

## **Request for Extension of Non-Career Hours Form**

#### **PURPOSE:**

To request the extension of hours for a non-career position. A non-career position is an unclassified position in which duties are of a temporary or as needed nature and does not exceed 1600 hours within their twelve-month anniversary period.

#### **RELEVANT RULES AND REGULATIONS/POLICY:**

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**DATE FORM COMPLETED:** 8/26/2021 **DEPARTMENT:** Health

NAME AND CLASSIFICATION TITLE OF EMPLOYEE: Daniel Aguilar Jr, Public Health Associate-NC

Summary of employee's work history specifying all classification titles and dates:

11/23/2020 to current Public Health Associate- NC

**Summary of duties performed by employee:** Supports all COVID response duties, but currently supports the Health vaccine POD by setting up/securing the POD daily. Providing flow control, verifying appointments, completing registration, acting as a runner for nursing staff and ensuring an overall smooth operation.

Anniversary Date (date when employee reaches 1600-hour threshold): 11/23/2021

Number of hours left to reach 1600 hours: 258

Number of additional hours requested: 500

Explain why the additional hours are needed for the department to function.

Supports Health's role in the COVID response, including but not limited to drive thru testing, vaccination POD coordination and logistics (setting up/securing all sites daily and PPE management).

## If applicable, is there a permanent appointment being recruited?

☐ Yes ☒ Not applicable (new recruitment not required)

If yes, what is the requisition number? Click or tap here to enter text.

Was there a prior non-career extension requested for this employee? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Suggested Action: Staff recommends approval of this request.

#### **SECTION II. CIVIL SERVICE COMPLETES THIS SECTION:**

X	Request received by Civil Service. Date Received: 9/1/2021
X	Anticipated recruitment timeframe (if applicable, include requisition number): N/A
X	Non-career hours completed as of the last recorded pay period: 1342
X	Provide notice to requesting department to attend Civil Service Commission Meeting.
Z	Provide notice to employee of Request for Extension of Non-Career Hours scheduled to be on the Civil Service Commission agenda. Notify the employee of attendance options.

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NAME AND CLASSIFICATION TITLE OF EMPLOYEE: Anthony Capparelli, Public Health Associate-NC

Summary of employee's work history specifying all classification titles and dates:

10/14/2020 to current Public Health Associate- NC

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Anniversary Date (date when employee reaches 1600-hour threshold): 10/14/2021

Number of hours left to reach 1600 hours: 147.60

Number of additional hours requested: 500

Explain why the additional hours are needed for the department to function.

Supports Health's role in the COVID response, including but not limited to drive thru testing, vaccination POD coordination and logistics (setting up/securing all sites daily and PPE management).

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Was there a prior non-career extension requested for this employee? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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X	Request received by Civil Service. Date Received: 9/1/2021
X	Anticipated recruitment timeframe (if applicable, include requisition number): 9/1/2021
X	Non-career hours completed as of the last recorded pay period: 1452.4
X	Provide notice to requesting department to attend Civil Service Commission Meeting.
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NAME AND CLASSIFICATION TITLE OF EMPLOYEE: Marlene Garcia, Public Health Associate-NC

Summary of employee's work history specifying all classification titles and dates:

01/16/2021 to current Public Health Associate- NC

**Summary of duties performed by employee:** Supports all COVID response duties, but currently supports the Health vaccine POD by setting up/securing the POD daily. Providing flow control, verifying appointments, completing registration, acting as a runner for nursing staff and ensuring an overall smooth operation.

Anniversary Date (date when employee reaches 1600-hour threshold): 01/16/2022

Number of hours left to reach 1600 hours: 230.10

Number of additional hours requested: 500

Explain why the additional hours are needed for the department to function.

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## If applicable, is there a permanent appointment being recruited?

☐ Yes ☒ Not applicable (new recruitment not required)

If yes, what is the requisition number? Click or tap here to enter text.

Was there a prior non-career extension requested for this employee? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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X	Request received by Civil Service. Date Received: 9/1/2021
X	Anticipated recruitment timeframe (if applicable, include requisition number): N/A
X	Non-career hours completed as of the last recorded pay period: 1369.9
X	Provide notice to requesting department to attend Civil Service Commission Meeting.
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NAME AND CLASSIFICATION TITLE OF EMPLOYEE: Alize Hernandez, Public Health Associate-NC

Summary of employee's work history specifying all classification titles and dates:

01/2/2021 to current Public Health Associate- NC

**Summary of duties performed by employee:** Supports all COVID response duties, but currently supports the Health vaccine POD by setting up/securing the POD daily. Providing flow control, verifying appointments, completing registration, acting as a runner for nursing staff and ensuring an overall smooth operation.

Anniversary Date (date when employee reaches 1600-hour threshold): 01/2/2022

Number of hours left to reach 1600 hours: 240.30

Number of additional hours requested: 500

Explain why the additional hours are needed for the department to function.

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## If applicable, is there a permanent appointment being recruited?

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If yes, what is the requisition number? Click or tap here to enter text.

Was there a prior non-career extension requested for this employee? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Suggested Action: Staff recommends approval of this request.

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×	Non-career hours completed as of the last recorded pay period: 1359.7
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NAME AND CLASSIFICATION TITLE OF EMPLOYEE: Andrew Rendon, Public Health Associate-NC

Summary of employee's work history specifying all classification titles and dates:

11/23/2020 to current Public Health Associate- NC

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Anniversary Date (date when employee reaches 1600-hour threshold): 11/23/2021

Number of hours left to reach 1600 hours: 133.80

Number of additional hours requested: 500

Explain why the additional hours are needed for the department to function.

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## If applicable, is there a permanent appointment being recruited?

☐ Yes ☒ Not applicable (new recruitment not required)

If yes, what is the requisition number? Click or tap here to enter text.

Was there a prior non-career extension requested for this employee? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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X	Non-career hours completed as of the last recorded pay period: 1466.2
X	Provide notice to requesting department to attend Civil Service Commission Meeting.
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NAME AND CLASSIFICATION TITLE OF EMPLOYEE: Virginia Olson, Public Health Associate-NC

Summary of employee's work history specifying all classification titles and dates:

11/30/2020 to current Public Health Associate- NC

**Summary of duties performed by employee:** Supports all COVID response duties, but currently supports the Health vaccine POD by setting up/securing the POD daily. Providing flow control, verifying appointments, completing registration, acting as a runner for nursing staff and ensuring an overall smooth operation.

Anniversary Date (date when employee reaches 1600-hour threshold): 11/30/2021

Number of hours left to reach 1600 hours: 269.60

Number of additional hours requested: 500

Explain why the additional hours are needed for the department to function.

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If yes, what is the requisition number? Click or tap here to enter text.

Was there a prior non-career extension requested for this employee? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Date: September 15, 2021

To: Civil Service Commission

From: Maria Cano, Personnel Analyst

COVID – 19 RELATED: REQUEST FOR THE EXTENSION OF NON-CAREER

Subject: HOURS-PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATE - NC (Expected to Exceed)

Correspondence has been received from Kelley Colopy, Director for the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), requesting Civil Service Commission approval to extend the non-career hours of **Daniel Aguilar Jr.**, **Anthony Capparelli, Marlene Garcia, Alize Hernandez, Andrew Rendon, Virginia Olson**, currently employed as Public Health Associate – NC with the DHHS. Staff has reviewed the request and recommends approval in accordance with Article V, Section 49 of the Civil Service Rules and Regulations and Civil Service Policy 2.32.

## Facts for Consideration:

- Article V, Section 49 of the Civil Service Rules and Regulations allows an
  appointing authority to request an extension of a non-career employee's
  appointment "...if the extension is deemed necessary in order for the
  appointing department to function and/or provided that permanent
  appointments to those positions, which are in fact, permanent, are being
  pursued."
- The above-mentioned employees were hired as Public Health Associates NC between October 14, 2020 and January 16, 2021 to support the Department's Public Health Emergency Management (PHEM) team in COVID-19 response operations. The role of the Public Health Associate-NC is crucial in maintaining efficient staffing levels for drive thru testing, vaccination PODs and logistical support including PPE management; a 7-day a week, 10-hour a day operation. Public Health Associate NC's have been vital in supporting the existing workforce in the city to address this pandemic.
- COVID-19 response has been dynamic to meet the needs of surges and mostly recently the implementation of vaccine distribution. Staff is working at least 40 hours per week to support these efforts and it is anticipated that these hours will continue through anniversary dates of the employees noted in this request. As such, the allotted 1600 non-career hours are expected to be exceeded by the anniversary date.
- The chart below outlines the current hours expended as of the last August 26, 2021 and the extension request for each employee.

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DHHS Non-Career Hours Extension Request								
<b>Employee Name</b>	Current	<b>Hours Left</b>	Original Hire	Anniversary	Extension			
	Hours	before 1600	Date	Date	Requested			
Daniel Aguilar Jr	1342	258	11/23/2020	11/23/2021	500			
Anthony Capparelli	1452.4	147.6	10/14/2020	10/14/2021	500			
Marlene Garcia	1369.9	230.1	1/16/2021	1/16/2022	500			
Alize Hernandez	1359.7	240.3	1/2/2021	1/2/2022	500			
Andrew Rendon	1466.2	133.8	11/23/2020	11/23/2021	500			
Virginia Olson	1330.4	269.6	11/30/2020	11/30/2021	500			

 Granting the additional hours to these employees will continue to help support the City's COVID-19 response. Each employee has been specially trained in COVID-19 operations which is extensive, time consuming and costly to retrain. Preserving this existing staff will ensure continuity operations for COVID-19 response.

The Department of Health and Human Services has been informed that this request is on today's agenda. A department representative will be present to respond to any questions from the Civil Service Commission.

# Memorandum



Date: August 26, 2021

To: Civil Service Commission

From: Kelly Colopy, Director, Health and Human Services Subject:

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The Department of Health and Human Services is requesting Civil Service Commission approval to extend the following Public Health Associate non-career hours, in accordance with Civil Service Rules and Regulations Section 49 and Civil Service Policy Section 2.32.

DHHS Non-Career Hours Extension Request								
Employee Name	Current Hours	Hours Left before 1600	Original Hire Date	Anniversary Date	Extension Requested			
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The above-mentioned staff members were hired as a Public Health Associate-NC to join the Public Health Emergency Management (PHEM) team in support of COVID response operations. The role of a Public Health Associate-NC is crucial in maintaining efficient staffing levels for drive thru testing, contact tracing, vaccination PODs and logistical support including PPE management. Due to the needs of Health's COVID response the PHA-NCs have been working a full-time schedule, which has depleted the allocated 1600 non-career hours.

DHHS is requesting the Civil Service Commission approve the additional requested hours. This will allow continued support for Public Health Emergency Management (PHEM) in the COVID response.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. If you have any questions or if you need any additional information, please contact me at extension 8-4016.

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