

# City of San Antonio

# Agenda Memorandum

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In Control: Alamo Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting

**DEPARTMENT:** Office of Historic Preservation

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**COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED:** District 1

## **SUBJECT:**

Committee updates on Alamo Plan items

### **SUMMARY:**

Updates on the following Alamo Plan items:

- Alamo Plaza Archaeology Advisory Group and HRB Protocol
- Museum Planning Committee
- Design and construction

Exhibition Hall and Collections Building

Phase 1

Mission Gate and Lunette

Cenotaph investigation

Education center

Visitor center and museum

Alamo Plaza

Plaza de Valero and Alamo Promenade

#### • THC and HDRC coordination

#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The Alamo Citizens Advisory Committee provides citizen input in an advisory capacity to the Alamo Plan Management Committee on the development of the Alamo Plan to ensure it is in keeping with the Vision and Guiding Principles developed in 2014. The Alamo Trust, Inc. manages the design and construction of the Alamo Plan in coordination with the Management Committee. This briefing will provide updates from City staff and the Alamo Trust, Inc. on the following items:

Alamo Plaza Archaeology Advisory Group and HRB Protocol: The amended and restated lease agreement between the City and GLO states that the City will establish an Archeology Advisory Committee that will aid in the development of a Plan of Action and offer insight and guidance should features be encountered during the archeological investigations. The group includes representatives from local descendant groups and the Alamo Mission Archaeology Advisory Committee. The Alamo Plaza Archaeology Advisory Group met in April 2022 and received a briefing on the Alamo Plaza archival investigation. They spent several weeks reviewing the HRB protocol to be used on City projects. A City Archaeologist will provide an update on the protocol.

The Museum Planning Committee continues to meet and discuss plans for the visitor center and museum. They are forming subcommittees to review specific galleries.

Alamo Plan design and construction: Ongoing construction projects include Phase 1 and the Exhibition Hall and Collections Building. Upcoming projects include the Mission Gate and Lunette, Cenotaph investigation, education center, visitor center and museum, Alamo Plaza, and Plaza de Valero and Alamo Promenade.

THC and HDRC coordination: The Alamo Plan project team continues to provide updates to the Texas Historical Commission at their quarterly meetings and request permits as necessary. They are coordinating with the Historic and Design Review Commission for review and permitting of projects on City property.

## **ISSUE:**

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#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

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#### **ALTERNATIVES:**

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# **RECOMMENDATION:**

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