

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION MOTION 20181107 007b

Date: November 7, 2018

Subject: 2018 Annual Report of City of Austin Parks and Recreation Department Managed Concessions on

Town Lake

Motion by: Hank Smith Seconded by: Mary Ann Neely

RATIONALE:

WHEREAS, the Environmental Commission has received a staff briefing and has reviewed the 2018 Annual Report of City of Austin Parks and Recreation Department (PARD) Managed Concessions on Town Lake.

THEREFORE, the Environmental Commission recommends continuation of the concession contracts on Town Lake Park with the following:

Environmental Commission Conditions

- PARD staff will verify that three years of records for marine waste disposal have been maintained for any
 entity that pumps waste on Town Lake, and that these monthly records are included in the public record
 going forward
- PARD staff should review the number of public and private boats that are typically on Town Lake, and if
 there is a capacity issue, that should be considered; including consultation with the City of Austin rescue
 teams
- consider working on consistent terms and conditions in the various contracts to the extent practicable.
- include the waste pump-out data in the 2019 Annual Report
- consider the density (physical, social and environmental) capacity with the upcoming solicitations
- provide update on any new concessions, including the Seaholm Power Plant.

VOTE 6-0

For: Perales, Neely, H. Smith, Guerrero, Gordon, Maceo

Against: None Abstain: None Recuse: None

Absent: B. Smith, Creel, Thompson, Coyne

Approved By:

Linda Guerrero, Environmental Commission Chair

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