GRAND JUNCTION CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP AGENDA WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2, 2008, 5:00 P.M. CITY HALL BREAK ROOM 1ST FLOOR, CITY HALL 250 N. 5TH STREET

5:00 p.m. DESIGN STANDARDS WITH PLANNING COMMISSION AND CONSULTANT ANN RICKER <u>Attach 1</u>

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Attach 1 Design Standards with Planning Commission

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| CITY COUNCIL AGENDA | | | | |
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| Subject | Meeting to discuss Design Standards | | | |
| File # | | | | |
| Meeting Day, Date | Wednesday, January 2, 2008 | | | |
| Placement on the Agenda | Consent | | Individual | |
| Date Prepared | December 26, 2008 | | | |
| Author Name & Title | Lisa Cox, Planning Manager | | | |
| Presenter Name & Title | Tim Moore, Director, Public Works and Planning Dept. | | | |

Summary: Ann Ricker, a consultant hired by the Downtown Development Authority, will be meeting with City Council and Planning Commission members to discuss community design standards. The discussion will be generalized and is intended to provide basic information for those attending the meeting.

Budget: N/A

Action Requested/Recommendation: No action requested at this time.

Attachments: N/A

Background Information: This meeting is a follow up to the discussion that the Planning Commission had with City Council during their annual joint meeting on December 3, 2007, regarding design standards. The Planning Commission suggested that community design standards may be appropriate with specific overlay zones or along specific corridors.

The January 2, 2008 meeting will be held from 5:00 to 7:00 pm in the City Hall Breakroom. The meeting will be a joint meeting with the City Council and Planning Commission members, and Ann Ricker, a consultant hired by the Downtown Development Authority as part of their ongoing Downtown Plan. Ms. Ricker has experience with the development and implementation of design standards, and will be presenting basic information about how a community can get started when implementing new standards.