

GENERAL FACT SHEET

BILL NUMBER

BRIEF TITLE
Adopt a biennial budget process.

APPROVAL DEADLINE
10/10/11

REASON
To allow time to change data systems and train
city staff on the new budget process

DETAILS	POSITIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS	
<p>A charter amendment passed by Lincoln voters authorized the City Council, by passage of an ordinance to adopt a biennial budget process. A biennial budget process, versus the current annual budget process, should save many thousands of hours for the City staff and elected officials. This proposed ordinance sets out the biennial budget process to be followed beginning with the biennium starting September 1, 2012.</p>	Sponsor	Finance Department/Mayor's Office
	Program Departments, or Groups Affected	All City Departments, Elected Officials
	Applicants/ Proponents	Applicant: Steve Hubka, Finance Director City Department: Finance Department Other:
	Discussion (Including Relationship to other Council Actions)	Opponents Basis of Opposition:
	Staff Recommendations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against Reason Against
	Board or Commission Recommendation	BY <input type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against <input type="checkbox"/> No Action Taken <input type="checkbox"/> For with revisions or conditions (See Details column for conditions)
	CITY COUNCIL ACTIONS (For Council Use Only)	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Pass (As Amended) <input type="checkbox"/> Council Sub. <input type="checkbox"/> Without Recommendation <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Do not Pass

