## Resolution authorizing an Interlocal Agreement with the Coastal Bend Bays and Estuaries Program effective September 1, 2021.

WHEREAS, the Corpus Christi Bay National Estuary Program ("CCNEP") was established in 1993 to develop a comprehensive plan to restore and protect the bays and estuaries in the Coastal Bend Area;

WHEREAS, the CCNEP has evolved over time and is now known as the Coastal Bend Bays and Estuaries Program ("CBBEP") and this organization administers the Costal Bend Bays Plan which seeks to ensure that the Coastal Bend bays and estuaries remain a vibrant part of the region's environmental and economic landscape through research, restoration and recreation projects;

**WHEREAS**, the City has participated in an Interlocal Agreement with other municipalities, counties and governmental entities in the Coastal Bend area for the last twenty (20) years, but the term of this Interlocal Agreement expired in 2021;

**WHEREAS**, the CBBEP has presented the City with a new Interlocal Agreement, effective September 1, 2021, with an annual term that will automatically renew each year for a period of twenty (20) years unless the City provides notice to the CBBEP Board of its intent to withdraw from the Agreement.

## BE IS RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS THAT:

**SECTION 1.** The City Council hereby approves the Interlocal Agreement for the Coastal Bend Bays and Estuaries Program effective September 1, 2021, and authorizes the City Manager, or his designee to execute any and all documents necessary to implement the City's participation in the CBBEP Interlocal Agreement.

**SECTION 2.** This resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage by the City Council.

PASSED AND APPRI	OVED on the	day of _	, 2022:
Paulette Guajardo			
Roland Barrera			
Gil Hernandez			
Michael Hunter			
Billy Lerma			
John Martinez			
Ben Molina			
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ATTEST:	CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI
Rebecca Huerta City Secretary	 Paulette Guajardo Mayor