

Subd. 4. Filling Vacant Bid Assignments

~~(b)~~ When a Bid Assignment becomes vacant, the Employer retains the discretion whether to fill, change or leave the Bid Assignment vacant.

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~~(e)(a)~~ ~~During the first week of each 28-day scheduling period~~ If the Employer wants to fill the vacancy, the Employer shall post city-wide a list of vacant Bid Assignments to be filled.

~~(d)(b)~~ Any Eligible Employee may submit a request to fill the vacancy on or before the deadline stated in the posting (which shall not be less than ten days). ~~for employees to submit a request for days off for the next scheduling period.~~ The vacancy will be filled by the assignment of the most senior Eligible Employee who submitted a timely request.

~~(e)(c)~~ If no employee submits a request, the vacancy shall be filled by a transfer pursuant to Section 17.04, Subd. 3(b).

~~(f)(d)~~ If the vacancy remains after (c) and (d), the Inspector may leave the Bid Assignment vacant or fill the vacancy by inverse seniority among the Police Officers within that precinct or work group or by assignment of any employee working in a Discretionary Assignment.

~~(g)(e)~~ This subdivision shall not apply with regard to Bid Assignments for Sergeants.