Resolution authorizing the City Manager or designee to execute an Interlocal Agreement with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service in an amount not to exceed \$2,400 for the implementation of a soil testing program.

**WHEREAS,** Texas A & M AgriLife Extension Service and the City of Corpus Christi ("City") are authorized by Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code to enter into an interlocal cooperation contract;

**WHEREAS**, Section 791.035 of the Texas Government Code states that a local government and an institution of higher education or university system may contract with one another to perform any governmental functions and services;

**WHEREAS,** Section 791.035 provides that if the terms of the contract provide for payment based on cost recovery, any law otherwise requiring competitive procurement does not apply to the functions and services covered by the contract;

**WHEREAS**, in 2012, the City received its Texas Pollution Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit No. TXG870011 from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality with respect to the discharge of biological and or chemical pesticides that leave a residue to water when such applications are made into or over, including near waters of the United States (U.S.) under the terms and conditions imposed by the Pesticide General Permit TXG870000

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with its PGP Permit, the City developed a Pesticide Discharge Management Plan (the "PDMP");

**WHEREAS**, the City seeks a program element to promote and publicize the proper use, application, and disposal of household chemicals including, pesticides, herbicides, and fertilizes by public, commercial, and private applicators and distributors;

**WHEREAS**, the City will coordinate with the Texas AgriLife Extension Center to sponsor free soil testing for City of Corpus Christi residents;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS:

**Section 1.** That the City Manager or designee is authorized to execute an Interlocal Agreement with Texas A & M Agrilife Extension Service for a soil testing program. A copy of the interlocal agreement is on file with the City Secretary's Office.

This Resolution shall be and become effective immediately upon and after its adoption and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the day of	
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## ATTEST:

## CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

Rebecca Huerta City Secretary Joe McComb Mayor

Corpus Christi, Texas

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The above resolution was passed by the following vote:

Joe McComb	
Rudy Garza	
Paulette Guajardo	
Michael Hunter	
Debbie Lindsey-Opel	
Ben Molina	
Lucy Rubio	
Greg Smith	
Carolyn Vaughn	