Resolution authorizing an Interlocal Agreement with Texas A & M Agrilife Extension Service for 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 2009, the City received its Texas Pollution Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit No. WQ0004200000 from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality with respect to the discharge from the City's Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (the "MS4 Permit");

WHEREAS, the City is in the process of renewing its MS4 Permit;

WHEREAS, in accordance with its MS4 Permit, and in connection with the City's management of the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System, the City developed a Storm Water Management Program (the "SWMP");

WHEREAS, in accordance with the SWMP, the City developed the Storm Water Education and Outreach Plan, a public education program to promote and publicize the proper use, application, and disposal of pesticides, herbicides, and fertilizers by public, commercial, and private applicators and distributors; and

WHEREAS, the City's Storm Water Public Education and Outreach Plan provides that the City coordinate with the Texas A & M AgriLife Extension Service to sponsor 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,	
ATTEST:	CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI
Rebecca Huerta City Secretary	Mayor
Corpus Christi, Texas	
of,	
The above resolution was passed by the	e following vote:
Joe McComb	
Roland Barrera	
Rudy Garza	
Paulette M. Guajardo	
Gil Hernandez	
Michael Hunter	
Ben Molina	
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Greg Smith	