



City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 24-3928, Agenda Item #: 13.

2/15/2024

Posting Language

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the legal services agreement with Albert Lopez with the Law Offices of Albert Lopez for individual officer representation in Gonzalez et al. v. City of Austin et al., Cause No. 1:22-cv -00655 in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas in an amount of \$223,000, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$227,500.

Lead Department

Law Department.

Fiscal Note

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Liability Reserve Fund.

For More Information:

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Additional Backup Information:

This is a civil rights lawsuit involving an Austin Police Department officer-involved shooting in 2021.