# Compensation Study Recommendation

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## **Compensation Recommendations**

- Move the Pay Plan (most salary ranges) up by 5%;
- Adjust some ranges by 10% based on market data;
- Make market adjustments for employees whose salaries are more than 5% below the midpoint;
- Increase hourly rate for part-time Fire positions;
- Adjust Police salary ranges and provide flexibility to Police Chief to hire at higher minimum salary for Police Officers;
- Reclassify the PIO & Recreation Program Manager positions.

# **Cost for Recommendations**

- Market Adjustments w/benefits
- Total FY 19 cost w/benefits
  Source of Funds
- Unused Merit fund
- FY 19 budgeted for salary study
- Additional funds needed for FY19 \$

\$143,183 (12 months) \$95,456 (8 months)

\$12,469 \$43,037 \$39,949

# How do we stay competitive?

#### **Recommendations:**

- Establish a hiring rate for Police Officers above the minimum;
- Budget adequately for Police positions so the Chief can consider lateral entry candidates with experience;
- Provide a 5% increase after 12 month probationary period for Police Officers;
- Provide a regular hourly pay increase for part-time Fire;
- Review pay plan annually as part of the budget process;
- Adjust pay plan more frequently & fund market + merit increases
- Conduct market studies every 2-3 years.