

**Subject: Designation of Official City Newspaper**

<b>Meeting Date:</b> January 10, 2022													
<b>Submitted/Presented by/Department:</b> Nicole Tillander, City Clerk													
<b>Action Type</b>													
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<b>Action</b>													
Designate the Twin Cities Pioneer Press as the official legal newspaper for the City of West St. Paul for legal notices and publications throughout 2022.													
<b>Background</b>													
The City of West St. Paul received two proposals to provide legal notice services for 2022. Proposals from the Twin Cities Pioneer Press and the Star Tribune are attached for Council review.													
Pioneer Press was the designated paper for 2021 and Staff have been very satisfied with the service and performance over the past year. Quotes received for 2022 are attached and as follows:													
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Staff is recommending that the Twin Cities Pioneer Press continue to be the City’s official newspaper for 2022.													
<b>Attachments</b>													
Twin Cities Pioneer Press Quote for 2022 Star Tribune Quote for 2022													
<b>Previous Relevant Actions</b>													
<b>Alternatives</b>													
<b>Financial</b>													

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Budgeted: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No Financial Impact
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Amount: Legal publication rates for Twin Cities Pioneer Press in 2021 were \$0.45 per line. This results in a \$0.02 increase in the per line rate. This will not result in a significant fiscal impact or change to the legal publication budget.	