



MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Woerther and City Council Members

From: Ryan S. Thomas, City Administrator

Date: January 22, 2016

Re: Resolution 2016-03 - Legislative Lobbying Services

Resolution 2016-03 has been prepared for January 25, 2016 City Council Meeting, which would authorize a joint agreement with the firm, R. J. Scherr & Associates, for lobbying services related to legislation which may impact the St. Louis County Sales Tax distribution under consideration during the current Missouri Legislative Session. Numerous municipalities have expressed interest in being a party to this agreement, which totals \$40,000 for the current legislative session, with the cost distributed between municipalities on a per capita basis. Depending on the ultimate number of municipal partners, the total cost to the City of Wildwood is estimated to be in the range of \$7,000 - \$10,000.

R. J. Scherr & Associates has been engaged in a similar manner over each of the past several years. I will be available for any questions or comments at the January 25, 2016 City Council Work Session.

RST

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