

City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 25-0741, Agenda Item #: 10.

5/22/2025

Posting Language

Approve a resolution nominating Clinical Pathology Laboratories, Inc., located at 9200 Wall Street, Austin, TX 78754, for designation by the Governor's Office of Economic Development and Tourism as a single Texas Enterprise Project in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 2303. Funding: This has no fiscal impact.

Lead Department

Economic Development.

Prior Council Action:

October 18, 2007 - Council approved Ordinance No 20071018-008 electing to participate in the Texas Enterprise Zone Program.

November 4, 2010 - Council approved Ordinance No. 20101104-046 amending its program identifying additional local incentives for the Texas Enterprise Zone Program.

November 14, 2019 - Council approved Ordinance No. 20191114-068 amending its program identifying additional local incentives for the Texas Enterprise Zone Program.

August 29, 2024- Council approved Ordinance No. 20240829-154 amending its program identifying updated local incentives for the Texas Enterprise Zone Program.

November 7, 2024- Council approved Ordinance No. 20241107-041 amending the program to update local incentives for the Texas Enterprise Zone Program.

For More Information:

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Additional Backup Information:

Clinical Pathology Laboratories, Inc. (CPL) is a full-service laboratory led by a team of pathologists with over 7,000 staff members worldwide that develop and support clinical and anatomical pathology services. In Austin, CPL employs over 950 people. The qualified business site is located at 9200 Wall Street.

Over the next five years, CPL anticipates job retention and investment. As a result of this project, CPL plans to invest over \$5 million to upgrade its facility with more efficient and impactful machinery and equipment. CPL expects to retain 490 existing full-time jobs for benefit and create ten new full-time jobs under the Enterprise Zone Program. The Enterprise Zone designation would not include any additional incentive from the City. Although the City is required to nominate a company, the state is ultimately responsible for the designation. If designated by the state, CPL will be eligible for a refund of state sales and use taxes.

This item requests the Council's support of a Texas Enterprise Zone Single Designation. CPL seeks to submit its Texas Enterprise Zone Application to the Office of the Texas Governor for the June 2, 2025, application

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