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Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	18737	Agenda Number	20.
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Meeting Date:	9/27/2012	Department:	Legal
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Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to a legal services contract with Thompson & Knight, LLP, for services related to Cause No. D-1-GN-11-000639; The Austin Bulldog v. Lee Leffingwell, Mayor, Chris Riley, Council Member Place 1, Mike Martinez, Mayor Pro Tem Place 2, Randi Shade, Council Member Place 3, Laura Morrison, Council Member Place 4, Bill Spelman, Council Member Place 5, Sheryl Cole, Council Member Place 6 and the City of Austin; in the 250th Judicial District; Travis County, Texas, in the amount of \$50,000 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$160,000. Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2012-2013 Operating Budget of the Liability Reserve Fund.

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

Purchasing Language:

Prior Council Action:

For More Information:

Boards and
Commission Action:

MBE / WBE:

Related Items:

Additional Backup Information

This lawsuit concerns the Texas Public Information Act and the Local Government Records Act. The plaintiff has recently filed new discovery concerning the PIA requests it made in early 2011.