CITY OF COMMERCE ADMINISTRATIVE POLICIES

TYPES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ELIGIBILITY FOR BENEFITS

1.0 PURPOSE

To establish guidelines and definitions for types of employment and for entitlement to benefits.

2.0 POLICY

- 2.1 The types of City employment are:
 - A. Probationary Employee: An employee on a trial status during the initial period of employment. All newly hired City employees are on a probationary status. Police officers and firefighters will serve a one (1) year probationary period. All other positions will serve a six (6) month probation period.
 - B. Regular Full-Time Employee: An employee, who has successfully completed the probationary period, is assigned to a position which is expected to continue for an indefinite duration, and works a shift schedule which will total no less than 2080 hours per year.
 - C. Regular Part-Time Employee: An employee, who has successfully completed the probationary period, is assigned to a position which is expected to continue for an indefinite duration, and works a shift schedule of 20 hours or more, but less than 40 hours, per week.
 - D. Temporary Full-Time Employee: An employee whose work assignment is limited in duration to six (6) months or less, and works a shift schedule which on an annual basis would total no less than 2,080 hours.
 - E. Temporary Part-Time Employee: An employee whose work assignment is limited in duration to six (6) months or less, and works a shift schedule which on an annual basis would total less than 2,080 hours.
 - H. Student Intern Employee: An employee who is regularly enrolled as a student in a recognized educational institution and is assigned to a full or part-time position which, in the case of post-secondary students, is related to the student's course of study, and which will continue for no longer than the then current semester or term at the student's school; provided, however, that subsequent work assignments may be made for the same student for periods which correspond to the student's subsequent semester

or term.

- 2.2 Employee compensation will be stated in terms of annual salary or hourly wage.
- 2.3 Employees classified as regular full-time employees will receive all employee benefits provided by the City. Probationary employees who, upon successful completion of their probationary periods will be regular full-time employees, will be entitled to the same benefits as regular full-time employees, subject to applicable eligibility provisions and times period.
- 2.4 Regular part-time employees may be entitled to pro rata vacation, holiday, sick leave and bereavement leave benefits. Probationary part-time employees who, upon successful completion of the probationary period, will be regular part-time employees, will be entitled to the same benefits as regular part-time employees, subject to applicable eligibility provisions and time periods.
- 2.5 All other employee types will not receive benefits.
- A temporary full-time or temporary part-time employee who becomes a regular full-time or regular part-time employee (with no break in continuity of service) will be granted retroactive credit for sick leave and vacation leave from the date of hire as a temporary employee.

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