

Recommendation for Action

File #: 23-2953, Agenda Item #: 52.

9/21/2023

Posting Language

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the legal services agreement with Blair Leake and Wright and Greenhill, PC for individual officer representation in Ambler et al v. Williamson County et al, Cause No. 1:20-cv -01068 in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas in an amount of \$256,000, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$401,500.

Lead Department

Law Department.

Fiscal Note

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2023 liability reserve.

Prior Council Action:

Council Action 20210422-019 - Council authorized negotiation and execution of an amendment to the legal services agreement with Blair Leake and Wright and Greenhill, PC for representation related to Ambler et al v. Williamson County et al, Cause No. 1:20-cv -01068-LY in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas in an amount of \$105,500 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$145,500.

For More Information:

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Additional Backup Information:

This is related to a 2019 in-custody death where Williamson County, the City, and law enforcement personnel from both police agencies are named as parties to the lawsuit.