

## CIP EXPENSE DETAIL

**DATE OF COUNCIL CONSIDERATION:**

**CONTACT DEPARTMENT(S):**

Economic Development Department

**SUBJECT:** Authorize negotiation and execution of a design and commission agreement with Eric Eley for artwork for the Spirit of Austin Lane Cell Phone Waiting Area Project at the Austin Bergstrom International Airport, in an amount not to exceed \$355,000.

**CURRENT YEAR IMPACT:**

**Department:**

Project Name:

Fund/Department/Unit:

Funding Source:

**Aviation**

Spirit of Austin Cell Phone Waiting Area Project - AIPP

4910-8107-6052

Airport Capital Funds

Current Appropriation:

446,000.00

Unencumbered Balance:

440,681.21

Amount of This Action:

(355,000.00)

Remaining Balance:

85,681.21

**ANALYSIS / ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** The City of Austin Art in Public Places (AIPP) program of the Cultural Arts Division, Economic Development Department sought to commission a professional visual artist to design and create artwork for the Spirit of Austin Lane Cell Phone Waiting Area Art in Public Places project at Austin-Bergstrom International Airport.

The goal of the public art is to create a curated, cohesive vision for artwork for the Austin Bergstrom International Airport Spirit of Austin Lane Cell Phone Waiting Areas incorporating a diversity of artists and voices that are sensitive to the site history, function and natural environment; create durable sculptural artwork “interventions” that will conceptually enliven, engage, and enrich the experience of multiple users of the cell phone waiting area.