



City of Austin

Design Commission

DESIGN COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION 20211115-01C

Date: November 19, 2021

Subject: Design Commission recommendations for the City of Austin EMS/Fire Station, located at 401 East 5th Street.

Motioned By: Melissa Henao-Robledo

Seconded By: Bart Whatley

Recommendation:

The City of Austin Design Commission recommends that the City of Austin Central EMS/Fire Station, located at 401 East 5th Street, as presented to us on November 15, 2021 meets the City's design and sustainability standards.

Rationale:

Dear Honorable Mayor & City Council,

This letter is to confirm the Design Commission's support of the City of Austin Central EMS/Fire Station as presented to us. Our review found the following attributes:

1. Protects and restores existing historic structure.
2. Addition is clearly differentiated from existing structure
3. Inclusion of public artwork.
4. Meets LEED requirements for sustainability
5. Increases gender diversity and accessibility within the building

Respectfully,
City of Austin Design Commission

Vote: 7 - 0 - 0

For: Jen Weaver, Evan Taniguchi, Melissa Henao-Robledo, David Carroll, Josue Meiners, Bart Whatley, Jessica Rollason

Against: NA

Abstain: NA

Recused: Aan Coleman

Absent: Samuel Franco, Ben Luckens

Attest: David Carroll, Chair of the Design Commission

David Carroll, Chair

Jessica Rollason, Vice Chair

Aan Coleman

Samuel Franco

Ben Luckens

Josue Meiners

Melissa Henao-Robledo,

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