

## AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL

Regular Meeting: December 7, 2017
Item Number: 027

## Development Services

Approve an ordinance waiving fees in an amount not to exceed $\$ 6,800,000$ and requirements related to the vacation of right-of-way, associated with the development of Phase One of the 2016 Texas Capitol Complex Master Plan.

| Lead Department | Development Services Department |
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| Fiscal Note | Approval of this item will result in $\$ 6,800,000$ of unrealized revenue <br> for the Austin Transportation Department, to be waived over multiple <br> fiscal years. A fiscal note is attached. |
| Prior Council Action | June 22, 2017: Council authorized negotiation of an interlocal <br> agreement with the STATE OF TEXAS, acting by and through the <br> TEXAS FACILTIES COMMISSION, for development of Phase One of the <br> 2016 Texas Capitol Complex Master Plan. |
| For More Information | Rodney Gonzales, Director, Development Services Department, (512) <br> $974-2313$ |

## Additional Backup Information:

In response to a request from the State of Texas, Council authorized negotiation of an interlocal agreement with the Texas Facilities Commission (TFC) for development of Phase One of the 2016 Texas Capitol Complex Master Plan in June 2017. TFC requests include priority processing of all aspects of the
project requiring City consideration; waiver of temporary use of right-of-way permit fees; conversion of $16^{\text {th }}, 17^{\text {th }}$, and $18^{\text {th }}$ Streets to two-way traffic; vacation of North Congress Ave. from the northern boundary of $15^{\text {th }}$ St. to Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., along with a portion of $17^{\text {th }}$ St., and permanent easement for State-operated utilities.

This item proposes a waiver of temporary use of right-of-way fees in an amount not to exceed $\$ 6,800,000$ as well as a waiver to City Code Section 14-11-73, which requires review of an application for right-of-way vacation by certain Commissions. A related action item proposes execution of the interlocal agreement that contains all other related terms.

