

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

DEPARTMENT: Capital Improvement Department
AGENDA DATE: July 26, 2016
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DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

SUBJECT:

That the City Manager be authorized to sign Supplemental Agreements to the May 25, 2011 Multiple Use Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation for construction, maintenance, and operation of passenger shelters for its Mass Transit System, a/k/a Enhancement of Bus Pads, throughout the City of El Paso, which will allow for additional locations which are needed for passenger shelters for the City Mass Transit System without further authorization from the City Council in a format approved by the City Attorney's Office.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) requires a Multiple Use Agreement (MUA) whenever bus stop enhancements for the BRIO or the regular fixed route system are constructed on TxDOT right of way. The MUA grants the City of El Paso permission to construct, maintain, and operate public passenger shelters on TxDOT right of way.

The original MUA for Bus Stop Enhancements was signed on May 25, 2011. Supplemental agreements are needed whenever additional locations for passenger shelters are added to the City Mass Transit System. This resolution allows all supplemental agreements to the original MUA to be signed by the City Manager.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

April 26, 2011 – Council approved Multiple Use Agreement – City of El Paso Sun Metro Enhancements for Passenger Bus Shelters

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

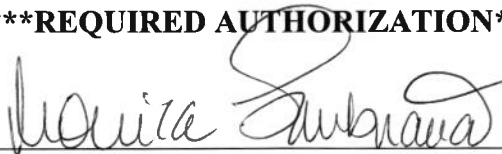
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BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:

N/A

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

DEPARTMENT HEAD:



RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, there are existing City of El Paso ("City") bus stops and bus shelters along roadways and rights of way within the control of the Texas Department of Transportation ("TxDOT");

WHEREAS, the City desires to install new bus shelters and bus pads at various bus stops located along and within the rights-of way under the control of TxDOT;

WHEREAS, on April 26, 2011, the City Council authorized the City Manager to sign a Multiple Use Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation, for the purpose of allowing the City access to TxDOT roadways and rights-of way for installation of new City bus shelters located along and within TxDOT rights-of way and this Multiple Use Agreement was approved by TxDOT on behalf of the State of Texas on May 25, 2011 ("May 25, 2011 Multiple Use Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, TxDOT has approved supplements to the May 25, 2011 Multiple Use Agreement to allow for the enhancement of bus pads located along and within TxDOT rights-of-way.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

That the City Manager be authorized to sign Supplemental Agreements to the May 25, 2011 Multiple Use Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation for construction, maintenance, and operation of passenger shelters for its Mass Transit System, a/k/a Enhancement of Bus Pads, throughout the City of El Paso, which will allow for additional locations which are needed for passenger shelters for the City Mass Transit System without further authorization from the City Council in a format approved by the City Attorney's Office, and

That any Supplemental Agreements to the May 25, 2011 Multiple Use Agreement previously signed on behalf of the City of E Paso, are hereby ratified.

APPROVED this ____ day of _____, 2016.


CITY OF EL PASO:

Oscar Leoser
Mayor

ATTEST:

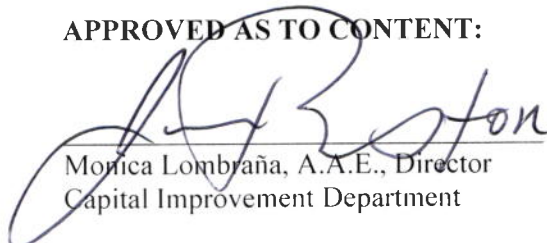
Richarda Duffy Momsen
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Theresa Cullen
Deputy City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



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Capital Improvement Department