

Recommendation for Council Action

Item ID 51656 37. Austin City Council Agenda Number

12/17/2015 Public Works **Meeting Date:** Department:

Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of an interlocal agreement with Travis County for construction of new water lines within the Texas Department of Transportation at FM 1626 from Manchaca Road to Brodie Lane Project, in the amount of \$382,263.00, plus a \$38,227.00 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$420,490.00.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Capital Budget of Austin Water Utility.

Fiscal Note	
A fiscal note is attached.	
Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
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Council Committee,	
Boards and	
Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

This project is the installation of a new water line within Texas Department of Transportation Roadway, design and managed by Travis County Transportation and Natural Resources, along FM 1626 from Ranch Alto to Brodie Lane to improve services. The City of Austin and Travis County have agreed to include the design and construction of this adjustment in the Travis County contract.

This project requires the installation of approximately 2100 linear feet of 16" water line, approximately 23 linear feet of 6" waterline, 3 resilient seated 6" gate valves, 3 resilient seated 16" gate valves, 1 drain valve, and 3 fire hydrants. The City agrees to pay all costs of engineering design, inspection, and testing of the improvements and, agrees to reimburse Travis County construction costs of the improvements, including the cost of any change orders made necessary by field changes to address unanticipated conditions under the terms and conditions in this agreement. Travis County shall obtain the written approval from the City for all change order requests prior to Travis County issuing the approved change order to the contractor.

A 10% contingency in funding has been included to allow for the expeditious processing of any change orders that may result from the potential unknown surface condition and utility conflicts, when working within the right of way. All dates are dependent upon County design and construction contract.

These projects are located within zip codes 78652 and 78748, within the 2 Mile Extraterritorial Jurisdiction managed by Austin Water Utility (AWU).

This project is managed by Public Works Department.