Direction:

Because the area where this administrative building will be located is considered a child care desert, and because the City of Austin Human Resources Department is “concerned for the health and welfare of its employees and is committed to providing cost-effective benefits” which includes child care, staff shall work with the landlord to determine the feasibility of including a child care center on site. If cost appears to be the main obstacle, staff will seek council’s direction on how to proceed. An on-site child care center would benefit both the city employees at this facility and at the new Municipal Court which will be located close by.