

## AGENDA

**Recommendation for Council Action****AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL****Regular Meeting: September 20, 2018**Item Number: **014**

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**Law**

Authorize negotiation and execution of legal services agreements with the law firms of Allison, Bass, and McGhee, LLP, and Foley Gardere, in an aggregate total amount not to exceed \$1,800,000, related to the acquisition of property and easements for Austin Energy capital projects.

<b>Lead Department</b>	Law Department.
<b>Fiscal Note</b>	Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Capital Budget of Austin Energy. A fiscal note is attached.
<b>For More Information</b>	Angela Rodriguez, Assistant City Attorney (512) 974-2268.

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**Additional Backup Information:**

These contracts are related to the acquisition of property and easements, by purchase or eminent domain proceedings, necessary for ten separate Austin Energy capital projects to expand and improve its transmission system.