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TO: Eric D. Campbell, City Manager
FROM: Ande Banks, Deputy City Manager
DATE: January 16, 2018
RE: DACA and TPS Resolution

Summary: Attached is a draft resolution proposed by residents and edited jointly by members of the public, in conjunction with City staff, addressing the federal immigration issues of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) and Temporary Protective Status (TPS).

Background: The resolution was originally proposed at the December 12, 2017 City Council meeting and asks Council members to consider adopting a resolution acknowledging the challenges and potential impacts of Congress' consideration of legislation addressing Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) and Temporary Protective Status (TPS).

Key Issues: Federal action could result in significant impacts to individuals and families in Harrisonburg including deportation.

Environmental Impact: N/A

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Prior Actions: N/A

Alternatives:

- (a) Adopt resolution as presented
- (b); or edit draft resolution and consider adoption
- (c) Do not adopt resolution at this time

Community Engagement: Communication with residents that proposed the resolution including dialogue on draft language.

Recommendation: City staff recommends Council's favorable consideration. The language of the resolution only proposes to share Council's concern for the impacts of federal action with the Congressional delegation.

Attachments:

A. Resolution

Review:

The initiating Department Director will place in Legistar, in sequence of transmittal, the names of each department that must initial their review in order for this item to be placed on the City Council agenda. The completion of review only addresses the readiness of the issue for Council consideration. This does not address the recommendation for approval or denial of the issue.