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AGENDA

Thursday, November 30, 2006

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RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION**ITEM No 39**

Subject Approve a resolution establishing a sister city relationship with the City of Antalya, Turkey**Sponsor** Mayor Will Wynn**Co-Sponsor1** Council Member Jennifer Kim**Co-Sponsor2** Council Member Lee Leffingwell**Additional Backup Material**

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RESOLUTION NO.

WHEREAS, the City has adopted certain procedures and policies for the establishment of sister city relationships, and

WHEREAS, a candidate sister city committee for the establishment of sister city relationships between the City and the City of Antalya, Turkey has been formed, and

WHEREAS, that candidate sister city committee has previously submitted a proposal in support of the establishment of a sister city relationship between the City and the City of Antalya to the Austin Sister Cities International Executive Committee Board for its consideration, and

WHEREAS, the Austin Sister Cities International Executive Committee Board has reviewed the proposal for a sister city relationship between the City and the City of Antalya and has recommended to the City Council that a sister city relationship with the City of Antalya be established, and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that the proposed sister city relationship between the City and the City of Antalya will promote and facilitate a greater understanding of the cultural, economic and educational ideals of the two communities and their citizenry, and

WHEREAS, the City of Antalya has adopted a similar resolution and taken similar actions to establish a sister city relationship with the City, **NOW, THEREFORE**,

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

The City Council establishes a sister city relationship between the City and the City of Antalya, Turkey and authorizes the Mayor to execute a sister city Agreement to establish that relationship. The City Manager is authorized to take all appropriate steps to implement this resolution.

ADOPTED: _____, 2006 **ATTEST:** _____



Shirley A Gentry
City Clerk



MEMORANDUM

TO Toby Futrell, City Manager

FROM Greg Canally, Budget Officer

DATE November 30, 2006

SUBJECT Sister City

Item # 33 on the November 30, 2006 Council Agenda is to approve a resolution establishing a sister city relationship with the City of Antalya, Turkey. This item has no unanticipated fiscal impact. A budget amendment is not required.