

## **CITY OF RAPID CITY**

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## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Joel P. Landeen, City Attorney

DATE: 1/10/13

RE: Code of Conduct for Elected Officials

At the December 3, 2012, City Council meeting, the Council had a discussion about amending the Code of Conduct for Elected Officials. The Council decided to continue the item to the January 16<sup>th</sup> Legal and Finance Committee meeting. The purpose of the continuation was to allow for additional time for staff and members of the City Council to work on any proposed amendments. At this time, staff and members of the Council have not met to discuss or work on any amendments to the code of conduct.

I would propose that this item be continued to the first Legal and Finance Committee meeting in March to give me the necessary time to do research into some of the legal concerns I have with the current code and to meet with members of the Council to formulate a proposal to bring back to the entire group.