

Thursday, March 5, 2009

Public Works RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 14

Subject: Authorize execution of a first amendment to an Interlocal Agreement between the City of Austin and the Capital Area Council of Governments relating to the Pedestrian Master Plan (Phase II) that will modify the scope of the agreement and add \$49,973.76 to the agreement for a total agreement amount not to exceed \$599,476.76.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$49,973.76 is available in the Fiscal Year 2008-2009 Capital Budget of the Public Works Department. Related to Item #13.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is attached.

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Prior Council Action: November 30, 2000 Pedestrian Master Plan Adopted by City Council

April 18, 2002 Policy adopted implementing the addition of both pedestrian and bicycle facilities for future construction, reconstruction, or major rehabilitation of a roadway

August 28, 2003 Approval of a Professional Services Agreement with Lockwood, Andrews, & Newman, Inc., Austin, Texas, for planning services to implement and enhance the policies outlined in the Austin's ADA Transition Plan and existing Pedestrian Plan

September 28, 2009 Approval of an Interlocal Agreement for planning services related to completing the Pedestrian Master Plan Phase II

This action authorizes the amendment of an interlocal agreement between the City of Austin and the Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG) to complete the Pedestrian Master Plan Phase II. The original project scope will be amended to include additional meetings, computer programming, and GIS project work needed to complete the sidewalk maintenance component of the Pedestrian Infrastructure Management Tool (PIMS).

This project and specific interlocal agreement is made possible by the master GeoSpatial Base Map Project interlocal agreement. The CAPCOG GeoSpatial Base Map Project exists to result in the delivery of data in a digital format to be shared by all city departments working on Geographic Information Systems (GIS) related projects. Data collected through the GeoSpatial Base Map Project will provide data which supports the City's "Base Map" for users within the City and the public.