

# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**From:** The City Manager

**Subject:** Urban Cooperation Agreement with Spaulding Township

**Manager's Recommendation:**

I recommend approval of the Urban Cooperation Agreement with Spaulding Township. This Agreement is a revenue sharing component of the Water Service Agreement between the two communities, which is concurrently proposed for approval. This Agreement has been approved by the City Manager as to substance and the City Attorney as to form.

**Justification:**

The Water Service Agreement requires Spaulding Township to make payments to the City resulting from new residential, commercial, industrial and manufacturing developments within the Township. These requirements are set forth in an Urban Cooperation Agreement, which will result in payments to the City of \$2,000 per new connection for each residential unit and from \$5,000 to \$40,000 for connections resulting from new non-residential developments. The Spaulding Township Board of Trustees approved the Agreement on March 17, 2008.

**Council Action:**

Council \_\_\_\_\_ moved that the recommendation from the City Manager be approved.