

**TAYLORSVILLE CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

MEETING DATE: September 17, 2014

AGENDA ITEM: (Appointments) Resolution No. 14-25 - Advising and Consenting to the Mayor's Appointment of a City Attorney for the City of Taylorsville

PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED – YES _____ **NO** **X** _____

RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE REQUIRED

ORDINANCE _____ **RESOLUTION** _____ **NONE** _____

PRESENTER: Mayor Larry Johnson

ISSUE SUMMARY: The Mayor wishes to appoint Tracy S. Cowdell as the City Attorney for the City of Taylorsville. The resolution attached is for advice and consent from the Council on this appointment.

ACTION REQUIRED: Council Advice and Consent by Motion to Approve

ATTACHMENT: Resolution No. 14-25

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT: Mayor Larry Johnson/City Administrator John Taylor

TAYLORSVILLE, UTAH
RESOLUTION NO. 14-25

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE ADVISING AND CONSENTING
TO THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF A CITY ATTORNEY FOR THE CITY OF
TAYLORSVILLE**

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the City of Taylorsville to have the assistance of legal counsel to perform acts and duties requiring specific legal knowledge and/or certification, and to provide professional advice regarding the legality, propriety, and advisability of the several acts and involvements necessary to the maintenance and furtherance of the City and its purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Taylorsville City Council met in regular meeting on September 17, 2014, to consider, among other things, approving a resolution advising and consenting to the Mayor's appointment of a City Attorney for the City of Taylorsville; and

WHEREAS, under the Council-Mayor form of municipal government adopted and under current use by the City, the Mayor, as the City's Chief Executive Officer and pursuant to Utah Code Ann. §10-3b-202, appoints, with the City Council's advice and consent, a City Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has found Tracy S. Cowdell to be highly knowledgeable, experienced, professional, and skilled in the representation of political subdivisions of the State of Utah, and therefore desires to appoint Tracy S. Cowdell as the City Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the Taylorsville City Council hereby also finds that Tracy S. Cowdell is highly qualified to be the City Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the Council has given advice for such appointment and hereby consents to such appointment; and

WHEREAS, after careful consideration the Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the citizens of the City to consent to such appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Taylorsville City Council as follows:

That the Taylorsville City Council hereby consents to the Mayor's appointment of Tracy S. Cowdell as the City Attorney for the City of Taylorsville.

This Resolution, assigned Resolution No. 14-25, will take effect as soon as it is published or posted as required by law, deposited, and recorded in the office of the City Recorder.

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2014.

TAYLORSVILLE CITY COUNCIL

By: _____
Kristie S. Overson, CHAIRMAN

VOTING:

Dama Barbour	Yea	___	Nay	___
Ernest Burgess	Yea	___	Nay	___
Dan Armstrong	Yea	___	Nay	___
Kristie S. Overson	Yea	___	Nay	___
Brad Christopherson	Yea	___	Nay	___

PRESENTED to the Mayor of Taylorsville City for his approval, this _____ day of _____, 2014

APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2014.

Lawrence Johnson, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Cheryl Peacock Cottle, RECORDER

DEPOSITED in the Recorder's office this _____ day of _____, 2014.