



# City of Austin

## Recommendation for Action

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**File #:** 25-0249, **Agenda Item #:** 20.

3/6/2025

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### **Posting Language**

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the legal services agreement with Valkenaar PLLC for representation in Cathy Cocco et al. v. City of Austin City Council, Cause No. D-1-GN-24-005425 in the 126th District Court of Travis County, Texas in the amount of \$150,000 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$224,000. Funding: \$150,000 is available in the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Law Department Budget.

### **Lead Department**

Law Department.

### **Fiscal Note**

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Law Department Budget.

### **For More Information:**

For More Information: Sara Schaefer, Acting Division Chief, 512-974-1536 and Sean Creegan, Assistant City Attorney, 512-974-6461.

### **Additional Backup Information:**

This contract is related to the challenge to a portion of the 2024 tax rate related to Austin Transit Partnership.