The City is requesting the employment of Paula Stanberry to the position of Placement Specialist at the BLUEPRINT Employment Office. Ms. Stanberry has been employed with the City since March 1, 2013, and currently holds the position of the Computer Laboratory Assistant at the BLUEPRINT Employment Office (BEO). Ms. Stanberry's promotion to Placement Specialist is critical to the exemplary performance of the BEO: i.e., this position contributes significantly to the outstanding performance of the BEO in the area of placements. There are over 3,000 registrants placed into job paying an average wage of \$11.71; more than half of these placements are with companies not associated with constructing the Community Venues. The incumbent of this position does have considerable responsibility for making these types of placements. Ms. Stanberry has more than seven years of workforce development, talent acquisition, and employment and training experience, and as a result, is well qualified for the position. Attachments consist of Placement Specialist job description, Ms. Stanberry's resume, employment contract and Fiscal Impact Statement.