

City Hall wants to strip the Auditor of the power of oversight.

The City Council crossed out the word "IMMEDIATE" from the Auditor's right to access to all documents and substituted "TIMELY". "Timely" means **NOT IMMEDIATE**. We must maintain the warrant power of the office for full access, without delay, for all documents from any department, commission, committee, or position of the City.

The Auditor is elected by the people to be an independent watchdog on the actions of the government, a Check and Balance for truth and accountability.

Instead of an auditor we could get an enabler, a political lapdog. The Mayor and City Management could inadvertently misplace any report, record, or document. Shall we gut the City Auditor's office of power and purpose and turn it into a rubber-stamping shill, supporting an invisible government?

It is your choice. Shall we amend the charter to remove a power of the Auditor's office which protects the people from possible corruption, waste, favoritism, secret meetings, undisclosed plans, graft, and fraud?

The elected office of City Auditor serves The People not the staff and politicians.

NO TO GUTTING OF THE CITY AUDITOR'S OFFICE.