

RESOLUTION NO. 20130627

WHEREAS, a number of neighborhoods in Austin continue to experience various issues related to deer; and

WHEREAS, in response to those ongoing issues, the Austin Animal Advisory Commission has established a Deer Working which has worked with stakeholders to develop a comprehensive set of recommendations related to deer; and

WHEREAS, the recommendations which were unanimously supported, and provided by the Deer Working Group include a program of public awareness and education, the reorganization of City of Austin administrative responsibilities for addressing conflicts between humans and deer, and the adoption of policies that will promote the safe disposal of deer carcasses; **NOW THEREFORE**,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

The City Manager is directed to implement the attached recommendations provided by the Austin Animal Advisory Commission's Deer Working Group, and to bring associated ordinance changes for council action within 90 days.

ADOPTED: _____, 2013 **ATTEST:** _____
Jannette S. Goodall
City Clerk