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Agenda

- Charter
- 1999-2002 Charter Review Process
- Possible areas of interest
- Questions & Council Discussion

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Charter

- Local authority to draft and amend Charter
- *Council-initiated* amendments by referral
- *Citizen-initiated* amendments by petition
- Placed on ballot for Eugene electors to decide
- No regular Charter review process required

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1999-2002 Charter Review Process

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Phase 1: Charter Review Commission

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Charter Review Commission (1999)

- Council subcommittee recommended structure
- **15-member** committee appointed:
 - **1 month**, 4 meetings, final report
- Compensation review, research
- Insufficient time to make recommendation
- Commission concludes Aug 1999

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Phase 2: Committee on Compensation

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Committee on Compensation (1999-2000)

- Sept 1999 motion to place Mayor & Council compensation on May 2000 ballot
- **7-member** committee to draft amendment:
 - **3 months** (Nov-Jan), 9 meetings, 2 forums, final report
- Recommendation > Public Hearing > Resolution
- Compensation **amendment approved** May 2000

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Phase 3: Charter Review Committee

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Charter Review Committee (2000-2002)

- Motion to create committee August 2000
- **9-member** committee to review specific items
 - **16 months**, 40 meetings, 2 forums, final report
- Committee scope expanded
- Final report January 2002

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Charter Review Committee (2000-2002)

▪ 8 follow-up work sessions (Jan-July 2002)

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|------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Housekeeping Amendments | 5. Liability for Unauthorized Expenditure |
| 2. Ethics in Conflicts of Interest | 6. Ordinance Adoption, Effective Date |
| 3. Department Head Hiring/Firing | 7. Initiated Ordinance |
| 4. Filling Council/Mayor Vacancies | 8. City Attorney Amendments |

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- Mayor & Councilor compensation
- EWEB compensation
- Timing of Mayoral election
- Mayor/Councilor vacancies, interim appointments
- Department heads residency requirement
- General language review

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Questions/Discussion