



MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and Council

FROM: Kimberly A. McNeeley, CPRP, Acting Director
Austin Parks and Recreation Department

DATE: February 2, 2018

SUBJECT: Update to Council Resolution No. 20171109-046 regarding Major League Soccer Sites

The purpose of this memo is to request a postponement of the February 15, 2018 agenda item associated with Council Resolution No. 20171109-046 regarding Major League Soccer Sites. As stated in a previous memo, staff will not produce additional community/stakeholder information or property analysis by the February 15th deadline. It is staff's intention to request a postponement without a definitive future Council date. Upon consensus between the suggested City of Austin properties and the Precourt Sports Ventures property analysis, City staff will commence with a robust community engagement. It will be at that time City staff can select an appropriate Council date. A robust community engagement is estimated to take approximately three (3) months.

It is always the prerogative for Council to specify a future agenda item date. In the case of a pre-selected Council date, City staff will work diligently to produce an acceptable informative work product. The Agenda Office is aware of this request and will include the postponement as a part of changes and corrections. As is standard, the Mayor reads the information into the record on February 15th and then Council votes on the postponement.

City staff remain available to answer questions or address concerns. Please direct inquiries to me at (512) 974-6722.

cc: Elaine Hart, Interim City Manager
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