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Classification Action = Amendment to Plan which:

- Adds or deletes a job title
- Assigns a title to a salary range
- Reassigns a title from one salary range to another

Existence of title on Plan does **not** approve funding; funding is subject to limitations of approved General Fund & Enterprise Fund budgets



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Classification Actions necessary when:

- Town Manager creates new position
- Duties of existing position change in significant manner
- Position title needs to be updated



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Per Personnel Bylaw:

- Personnel Board assigns titles & salary ranges as needed
- Salary grade assignments based on Town's standardized system for grouping positions
- If Class & Comp Plan amended, subject to ratification at next Town Meeting



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Reasons for 3 Actions Subject to Ratification:

- 1 grade change = reassignment of existing position due to increased responsibility & complexity (MMN/PEG development)
- 2 title additions = new positions funded via budget approved at prior Town Meeting



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Actions maintain appropriate job titles and salary ranges in order to:

- attract & retain competent employees
- comply with pay equity laws
- prolong the life of the Classification & Compensation Plan



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