



**To:** MAYOR & COUNCIL

**Agenda Item #:** IV. L.

**From:** Debra A. Mangen  
City Clerk

**Date:** January 8, 2013

**Subject:** Annual Appointment Of Assistant Weed Inspector

**Action**   
**Discussion**   
**Information**

**Action Requested:**

Appoint Brian Olsen, Director of Public Works, as Assistant Weed Inspector for calendar year 2013.

**Information / Background:**

The duties of the Assistant Weed Inspector are to carry out the enforcement of the City of Edina's Nuisance Ordinance regarding Section 1050 – Maintenance of Vegetation. Primarily, the Assistant Weed Inspector identifies and eradicates noxious weeds as defined by the State Commission of Agriculture and mandated by Minnesota Statutes. The duties also include identifying and cutting turf grasses and weeds throughout the City of Edina that exceed ten inches in height that are subject to Edina Code Section 1050.05. Brian Olson, Director of Public Works will carry out this duty for the City of Edina.