

ADVISORY INFORMATION

Date: May 2, 2011
Subject: Authorization to Enter into a Labor Agreement with the Amalgamated Transit Union, Local 1005
District(s), Member(s): All
Policy/Legal Reference: Minn. Stat. 179A (PELRA)
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Division/Department: Human Resources/Labor Relations

Proposed Action/Motion

That the Metropolitan Council authorize the Regional Administrator to enter into a labor agreement with the Amalgamated Transit Union (ATU), Local 1005, effective August 1, 2010 through July 31, 2012.

Issues/Background

The contract with the ATU expired on July 31, 2010. ATU Local 1005 represents approximately 2211 employees.

Rationale

The parties reached a tentative agreement; the ATU membership ratified the agreement on May 1 and 2, 2011. Council policy requires the Council to approve all labor agreements.

Funding

Funding for this contract has been budgeted and it is within the guidelines provided by the Council.

Known Support / Opposition

Supported by ATU.