

## RESOLUTION NO.

**WHEREAS**, the population of people experiencing homelessness has risen in the areas outside the downtown area with an increase in the number of individuals who prey on those vulnerable populations; and

**WHEREAS**, this increase has exacerbated an already difficult public safety and public health challenge facing those experiencing homelessness and residents of local neighborhoods; and

**WHEREAS**, the City's public safety professionals have identified the need for additional tools to address these public safety and public health challenges;  
**NOW, THEREFORE**,

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

The City Council directs the City Manager to negotiate and execute an Interlocal Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation (TXDoT) to initiate a pilot program permitting the City of Austin to address public health and safety issues on certain TXDoT property. The pilot program will be in effect for TXDoT owned right of way and properties under and near the US 290/SH 71 overpass spanning Manchaca Road. and Packsaddle Pass.

**ADOPTED:** \_\_\_\_\_, 2017

**ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_

Jannette S. Goodall  
City Clerk