City Manager's Office

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Approved by Garrett Evans City Manager

Subject:

**New Employee Welcome** 

Purpose: This policy outlines a new employee recognition program by authorizing the employee's supervisor and co-workers to host the employee at lunch (or dinner).

Policy:

It is the City policy that a new employee should be taken out for a City-paid meal during the employee's first week of employment. The supervisor is authorized to "host" one meal and the employee's co-workers are authorized to "host" one meal.

## Procedures:

- 1. For most employees, the City-paid meals will be lunches. Dinner is authorized if the City-provided meal period encompasses dinner and not lunch (such as, a new Police Officer).
- 2. The City will pay for the two meals:
  - a. Meal between the employee and his/her direct supervisor; maximum City payment of \$28.
  - b. A meal between the employee and his/her coworkers; maximum City payment of \$70. "Coworkers" means those employees assigned to the same work unit.
- 3. The new employee's individual department is fully responsible for the cost of the meals.
- New Employee Welcome meals shall be with restaurants in Pittsburg. 4.