



AGENDA MEMORANDUM

Future Item for the City Council Meeting of June 10, 2014

Action Item for the City Council Meeting of June 17, 2014

DATE: May 23, 2014
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Texas General Land Office Beach Cleaning and Maintenance Assistance Program

CAPTION:

Resolution authorizing the City Manager or designee to execute all documents necessary to request continued financial assistance for beach cleaning and maintenance on North Padre Island and Mustang Island during FY 2014-2015 under the Texas General Land Office's Beach Cleaning and Maintenance Assistance Program.

PURPOSE:

The Beach Cleaning and Maintenance Assistance Program provides reimbursement for some portion of the City of Corpus Christi's beach maintenance expenditures.

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS: The Texas General Land Office (TGLO) Beach Cleaning and Maintenance Assistance Program uses a funding formula to reimburse cities and counties so the reimbursement amount varies from year to year. Currently, the principal portion of the beach maintenance appropriations is distributed among the twelve communities that contain public beaches within their jurisdiction and have made application for funding. For FY12 and FY13, the City received \$62,757.75 and \$67,737.35 respectively. FY14 funds have yet to be distributed but are estimated to be less than FY12 and FY13.

ALTERNATIVES: Do not apply for beach maintenance funding.

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS: Cities which qualify for eligibility under the Natural Resources Code, may receive up to, but no greater than two-thirds reimbursement for eligible expenses incurred in cleaning and maintaining the beaches; however, actual state appropriations have always limited this reimbursement to the range of 10 to 20 percent of actual local costs.

CONFORMITY TO CITY POLICY: The City Council must pass a resolution to apply for the Texas General Land Office program.

EMERGENCY / NON-EMERGENCY: Non-Emergency

DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:

Legal, Finance

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Operating X Revenue Capital Not applicable

Fiscal Year: 2013-2014	Project to Date Expenditures (CIP only)	Current Year	Future Years	TOTALS
Line Item Budget	n/a		0	0
Encumbered / Expended Amount	n/a		0	0
This item	n/a	\$40,000	0	\$40,000
BALANCE	n/a	\$40,000	0	\$40,000

FUND(S): General Fund 1020

Comments: The revenue from this reimbursement program has been submitted in the FY15 proposed General Fund budget.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends the City Council approve this resolution.

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

Resolution