



Recommendation for Action

File #: 21-3187, **Agenda Item #:** 35.

10/14/2021

Posting Language

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the legal services agreement with Blair Leake and Wright and Greenhill, PC for representation related to Jason Gallagher v. City of Austin et al, Cause No. 1:20-cv-00901-RP in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas in an amount of \$131,000 for a total contract not to exceed \$161,000.

Lead Department

Law Department.

Fiscal Note

Funding is available in Fiscal Year 2022 liability reserve.

For More Information:

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Additional Backup Information:

This relates to a civil rights lawsuit stemming from the May 2020 protests where officers have been added as a party to ongoing litigation.

Strategic Outcome(s):

Government that Works for All.