MEMORANDUM



TO: City Council

FROM: Stephanie Hilleshiem,

SUBJECT: Flower Baskets and Flats

DATE: April 7, 2020

Background:

The City of Princeton has been hanging baskets throughout town as well as planting flowers in the flower boxes around town. The flower project has been a group effort with the City purchasing flowers from Nelson's Nursery and the Chamber staff helping organize the flower pick-up and planting.

Analysis:

The City has approved the purchase of the flowers and new liners for the baskets. We are grateful Lee Steinbrecher has agreed to lead the project and organize volunteers to help plant the flower boxes.

Nelson Nursery will have the flowers available for pick up on May 8, 2020. Mr. Steinbrecher and Bob Gerold will discuss the logistics of picking up the flowers, since there are many of them and the baskets are large.

The cost for all of the flowers with new basket liners is \$3,042.20.

Recommendation:

City staff recommends the council approve the purchase of the flowers and liners, as well as recognize Mr. Steinbrecher for his willingness to volunteer.