

Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council Commissioner's Court Meeting

Item ID 35132 Agenda Number 99.

Meeting Date: 8/28/2014 Department: Parks and Recreation

Subject

Conduct a public hearing and consider approval of the Ann and Roy Butler Trail at the Southeast Shore Master Plan, which includes existing parkland along the southeast shore of Lady Bird Lake from I-35 east to the Longhorn Dam at Pleasant Valley Road. (THE PUBLIC HEARING FOR THIS ITEM WAS HELD AND CLOSED ON AUGUST 7, 2014).

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
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Boards and Commission Action:	May 27, 2014 - Recommended by Parks and Recreation Board; May 13, 2014 - Recommended by Planning Commission; May 12, 2014 - Recommended by Waterfront Planning Advisory Board; April 28, 2014 - Recommended by Design Commission; April 16, 2014 - Recommended by Environmental Board.
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

The Trail Foundation sponsored a contract with McCann-Adams Studio to master plan parkland along the southeast shore of Lady Bird Lake, in anticipation of the increased usage brought by the completion of the boardwalk trail.

The Master Plan will serve as a guide for best uses for new and existing parkland and facilities. PARD included a Technical Advisory Group (TAG) which consisted of numerous key City of Austin personnel representing various internal departments. The TAG committee provided input on future projects, requirements, regulations and permitting issues associated with any and all proposed improvements within the master plan area.