

AGENDA



Thursday, January 27, 2011

**Transportation
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 31**

Subject: Approve a resolution authorizing the negotiation and execution of an Advance Funding Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) to provide funding for the design and construction of interim improvements to the Oak Hill "Y", as it relates to the 2010 Transportation Bond. This project will be completed in partnership with Travis County and TxDOT participation.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding of \$4,000,000 is available from the 2010 Transportation Bond.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

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The City will negotiate an agreement with TxDOT for the design and construction of interim improvements at the Oak Hill "Y". The project will be completed in partnership with Travis County and TxDOT.

The Oak Hill "Y" intersection is named as one of the most congested intersections in the region. While an ultimate solution is several years away, the proposed AFA builds on a previous partnership authorized by Council for feasibility analysis at the Oak Hill "Y" an interim solution that remains within the existing footprint of the roadways is possible. This AFA will fund the design and construction of an interim solution that can serve the traveling public for up to ten years at present traffic growth rates.