### Mayor's Office: Council Agenda Item Request Form

This form and supporting documents (if applicable) are due the Wednesday before the COW meeting by noon.

Date Received	
(office use)	

Date of Request	7/11/17
Requesting Staff Member	Kim Barnett, Associate Deputy Mayor
Requested Council Date	7/18/17
Topic/Discussion Title	Approval of new policy 2-700 Job Candidate Agreements and Relocation Reimbursement and an ordinance amending section 2.80 of the SLCo Code of Ordinances for Personnel Management.
Description	The attached policy provides for the payment of travel and lodging costs for job candidates and relocation reimbursement for employees.
Requested Action <sup>1</sup>	Approval
Presenter(s)	Kim Barnett, Associate Deputy Mayor
Time Needed <sup>2</sup>	10 minutes
Time Sensitive <sup>3</sup>	
Specific Time(s) <sup>4</sup>	
Contact Name & Phone	Kim, 8-7007
Please attach the supporting documentation you plan to provide for the packets to this form. While not ideal, if supporting documents are not yet ready, you can still submit them by 10 am the Friday morning prior to the COW agenda. Items without documentation may be taken off for consideration at that COW meeting.	

### Mayor or Designee approval:

<sup>3</sup> Urgency that the topic to scheduled on the requested date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> What you will ask the Council to do (e.g., discussion only, appropriate money, adopt policy/ordinance) – in specific terms.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Assumed to be 10 minutes unless otherwise specified.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> If important to schedule at a specific time, list a few preferred times.

## Salt Lake County Human Resources Policy 2-700: Job Candidate Agreements and Relocation Reimbursement

### **Purpose**

This policy provides for the payment of travel and lodging costs for job candidates and relocation reimbursement for employees.

### I. Policy

Salt Lake County endeavors to attract and recruit the most qualified employees even if they are located outside the Salt Lake County area.

#### II. Procedures

- A. The Human Resources Division Director, after approval from the relevant department director or elected official, may authorize an agreement with a candidate, in which the county agrees to provide transportation and lodging to the individual in exchange for the candidate's promise to appear in Salt Lake County to interview for a job with the county.
  - 1. The candidate must live more than 150 miles outside of Salt Lake County.
  - 2. Reimbursable travel expenses may include one night of lodging and either airfare or mileage.
  - 3. Reimbursement costs shall be paid by the agency.
  - 4. Reimbursement costs shall not exceed \$2,500.
- B. A department director or elected official may authorize the payment of relocation expenses for a new hire.
  - Relocation expenses shall be for the reasonable and customary costs related to moving to the Salt Lake County area including, but not limited to, the following: a commercial moving company, packing/crating/mailing/shipping household goods, mileage, insurance on items such as furniture, clothing, utensils, rental truck, storage not to exceed six months, shipment of cars, travel and lodging costs for one trip each household member from old residence to new residence, and temporary housing.
  - 2. Relocation expenses shall not include the purchase or lease of housing for more than 30 days.
  - 3. The employee shall submit documentation of each relocation cost in order to be eligible for reimbursement.
  - 4. Relocation expenses shall not exceed \$15,000 without Council approval.
  - 5. Relocation costs shall be paid by the agency.
  - 6. An employee who receives a relocation reimbursement shall enter into a repayment agreement which contains the following:
    - The total amount of the relocation reimbursement;
    - b. An agreement that the employee will continue County employment for at least two years after the relocation; and
    - c. The payback arrangement if the employee does not complete at least two years of County employment unless an exception is authorized by the department director or elected official due to extenuating circumstances.

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## III. References

<ul><li>A. Human Resources Policy:</li><li>1. 2-300, Recruitment and Se</li><li>2. 2-400, New Hire Requirem</li></ul>			
APPROVED and ADOPTED this	day of	, 2017.	
		SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNC	IL
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ATTEST:		Steve Debry, Chair	
Sherrie Swensen County Clerk  Approved as to form and legality:  Rena Beckstead Deputy District Attorney Date:	Voting	<b>;</b> :	
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### SALT LAKE COUNTY ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE NO	, 2017
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### JOB CANDIDATE TRAVEL COSTS AMENDMENT

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2.80 OF THE SALT LAKE COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT, PROVIDING THAT THE COUNTY MAY ENTER INTO A CONTRACT TO AGREE TO PAY FOR TRANSPORTATION AND LODGING FOR JOB CANDIDATE IN EXCHANGE FOR THE CANDIDATE'S PROMISE TO APPEAR IN SALT LAKE COUNTY FOR A JOB INTERVIEW.

The County Legislative Body of Salt Lake County ordains as follows:

**SECTION I.** The amendments herein are designated by underlining the new substituted words. Words being deleted are designated by brackets and interlineations.

**SECTION II.** Section 2.80.055, of the Salt Lake County Code of Ordinances is hereby enacted to read as follows:

### 2.80.055 - Recruitment of Job Candidates

The human resources agency, under the supervision of the director, shall be responsible for the recruitment of candidates for each job vacancy under rules adopted pursuant to the Act.

The director may authorize an agreement with a candidate, in which the county agrees to provide transportation and lodging to the individual in exchange for the candidate's promise to appear in Salt Lake County to interview for a job with the county.

SECTION III. This ordinance shall become	me effective fifteen (15) days after its passage
nd upon at least one publication of the ordinance or a	summary thereof in a newspaper published
nd having general circulation in Salt Lake County.	
APPROVED AND ADOPTED this	
	SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL
	Ву:
	STEVEN DEBRY, Council Chair
ATTEST:	
Sherrie Swensen Salt Lake County Clerk	

Approved as to form and legality  Such Deputy District Attorney  Date: 6 - 23 - 17	
	Council Member Bradley voting Council Member Bradshaw voting Council Member Burdick voting Council Member DeBry voting Council Member Granato voting Council Member Jensen voting Council Member Snelgrove voting Council Member Wilson voting Council Member Wilson voting
etoed and dated this day of _	By:  Mayor Ben McAdams or Designee  (Complete as Applicable)
	Veto override: Yes No Date Ordinance published in newspaper: Date Effective date of ordinance: