

A U S T I N C I T Y C O U N C I L

AGENDA



Thursday, April 12, 2012

The Austin City Council will convene at 10:00 AM on
Thursday, April 12, 2012 at Austin City Hall
301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX



Mayor Lee Leffingwell
Mayor Pro Tem Sheryl Cole
Council Member Chris Riley, Place 1
Council Member Mike Martinez, Place 2
Council Member Kathie Tovo, Place 3
Council Member Laura Morrison, Place 4
Council Member William Spelman, Place 5

For meeting information, contact the City Clerk, 974-2210

The City Council will go into a closed session under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code to receive advice from legal counsel, to discuss matters of land acquisition, to discuss personnel matters, to discuss or take action on a “competitive matter” of Austin Energy as provided for under Section 551.086, or for other reasons permitted by law as specifically listed on this agenda. If necessary, the City Council may go into a closed session as permitted by law regarding any item on this agenda.

Reading and Action on Consent Agenda

Action on the Following:

Ordinances / Resolutions / Motions -

All of the following items may be acted upon by one motion. No separate discussion or action on any of the items is necessary unless desired by a Council Member.

9:55 AM – Invocation

Cantor Yitzhak Ben-Moshe, Congregation Beth El

10:00 AM – City Council Convenes

Consent

Approval of Minutes

1. Approve the minutes of the Austin City Council special work session of March 27, 2012, work session of April 3, 2012, special work session of April 3, 2012 and regular meeting of April 5, 2012.

Austin Water Utility

2. Approve an ordinance regarding the revised rates and tariff proposed by Aqua Texas, Inc. in its Statement of Intent dated December 21, 2011 for water service provided to its customers in two areas within the City of Austin known as Rivercrest and Morningside.

Contract Management

3. Authorize execution of a construction contract with CS ADVANTAGE USAA, Inc., for roof replacement at Austin Energy’s Town Lake Center facility, in the amount of \$598,000 plus a \$89,700 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$687,700.
(Notes: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) through the achievements of Good Faith Efforts with 1.67% MBE and 11.54% WBE subcontractor participation.)
4. Authorize execution of a construction contract with ZACHRY

CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION, for the Waller Creek Tunnel's Waller Beach Site Improvements Outlet Facility Project in the amount of \$13,162,313 plus a \$350,000 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$13,512,313.

(Notes: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) through the achievements of Good Faith Efforts with 10.76% MBE and 1.55% WBE subcontractor participation.)

5. Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the professional services agreement with CDM SMITH, INC., for engineering services for the Austin-Bergstrom International Airport (ABIA) Stormwater Drainage Master Plan Update project in the amount of \$115,000, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$668,000.

(Notes: This contract was awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9B of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) with 18.47% MBE and 10.67% WBE sub-consultant participation to date.)

6. Authorize execution of change order #6 to the construction contract with BARECKY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, for the Emergency Medical Station No. 33 in the amount of \$104,000, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$2,040,125.

(Notes: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) with 0.15% MBE and 11.41% WBE subcontractor participation to date.)

Law

7. Authorize the negotiation and execution of an amendment to the legal services agreement with Andrews Kurth, LLP, to provide legal services related to the City's Minority-Owned/ Women-Owned Business Enterprise Program (MBE/WBE), to increase funding in the amount of \$115,000 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$315,000.

Police

8. Approve a resolution to apply for and accept \$74,986 in grant funding from the State of Texas, Governor's Office, Criminal Justice Division to implement the Austin Police Department project entitled APD Central Records Project. Related to Item #9.
9. Approve an ordinance accepting \$74,986 in grant funds from the State of Texas, Office of Governor, Criminal Justice Division; and amending the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund (Ordinance No. 20110912-005) to appropriate \$74,986 for the Police Department project entitled APD Central Records Project. Related to Item

#8.

Public Works

10. Authorize negotiation and execution of an agreement between the City of Austin and AboveNet Communications, Inc. (AboveNet) for the relocation of existing AboveNet fiber optic lines in connection with roadway/intersection improvements within the State Highway 71 (East) at Riverside Road Project (CSJ: 0113-13-149) in the amount of \$94,893.56 plus an \$18,978.71 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$113,872.27.

Purchasing Office

11. Authorize award and execution of a 60-month requirements service contract with ENTECH SALES & SERVICE INC., to provide maintenance and repair services for the security control systems for the Austin Police Department in an estimated amount not to exceed \$87,748 with five 12-month extension options in estimated amounts not to exceed \$16,149 for the first extension option, \$16,957 for the second extension option, \$17,805 for the third extension option, \$18,695 for the fourth extension option, and \$19,630 for the fifth extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$176,984.
(Notes: This contract will be awarded 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.)
12. Authorize award, negotiation, and execution of a 12-month requirements service contract with BICKMORE RISK SERVICES, or one of the other qualified offerors to RFP No. JSD0109Rebid for the workers' compensation third party administrator claims management audit services for the City of Austin in an estimated amount not to exceed \$48,130 with three 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$48,130 for the first extension option, \$50,562 for the second extension option, and \$50,562 for the third extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$197,384.
(Notes: This contract will be awarded 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 solicitation.)
13. Authorize award and execution of a 12-month requirements service contract with AUS-TEX PRINTING & MAILING, INC. for printing of the PowerPlus newsletter for Austin Energy in an estimated amount not to exceed \$74,736, with two 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$74,736 per extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$224,208.

(Notes: This contract will be awarded 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 solicitation.)

14. Authorize award and execution of a 36-month requirements service contract with ARTHUR W. BELL dba KIL-A-BUG PROFESSIONAL PEST CONTROL, or one of the other qualified bidders for IFB-BV No. PAX0216, to provide pest and termite control services for various City Departments at various City locations, in an estimated amount not to exceed \$830,700, with three 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$395,280 for the first extension option, \$474,336 for the second extension option, and \$569,203 for the third extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$2,269,519.

(Notes: This contract will be awarded 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 solicitation.)

15. Authorize award and execution of a contract with HOWARD INDUSTRIES, INC, for the purchase and installation of two isolation power transformers for Austin Energy in an amount not to exceed \$992,436.

(Notes: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9D 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 solicitation.)

Treasury Office

16. Approve an ordinance authorizing (i) the replacement of the Letter of Credit and Reimbursement Agreement between the City of Austin (City) and KBC Bank related to the \$236,300,000 currently outstanding City of Austin, Airport System Variable Rate Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2005 with a Letter of Credit and Reimbursement Agreement issued by State Street Bank and Trust Company (State Street), and (ii) all necessary related documents actions, and fees.

Item(s) from Council

17. Approve appointments and certain related waivers to citizen boards and commissions, to Council subcommittees and other intergovernmental bodies and removal and replacement of members.
18. Authorize the director to issue a street closure permit under City Code Chapter 14-8-3(B)(3) for the VIVA STREETS! event which is to be held on East Sixth Street on May 20, 2012.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Chris Riley CO 1: Mayor Pro Tem Sheryl Cole)

19. Approve execution of a co-sponsorship agreement between the City and Capital Area Statues, Inc. to sponsor the event dedicating the Willie Nelson statue to be held on April 20, 2012.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Mayor Lee Leffingwell CO 1: Council Member Mike Martinez)
20. Approve an ordinance placing a charter amendment on the November 2012 ballot to permit the members of the city council and the city council's appointees to hire and manage their own staffs.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member William Spelman CO 1: Council Member Kathie Tovo CO 2: Mayor Pro Tem Sheryl Cole)
21. Approve an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 13-2 (Ground Transportation Passenger Services) to adopt regulations for the operation of pedicabs.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Chris Riley CO 1: Council Member William Spelman)
22. Approve a resolution directing the City Manager to create and implement a system of street markings designating pedicab staging areas.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Chris Riley CO 1: Council Member William Spelman)
23. Approve a resolution directing the City Manager to prepare and post ordinances for consideration on the April 26, 2012 meeting agenda of the City Council to achieve certain recommendations of the Charter Review Committee regarding expanding the jurisdiction of the Ethics Review Commission to include campaign finance violations, requiring special reporting of campaign contributions made in the last 9 days before an election, enhancing reporting of independent expenditures in City elections, creating a campaign finance database, enhancing required reporting regarding bundlers of campaign contributions; and creating limits on the amounts of campaign contributions that may be bundled by lobbyists.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Laura Morrison CO 1: Council Member Mike Martinez CO 2: Council Member Kathie Tovo)
24. Approve a resolution initiating amendments to the City Code Chapter 25-2 (Zoning) and directing the City Manager to develop a proposed ordinance making outdoor amphitheatres or similar structures a conditional use in all zoning districts, even if an amphitheatre or similar structure is associated with a civic or residential use.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Laura Morrison CO 1: Council Member Kathie Tovo)
25. Approve an ordinance amending the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 schedule of fees, fines, and other charges (Ordinance No. 20110912-0077) for the Renaissance Market Vendor's License Fees.

(Notes: SPONSOR: Mayor Pro Tem Sheryl Cole CO 1: Council Member Kathie Tovo CO 2: Council Member William Spelman)

Item(s) to Set Public Hearing(s)

26. Set a public hearing to consider an ordinance amending Title 30 of the City Code related to provisions for the authority of the County Executive for subdivisions in the Travis County extra-territorial jurisdiction (ETJ) (C2O-2010-0016). (Suggested date and time: May 24, 2012, 4:00 p.m. at Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX.)
27. Set a public hearing to receive public comment and consider approval of an ordinance adopting the sixth plan modification to the East 11th and 12th Streets Urban Renewal Plan. (Suggested date and time: April 26, 2012, 4:00 p.m. at Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin TX)
28. Set a public hearing to consider an ordinance approving amendments to the Seaholm Power Plant Redevelopment Tax Increment Financing (TIF) #18 Project and Financing Plan. (Suggested date and time: April 26, 2012, 4:00 p.m., at Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX).

Non-Consent

10:30 AM - Morning Briefings

29. Re-entry Roundtable Annual Update.

12:00 PM - Citizen Communications: General

Jeff Kantoff - General

Will McLeod - City issues, misc.

Daniel Llanes - Geographic Representation

Howard Kells - Hardships created by lack of Fire inspector plan reviewers

Chris Scherer - Questions regarding no kill policy at the animal shelter

Ronnie Reefersseed - Peace, freedom, fluoride & Clay Dafoe

CAROLANNROSE KENNEDY - ODE 2 LESLIE: FIRE and RAIN and APRI.Lice 2012 and HIPPAcrap LAW

Paul Robbins - City issues

Carlos Leon - 1) Chem trail recent update 2) Yet to be finalized

Executive Session

30. Discuss legal issues related to Open Government matters. (Private consultation with legal counsel pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Government Code).

4:00 PM - Public Hearings and Possible Actions

31. Conduct a public hearing to receive citizen input on a Substantial Amendment to the City's Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Action Plan and the Community Development 2011-2012 Program as required by Texas Local Government Code Chapter 373.
32. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Southeast Travis County Municipal Utility District 1 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 188 acres.
33. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Southeast Travis County Municipal Utility District 2 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 475 acres.
34. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Southeast Travis County Municipal Utility District 3 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 563 acres.
35. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Southeast Travis County Municipal Utility District 4 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 378 acres.
36. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Pilot Knob Municipal Utility Districts 1 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 340 acres.
37. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Pilot Knob Municipal Utility Districts 2 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 557 acres.
38. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Pilot Knob Municipal Utility Districts 3 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 644 acres.
39. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement

("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Pilot Knob Municipal Utility Districts 4 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 346 acres.

40. Conduct a public hearing regarding a Strategic Partnership Agreement ("SPA") between the City of Austin and the Pilot Knob Municipal Utility Districts 5 ("MUD") and limited purpose and full purpose annexation of approximately 327 acres.

5:30 PM - Live Music

Charlie Faye

5:30 PM - Proclamations

Honorary Citizen Certificates -- Sister City Visitors from Koblenz, Germany -- to be presented by Mayor Lee Leffingwell and to be accepted by the honorees


Proclamation -- CDBG Week and Volunteer Recognition -- to be presented by Mayor Lee Leffingwell and to be accepted by Betsy Spencer and volunteers


Proclamation -- Fair Housing Month -- to be presented by Mayor Lee Leffingwell and to be accepted by Mark Washington, Carla Scales and Betsy Spencer

Proclamation -- Barton Springs Pool Treeathlon -- to be presented by Mayor Lee Leffingwell and to be accepted by Mike Cannatti

Proclamation -- Go Local Week -- to be presented by Council Member Laura Morrison and to be accepted by Bob Tuschak

Adjourn

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