



Legislation Text

File #: Res. 2015-83R, **Version:** 1

AGENDA CAPTION:

Consider approval of Resolution 2015-83R approving an Interlocal Agreement with Texas State University that provides for participation by Texas State University in the costs for design and construction of a reclaimed waterline extension that connects Texas State University to the City's reclaimed water system; authorizing the City Manager to execute said agreement on behalf of the City; and declaring an effective date

Meeting date: July 21, 2015

Department: Engineering and Capital Improvements

Funds Required: N/A

Account Number: N/A

Funds Available: N/A

Account Name: N/A

CITY COUNCIL GOAL: Goal #5 Maintain and improve the City's infrastructure.
 Goal #7 Sound finances.

BACKGROUND:

This Interlocal Agreement between Texas State University and The City of San Marcos is for the sharing of costs for design and construction of a reclaimed waterline that will connect Texas State to the City's reclaimed water system.

This project will facilitate the habitat Conservation Plan by allowing Texas State to transfer its rights to withdraw water from the San Marcos River to the City and replace its water needs with reclaimed water. The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) and Edwards Aquifer Authority (EAA) have provided funding for this project pursuant to separate agreements approved by the City Council.

The City has previously approved the design contract for this project with Espey Consultants, Inc., dba, RPS (the "Engineer") in an amount not to exceed \$824,742.00. After applying funding from the TWDB and EAA, the estimated cost of Texas State's participation in design costs is \$61,489. Texas State will be responsible for paying 62.1 percent of the construction costs for an estimated contribution of \$2,099,466. The parties may consider a future agreement to address the costs for construction of additional reservoir storage.

By separate agreement to be considered at this meeting the parties will establish the process for transfer of water withdrawal rights and charges to Texas State for delivered reclaimed water.

Staff recommends approval of this agreement.