RESOLUTION NO. 20110825-070

WHEREAS, Barton Springs Pool is a jewel of Austin and;

WHEREAS, the Austin City Council directed the City Manager to work with the Friends of Barton Springs Pool and other community groups to write a Barton Springs Pool Master Plan on October 19, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Austin City Council approved and funded a slate of short-term improvements and deferred maintenance projects from the Barton Springs Pool Master Plan on September 10, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Austin City Council passed resolution number 20090115-028 adopting the Barton Springs Pool Master Plan January 15, 2009; and

WHEREAS, projects included in the master plan have been initiated and are critical to keeping the pool functioning as a resource to human and aquatic life and;

WHEREAS, bond elections can serve as opportunities for citizens to support needed capital improvement projects that benefit the community and;
WHEREAS, the Friends of Barton Springs Pool and other community groups have provided design expertise and raised funds for implementing portions of the Barton Springs Pool Master Plan, NOW THEREFORE;

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

That the City Council affirms its support for the Barton Springs Pool Master Plan and the value of community input during its implementation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

The City Manager is directed to ensure those projects that are currently in progress are completed in an expeditious manner.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

The City Manager is directed to continue to take input from the public, Friends of Barton Springs Pool and other community groups to complete elements of the Barton Springs Pool Master Plan.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

The City Manager is directed to consider including the Plan for additional funding in future bond elections.

ADOPTED: August 25, 2011

ATTEST: Shirley A. Gentry
City Clerk