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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
- Museum Planning Committee
- Design and construction
 - Phase 1
 - Exhibition Hall and Collections Building
 - Mission Gate and Lunette
 - Cenotaph investigation
 - Education center
 - Visitor center and museum
 - Alamo Plaza
 - Plaza de Valero and Alamo Promenade

- THC and HDRC coordination
- 2023 Fiesta Parades

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: The group has been updated on archaeological investigations in Alamo Plaza and was invited to observe the work.

The Museum Planning Committee continues to meet and discuss plans for the visitor center and museum.

Alamo Plan design and construction: Phase 1 and the Exhibition Hall and Collections Building are nearing completion. Archaeological investigations and pre construction activity related to the Mission Gate and Lunette are underway. Upcoming projects include the 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. The THC Executive Committee reviewed an amendment request for the antiquities permit related to Mission Gate and Lunette archaeology on January 18. The full Commission will review a buildings and structures permit request for the Mission Gate and Lunette on February 1. The San Antonio Historic and Design Review Commission will review the final design of Alamo Plaza in the spring.

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RECOMMENDATION:

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