



AGENDA MEMORANDUM

Action Item for the City Council Meeting May 19, 2020

DATE: May 19, 2020

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Renewal of Agreement with the United Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce to support the South Texas Military Task Force

CAPTION: Motion authorizing the renewal of an agreement between the City of Corpus Christi and the United Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce to support the operations and activities of the South Texas Military Task Force during the remainder of Fiscal Year 2020 with the City contributing funds in an amount of \$75,000.

SUMMARY:

The City of Corpus Christi contributes \$75,000 per year to the United Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce (Chamber) for the operations, activities and tasks of the South Texas Military Task Force (STMTF) to protect the Military missions based in Corpus Christi.

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

The City of Corpus Christi contributes \$75,000 per year to the Chamber for the operations and activities of the STMTF. The STMTF is a committee of the Chamber whose purpose is to advocate for and protect the military missions based in Corpus Christi including:

Naval Air Station Corpus Christi (NASCC)
Corpus Christi Army Depot
Chief of Naval Air Training
Tenant commands at NASCC
U.S. Coast Guard Sector at the Corpus Christi International Airport.

The City and the Task Force adopted a formal Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in 2018 to establish expectations and responsibilities for the Task Force. This MOU has been updated to reflect the current needs of the City and our Military partners.

The STMTF has many operational responsibilities to include the development of the business location and commercial activity and undertake robust advocacy activities to

expand local military bases and activities. In addition to basic operational responsibilities, the MOU requires the Task Force to provide semi-annual reports to the City detailing STMTF activities, achievements and an updated financial report for the Task Force.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Amend the agreement.
2. Do not approve the agreement

FISCAL IMPACT: This membership was included in the FY2020 Intergovernmental Relations budget for Memberships, licenses, and dues.

Funding Detail:

Fund: General Fund 1020

Organization/Activity: 10250

Mission Element: 291

Project # **(CIP Only):**

Account: 530250 Memberships, licenses & dues

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the motion

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

STMTF Funding Agreement FY 20 5 8 2020

STMTF Semi Annual reports July 19 January 2020