



Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** Request for approval of an escrow agreement with Cadence Bank for the Texas Water Development Board grant for the Poor Farm Ditch Channel Conveyance Improvements Project on HCFCD Unit No. D111-00-00 for the deposit of funds for the payment of sums due by the Flood Control District. (Brays Bayou Watershed, Bond ID C-12, Project ID D111-00-00-C002, Agreement No. 2024-12, Precinct 1).

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:**

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:**

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2/27/2024	1	Commissioners Court		

**Department:** Flood Control District

**Department Head/Elected Official:** Tina Petersen, Ph.D., P.E., Executive Director

**Regular or Supplemental RCA:** Regular RCA

**Type of Request:** Contract - Award

**Project ID (if applicable):** D111-00-00-C002

**Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable):** Cadence Bank

**MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable):** N/A

**MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable):** N/A

**Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal:** N/A - Goal not applicable to request

**Request Summary (Agenda Caption):**

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**Background and Discussion:**

It is recommended that the Escrow Agreement be approved to allow the Flood Control District to accept funds from House Bill 1 to the Flood Control District to provide funding for construction of the Poor Farm Ditch Conveyance Improvements (D111-00-00-C002).

**Expected Impact:**

Establishing this escrow account will allow the Flood Control District access to TWDB awarded grant funds.

**Alternative Options:**

There are no other options in order to secure these TWDB grant funds. Not approving would prohibit our ability to utilize these grant funds.

**Alignment with Goal(s):**

- Justice and Safety
- Economic Opportunity
- Housing
- Public Health
- Transportation
- Flooding
- Environment
- Governance and Customer Service

**Prior Court Action (if any):**

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**Location:** Poor Farm Ditch is a tributary to Brays Bayou (D100-00-00) with a project reach of approximately 3,100 linear feet and is situated between the cities of West University Place on the east side of the channel and Southside Place on the west side of the channel between University Boulevard and Bellaire Boulevard.

Address (if applicable):

Precinct(s): Precinct 1

Fiscal and Personnel Summary				
Service Name	N/A			
	Current Fiscal Year Cost			Annual Fiscal Cost
	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Recurring Expenses
<b>Funding Sources</b>				
<b>Existing Budget</b>				
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Additional Budget Request (Requires Fiscal Review Request Form)</b>				
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Additional Budget Request	\$	\$	\$	\$

<b>Total Funding Request</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Personnel</b> (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-	-
Additional Positions Request	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Personnel</b>	-	-	-	-

**Anticipated Court Date: February 27, 2024**

**Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date):**

**Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note:** Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

**Contact(s) name, title, department:** Yesenia Martinez, Commissioners Court Coordinator, Flood Control District

**Attachments** (if applicable): Agreement