

MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and Council

From: Lauraine Rizer, Officer

Office of Real Estate Services

Date: December 14, 2016

Subject: Offer to Purchase Real Estate

1804 Rockmore Austin, Travis County, Texas (approximately 11 acres)

On December 8, 2016, the Office of Real Estate Services received a phone call from Charles Morrison informing the city that his families' property is on the market for sale. This particular property is adjacent to parkland known as Walsh Boat Landing along Lake Austin. In the past, Mr. Morrison's family has worked with the Parks and Recreation Department (PARD) and thought it important to notify PARD of this opportunity.

It was determined that the asking price is significantly more than what PARD has in available funding. It is the Office of Real Estate Service's desire to evaluate these opportunities when approached with a proposed parkland opportunity. Even though this property meets initial criteria to expand existing parkland, funding is precluding any further negotiations.

Please contact us if you have additional questions or comments. I can be reached at (512) 974-7078 or via email at Lauraine.Rizer@austintexas.gov or Junie Plummer at (512) 974-7085 or via email at Junie.Plummer@austintexas.gov.

Attachment

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