

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	27909	Agenda Number	39.
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Meeting Date:	10/24/2013	Department:	Austin Police Department
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Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of an interlocal agreement between the City and the University of Texas at Austin in an amount not to exceed \$40,000 to provide direct services for the City of Austin Joint Juvenile Gang Intervention Unit Juvenile Justice Improvement Project.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$40,000 is available from the State of Texas, Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division. No match is required.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	Council resolution allowing for application and acceptance of funds was approved on September 27, 2012.
For More Information:	Troy Gay, Assistant Chief 974-5030
Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

This action will authorize the negotiation and execution of an interlocal agreement with the University of Texas at Austin for services in an amount not to exceed \$40,000 for the City of Austin Joint Juvenile Gang Intervention Unit Juvenile Justice Improvement Project. The entire funding for this agreement is available from the State of Texas, Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division (CJD). Under this agreement, the Austin Police Department will agree to reimburse the University of Texas at Austin for services in an amount not to exceed \$40,000, including fees and expenses. This agreement will be effective on the date the agreement is signed by the last of the parties ("Effective Date"). This contact shall terminate on August 31, 2014.

There are approximately 100 confirmed/documented juvenile gang members citywide. Under the agreement, the University of Texas will be primarily responsible for conducting assessments of juvenile gang member participants. In addition to the assessments, University deliverables may include service referrals, gang prevention and intervention related recommendations, and performance measure tracking and reporting.