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# City of Austin

## Recommendation for Action

File #: 19-3467, Agenda Item #: 15.

10/31/2019

#### Posting Language

Authorize negotiation and execution of a legal services contract with the law firm of Bickerstaff Heath Delgado Acosta, LLP, in an amount not to exceed \$119,000.00, to represent the City in *City of McAllen, et al v. State of Texas,* Cause No. D-1-GN-17-004766, in the 353<sup>rd</sup> Judicial District of Travis County, Texas.

#### Lead Department

Law Department.

#### Fiscal Note

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Telecommunications and Regulatory Affairs operating budget.

#### For More Information:

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### Additional Backup Information:

Several Texas municipalities, including Austin, are participating in ongoing litigation related to newly enacted legislation regarding small cell and telecommunications fees.