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To: Mayor and City Council  
From: Joel Lanken  
CC: Administration Staff  
Date: 9/30/2013  
Re: Special Work Shop Session, March 6, 2012

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Participants: Mayor Oswald, Councilwoman Yvonne Kelly, Councilman Bobby Williams, Councilman J.B. Sowell, Councilman Dwight Ginn, City Manager Lanken, Police Chief Colwell, Eddie Robinson, Katherine Dodson, Bill Eissler and Brandie Andermann.

The purpose of the meeting was to review Group Medical proposals solicited by the J. Smith Lanier Company. Its representatives Bill Eissler and Brandie Andermann presented the various quotes by the City's present carrier in addition to several others. Insurance Consultant Katherine Dodson assisted in the evaluation of the proposals.

The Council members concluded that GMA's proposal was in the best interest of the City and its employees and authorized immediate orientation meetings take place together with enrollment procedures so as to make the transition from Aetna to GMA effective May 1, 2012. As such Councilman Williams moved for the adoption of GMA, seconded by Councilman Sowell. The measure passed unanimously.