Thursday, March 25, 2010

Parks and Recreation RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 29

Subject: Approve an ordinance amending the Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Parks and Recreation Department Capital Budget of Ordinance No. 20090914-003 to appropriate \$1,500,000 for improvements to Morris Williams Golf Course.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding is available from parkland mitigation funds. Related to Items #2 & 69.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is attached.

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This action appropriates \$1,500,000 for improvements to Morris Williams Golf Course.

Austin Energy is proposing to construct a new electric substation on a portion of the Morris Williams Golf Course. The new substation is needed to deliver reliable electric service to meet a growing demand. Use of the parkland is subject to Council approval in accordance with Chapter 26 of the Texas Parks and Wildlife code.