opening along with the position description changes. The Director of Human Resources & Risk Management reviews there quested changes.

Minor changes to Position Description: wordsmithing, adding duties of the same nature; with no grade level changes: the Director of Human Resources & Risk Management will approve the changes and update the position description. Human Resources & Risk Management will start the recruiting process.

Major changes to Position Description: new duties that will affect the grading of the position. Position description will be updated and graded. The Director of Human Resources & Risk Management will meet with the Department Head to discuss pay grade and if funding is available. If yes, position description will be presented to the Mayor, Personnel and Finance Committees. If approved, the Director of Human Resources & Risk Management will present to Council for final approval.
If approved by Council approval the recruiting process will begin.
See Procedure

Creating a New Non-Leadership Position with a New Position Description
Request for a new position requires the advice of the Mayor and recommendation from the Personnel and Finance Committees to go to Council for final approval. The Department Head will work with the Director of Human Resources & Risk Management to write the position description Human Resources & Risk Management will complete the position grading. The Personnel Committee will be provided with a Position Description and recommended grade level.

If denied by the Personnel or Finance Committee: no action will be taken.

If approved by the Personnel Committee: The Director of Human Resources & Risk Management will forward the request to Finance and Council. Council will be provided with the resolution, a Position Description and recommended grade level.

If approved by Council the recruiting process will begin.
See Procedure.

3.0 Procedures

Human Resources & Risk Management will post the position. Recruiting occurs concurrently both internally and externally. The posting will take place on the City's Website and other advertising locations. An email regarding the open position is also sent to City Network employees and a hard copy posted at City Hall.

All applications shall be submitted to Human Resources & Risk Management for review. The Director of Human Resources& Risk Management will review the applications. Human Resources & Risk Management will work with the Department Head or Designee to determine the number of candidates to be interviewed (minimum of one (1) up to five (5)). Human Resources & Risk Management Department Director or Designee will select the interview panel. If possible, a member of Council will be present during interviews (does not include LTE, Part-Time or Seasonal positions).

Following the interview, the panel will discuss the candidates and determine if a second round of interviews is needed or if they have a recommendation for hire. Second interviews are not required. The final candidate is screened by Human Resources & Risk Management including: background check, drug/alcohol screening, physicals, reference verification if applicable and any other screening deemed necessary for the

position. Human Resources & Risk Management will contact the final candidate to make the contingent offer and send a contingent offer letter of employment to the candidate. Theoffer will include the position title, compensation, status along with the start date and time. Orientation of the new employee will be conducted by Human Resources & Risk Management.

Candidates who were interviewed, but not selected, may be considered for up to one year for like positions.

4.0 Exhibits / Appendices / Forms

5.0 Council Approved

August 24, 2021