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Charter Amendment Proposal Form

1. Please provide a brief description of: The Proposed Charter amendment, the purpose of the proposed Charter amendment, the issue or problem to be addressed by the proposal, and how the proposal would address the issue or problem.:

The Municipal Library needs to be more open to the public. It should be open at least one day a week for people to use the actual documents. Electronic copies of all documents will be helpful, but that will take years to complete. Even when complete, seeing the actual documents will be important at times. These documents belong to the public and they should be able to see them. In addition, the library should have a librarian trained in the organization and use of government documents - a highly specialized field - on staff to help the public.

2. If applicable, list the Charter provision(s) affected by the proposal::

Chapter 4 - Department of Customer Services

Section 6-402. Duties and Functions --

(b) Fulfill the research and information needs of the city and her residents , coordinate a city government records management program, and supervise the city archive of documents and materials with a trained librarian on staff, that must be open to the public at least one day of every week.

3. If the proposal is based on a provision or provisions in the charter or laws of another jurisdiction (e.g., another county, city, or municipality), name the jurisdiction and, if possible, attach a copy of each provision or law.:

N/A

Relevant Provision:

N/A

4. If the proposal is based on any written materials you have, please attach a copy of each with a citation to its source.:

N/A

5. Attach the text of the proposed Charter amendment in Ramseyer format (see instructions below).:

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- **AMENDING AN EXISTING CHARTER PROVISION:** Indicate by underscoring, any language being proposed to be added to the Charter and indicate by [bracketing], any language being proposed to be deleted from the Charter.
- **REPLACING AN EXISTING CHARTER PROVISION:** [Bracket] the article, chapter, or section of the Charter proposed to be deleted, and underscore the text of any provision proposed to replace the deleted material.
- **ADDING A NEW CHARTER PROVISION:** Provide the text of the new provision and, if possible, indicate where in the Charter the new material should be added.

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