



## Recommendation for Action

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**File #:** 21-3646, **Agenda Item #:** 32.

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### **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 Meredith Drake v. City of Austin et al, Cause No. 1:20-cv -0956-RP in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas in an amount of \$100,000 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$161,000.

### **Lead Department**

Law Department.

### **Fiscal Note**

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2022 liability reserve.

### **For More Information:**

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### **Additional Backup Information:**

This is related to a civil rights lawsuit involving the Austin Police Department and the May 2020 protests.

### **Strategic Outcome(s):**

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