



OFFICE of the MAYOR

**MEMORANDUM**

TO: Brian Spencer, President of City Council  
City Council Members

FROM: Ashton J. Hayward, III, Mayor *AA*

DATE: March 14, 2017

SUBJECT: Veto of Council Action on March 9, 2017

Mr. President and Members of the City Council,

On March 9, 2017, City Council took action to begin the process of hiring a Budget Analyst to the City Council. As Councilmember Wingate stated, the City of Pensacola currently has full-time staff that provides analysis of the City's budget. There are more pressing needs within the City of Pensacola that would directly benefit the taxpayers. Therefore, I am vetoing this action.

As always, my staff and I stand ready to provide any information and assistance you need in order to discharge your duties, and I encourage each of you to contact me at any time with any questions or concerns you may have.