CITY OF MARYSVILLE AGENDA BILL

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY FOR ACTION

CITY COUNCIL MEETING DATE: 1/25/21

AGENDA ITEM:	
Ordinance Amending MMC 2.34.010 Regarding Position of CAO	
PREPARED BY:	**DIRECTOR APPROVAL:**
Jon Walker	
DEPARTMENT:	
Legal	
ATTACHMENTS:	
BUDGET CODE:	**AMOUNT:**
SUMMARY: Amends MMC 2.34.010 to make that section more consistent with chapter 35A.12 RCW, Mayor-Council Plan of Government.	

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Recommend that Council consider the ordinance.
RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move to adopt Ordinance No. ____.

CITY OF MARYSVILLE
Marysville, Washington

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYSVILLE, WASHINGTON, AMENDING SECTION 2.34.010 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING THE POSITION OF CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER.

WHEREAS, the mayor is solely responsible for the administration of the city; and

WHEREAS, the chief administrative officer is responsible for carrying out the mayor's direction in administering the city; and

WHEREAS, the mayor should have sole authority to remove a chief administrative officer while the city council retains the authority to confirm the initial appointment of the chief administrative officer.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYSVILLE, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 2.34.010 of the municipal code is amended as set forth in Exhibit A.

SECTION 2. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality thereof shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. Upon approval by the city attorney, the city clerk or the code reviser are authorized to make necessary corrections to this ordinance, including scrivener's errors or clerical mistakes; references to other local, state, or federal laws, rules, or regulations; or numbering or referencing of ordinances or their sections and subsections.

SECTION 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective five days after the date of its publication by summary.

PASSED by the City Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

CITY OF MARYSVILLE

By_____
        JON NEHRING, MAYOR

Attest:

By_____

      _____, DEPUTY CITY CLERK

Approved as to form:

By_____

      JON WALKER, CITY ATTORNEY

Date of publication:_____
Effective Date (5 days after publication):_____

EXHIBIT A

2.34.010 Appointment – Removal.

There is created the position of chief administrative officer (CAO), which position shall be filled by appointment by the mayor, subject to confirmation by a majority vote of the city council. The terms of his/her employment, including tenure, will be specified by a contract executed by the mayor with the approval of a majority of the city council. No provision of said contract may be contrary to the requirements of state law or city ordinance. The CAO serves at the pleasure of the mayor.