

City of San Antonio

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SUBJECT:

Professional Service Agreement between CENTRO San Antonio and the City of San Antonio to provide additional police patrol within the Downtown Public Improvement District.

SUMMARY:

This ordinance authorizes the execution and approval of a Professional Service Agreement (PSA) between CENTRO San Antonio (CENTRO) and the City of San Antonio to provide additional police patrol within the Downtown Public Improvement District (PID) for a six-month period beginning December 1, 2022 through May 31, 2023, with the option to extend for three additional six-month terms. With this agreement, CENTRO will reimburse the City up to a total of \$76,500.00 for a six-month term for overtime incurred by the San Antonio Police Department.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Since 2016, the City has contracted with CENTRO, a non-profit corporation, to manage services within the Downtown PID. CENTRO provides supplemental core services for the downtown experience. Public safety and security were one of the supplemental core services CENTRO proposed to the City in September 2016.

CENTRO funds overtime for two SAPD Bike Patrol officers who work additional hours each morning, seven days a week in the Downtown PID. SAPD coordinates with CENTRO in determining where, within the Downtown PID, officers will be assigned during a shift. The decision where to assign the officers rests solely with SAPD.

ISSUE:

This ordinance extends the existing contract between CENTRO and SAPD for Bike Patrol services. The funding provides additional hours each morning through overtime in certain areas within the PID. This agreement between the City of San Antonio and CENTRO San Antonio will supplement the cost of overtime pay for two San Antonio Police Bike Patrol Officers.

ALTERNATIVES:

This agreement provides the opportunity to enhance bike patrol services within the PID.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost associated with this agreement will be paid by CENTRO.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the approval and full execution of this agreement to continue providing increased SAPD bike patrol services in the Downtown Public Improvement District.