#### **CITY OF SACRAMENTO**

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY INSTRUCTIONS**

Topic: Flexible Staffing/Reallocation from Assistant to Associate Level Effective Date:

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## FLEXIBLE STAFFING/REALLOCATION FROM ASSISTANT TO ASSOCIATE LEVEL

#### 1. <u>Purpose</u>

1.1 To establish policy and procedures for flexible staffing from Assistant to Associate level.

### 2. <u>Scope</u>

2.1 The policies and procedures detailed herein apply to all Assistant Engineers, Assistant Architects, and Assistant Landscape Architects requesting flexible staffing to the Associate level.

#### 3. Policy

3.1 After successfully passing the appropriate California Professional Examination, Assistants may apply for flexible staffing to the Associate level.

#### 4. <u>Procedures</u>

- 4.1 The employee shall submit a written request accompanied by proof of passing the State of California Professional Examination to his/her appropriate Division Manager.
- 4.2 The Division Manager shall meet with the appropriate Deputy Director and the employee's direct manager to determine eligibility for flexible staffing and to respond to the request.
- 4.3 If the request is approved, the Division Manager shall submit a written recommendation and request for flexible staffing to the appointing authority for processing and implementation.
- 4.4 The processing of approved requests should be completed within thirty (30) days of submittal by the employee to the Division Manager.
- 4.5 If the request is denied, the employee shall be notified in writing. The employee may request a personal meeting with higher management up to the Department Director to appeal the decision.