



## Legislation Text

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**File #:** ID#21-892, **Version:** 1

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### **AGENDA CAPTION:**

Hold discussion regarding the Interlocal Agreement between the City and Texas State University relating to the implementation of the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan to, among other things, including a description of the duties and compensation of the Habitat Conservation Project Manager and extension of the agreement through March 31, 2028; and provide direction to the City Manager.

**Meeting date:** December 7, 2021

**Department:** Engineering & Capital Improvement - Laurie Moyer, Director (By Lynda Williams, Purchasing Manager)

### **Amount & Source of Funding**

**Funds Required:** \$183,036.35

**Account Number:** 12027008 56315, 12027008 56316, 12027008 56318, 12027008 56322

**Funds Available:** FY22 Budget

**Account Name:** EAA-ILA-FLOATING VEGETATION, EAA-ILA-WILD RICE ENHANCE, EAA-ILA-NON-NATIVE PLANT, EAA-ILA-MANAGEMENT KEY

### **Fiscal Note:**

**Prior Council Action:** December 3, 2019: Council approved first amendment to Interlocal Agreement with Texas State University to include removal of non-native plants.

**City Council Strategic Initiative:** [Please select from the dropdown menu below]

Choose an item.

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**Comprehensive Plan Element (s):** [Please select the Plan element(s) and Goal # from dropdown menu below]

☐ Economic Development - Choose an item.

☐ Environment & Resource Protection - Choose an item.

☐ Land Use - Choose an item.

- ☐ Neighborhoods & Housing - Choose an item.
- ☐ Parks, Public Spaces & Facilities - Choose an item.
- ☐ Transportation - Choose an item.
- ☐ Core Services
- ☐ Not Applicable

**Master Plan:** *[Please select the corresponding Master Plan from the dropdown menu below (if applicable)]*

Choose an item.

**Background Information:**

The City and Texas State University executed interlocal contract 217-077 on December 20, 2016 for the purpose of implementing the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan to include removal of non-native plants, Texas wild rice enhancement, and management of key recreation areas.

Modification 1 was signed on December 19, 2019 to include the removal of floating plant mats. The proposed Modification 2 adds the HCP manager description and modifies the contract termination date. This project will continue to be funded by the Edward Aquifer Authority through the City of San Marcos.

**Council Committee, Board/Commission Action:**

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**Alternatives:**

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**Recommendation:**

Approve Modification 2 for contract 217-077 Interlocal with Texas State University.