



STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: October 4, 2016
To: Honorable Mayor & City Council
From: Karine Shirinian, Organizational Development Manager
Subject: Innovation's Day 2016
Attachments: None

INTRODUCTION

This item is submitted for City Council information only. Since 2006 the City has held an annual all employee training and development day which has been observed on Columbus Day. This year the event will be held on Monday, October 10, 2016. Our guest speaker this year is Dr. Srikumar Rao. Dr. Rao is a pioneer in motivation and the mental operating system. A studied physicist, marketing expert and management professional, Srikumar Rao has developed an extraordinary approach to work effectiveness. His work has been covered extensively by the New York Times, Wall Street Journal, London Times, The Independent, Time, Financial Times, Fortune, Forbes, and Business Week. Sirkumar Rao is the author of "Are You Ready to Succeed: Unconventional Strategies for Achieving Personal Mastery in Business and Life," and "Happiness at Work: Be Resilient, Motivated and Successful – No Matter What." Both are business bestsellers.

DISCUSSION

This year we will be holding the Innovation's Day event in the Civic Center Plaza. As in past years City Hall will be closed from 7:30 am - 2:00 pm. City Hall will re-open for business at 2:00pm.

FISCAL IMPACT

As part of the Administrative Services Department annual training budget \$30,000 was allocated for this event, which includes the keynote speaker, refreshments and other training materials.

RECOMMENDATION

None


Approved By
Noel Marquis