TO: James L. App, City Manager

FROM: Ronald Whisenand, Community Development Director

SUBJECT: Ad Hoc Committee Formation – Downtown Parking

DATE: August 7, 2007

Needs:

For Council to appoint two members to sit on a Downtown Parking Ad Hoc Committee

Facts:

- 1. On May 30, 2007 Council directed staff to obtain the services of a qualified consultant to prepare a Parking Management Plan that would analyze time restricted parking zones in the downtown.
- 2. The City has received proposals from two qualified firms and would like assistance from an Ad Hoc Committee in selecting a consultant. In addition, the Ad Hoc Committee may be called upon to provide possible direction on the development of the draft Management Plan.
- 3. Consultant interviews will be scheduled once an Ad Hoc Committee has been formed and as early as the week of August 13<sup>th</sup>.

Options:

- a. Appoint a two-member Ad Hoc Committee to work with staff to select the most qualified firm to prepare a Downtown Parking Management Plan; and report back to the full Council by December 31, 2007.
- b. Amend, modify or reject the foregoing option.