



Request for City Council Committee Action From the City Clerk

Date: August 4, 2006

To: Elections Committee

Subject: Instant Runoff Voting (IRV)

Recommendation: Adopt Ballot Language and Receive Report

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Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

Other financial impact:

If the ordinance is adopted by the voters, significant financial impact will begin in 2007.

Background Information:

As requested by Council, the attached report provides definitions of terms related to the proposed voting system and historical information regarding ballot questions in the City of Minneapolis. Recommended ballot language is also included.

In response to questions and comments from the public, information about central count election systems is also included.