

#### AGENDA MEMORANDUM

City Council Meeting of September 19, 2017

**DATE:** August 21, 2016

**TO**: Margie C. Rose, City Manager

**FROM**: Tom Schmid, President and CEO of Texas State Aquarium

Texas State Aquarium Update

## **STAFF PRESENTER(S):**

Name <u>Title/Position</u> <u>Department</u>

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# **OUTSIDE PRESENTER(S):**

NameTitle/PositionOrganization1. Tom SchmidPresident & CEOTexas State Aquarium

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### **BACKGROUND:**

With the opening of the new Caribbean Journey at the Texas State Aquarium, the city has experienced a strong summer tourism season. The briefing will cover information regarding Aquarium attendance, visitor origin, and preliminary information from recent research that the CVB has commissioned regarding tourism drivers in the city. It will also cover how HOT funding has been utilized this year, and plans for 2018.

### **LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:**

Presentation - Corpus Christi CVB Tourism Brand Health Study