

**AGENDA**



**Recommendation for Council Action (Purchasing)**

<b>Austin City Council</b>	<b>Item ID:</b>	12546	<b>Agenda Number</b>	23.
<b>Meeting Date:</b>	February 9, 2012			
<b>Department:</b>	Purchasing			
<b>Subject</b>				
Authorize award and execution of an Interlocal Agreement with the CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS to allow each jurisdiction to use each other's contracts for goods and services.				
<b>Amount and Source of Funding</b>				
Procurements under this Interlocal Agreement will not be made unless funds are available in appropriate department budgets.				
<b>Fiscal Note</b>				
There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.				
<b>Purchasing Language:</b>	Interlocal Agreement.			
<b>Prior Council Action:</b>	█			
<b>For More Information:</b>	Byron E. Johnson, C.P.M., Purchasing Officer, 974-2050			
<b>Boards and Commission Action:</b>	█			
<b>MBE / WBE:</b>	This Interlocal Agreement is exempt from the MBE /WBE Ordinance. This exemption is in compliance with Chapter 2-9C of the City Code (Minority -Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this contract.			
<b>Related Items:</b>	█			

**Additional Backup Information**

Approval of this Interlocal Agreement with the City of El Paso, Texas will allow the City of Austin and the City of El Paso, Texas to participate in the purchase of various types of goods and services through the use of contracts already in place through each jurisdiction's purchasing processes.

City of Austin purchases exceeding the City Manager's authority (currently \$55,000 FY12) will be brought forward for Council approval on a case-by-case basis prior to ordering the products or services.

This agreement is entered into under the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791, Texas Government Code.