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TO:            Mayor and City Council  
FROM:        City Manager Bill Bridgeo  
RE:            Administrative Report  
DATE:        June 2, 2014

Meetings:

There will be a Business Meeting of the City Council on Thursday, June 5, 2014 beginning at 7pm in Council Chambers. A pre-meeting will take place beginning at 6:30 in Conference Room A.

On Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup> there will be a Senior Staff Meeting at the Police Department beginning at 9:15am.

Other Items:

As summer begins to blossom, I'm happy to report that City operations are going smoothly. Construction projects at Haymarket Square and the Mill Park parking lot are well underway. We are all enjoying the much smoother ride on Mt. Vernon Avenue. The Ward II neighborhood meeting organized by Councilor Grant went very well last week – a great turnout and good information sharing.

Chief Gregoire had some interesting statistical news about PD's clearance rate. He advises that the department was very successful in clearing part 1 crimes last year compared to 2012 and previous years.

Part 1 Crimes		
2012	1,273	Clearance rate 36.7
2013	1,260	Clearance rate 45.2

Hat's off to the department for their great work.

There were two retirement luncheons last week. Stalwart Civic Center Office Administrator Betty Bell retired after 32 years with us and Fire Department Lt. Paul Zabura retired after 25 years of service. Both epitomize the high quality of folks we are so fortunate to employ and both will be greatly missed.

C:            Department and Bureau Directors  
              Augusta Legislative Delegation