



# City Council Agenda Item Summary Report

**Meeting Date:** August 7, 2018

**Submitted by:** Jon Thatcher, City Attorney

<b>Consent</b>	<b>Public Hearing</b>	<b>Action Item X</b>
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**Item Title:** Discuss and consider an Ordinance amending Chapter 7, "Municipal Court," of the City of Forney Code of Ordinances to amend the year of appointment of the Municipal Court Judges.

**How this item ties-in with the City's Mission, Vision and Values:**

**Summary Statement**  
The municipal court judges, both the presiding and the associate judges, are appointed by the City Council for two-year terms. The City's Code of Ordinances state that the appointments will be made in the month of September during the odd-numbered years. The last appointment was made in 2016 and are scheduled to be made again in September of this year. Due to the conflict of the ordinance with the current schedule of appointments, it is recommended by staff to amend the ordinance to make the appointments during the month of September during the even-numbered years.