

# Harris County, Texas

## **Legislation Text**

File #: 22-4735, Version: 1

**Department:** Commissioner, Precinct 1

Department Head/Elected Official: Commissioner Rodney Ellis

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Supplemental RCA

Type of Request: Resolution

Project ID (if applicable): N/A

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): N/A

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):

Request by the Commissioner of Precinct 1 for approval of a resolution in support of the passage of the Respect for Marriage Act.

### **Background and Discussion:**

The Respect for Marriage Act <u>passed the House of Representatives</u>
<a href="https://www.npr.org/2022/07/19/1112213293/house-vote-same-sex-marriage">https://www.npr.org/2022/07/19/1112213293/house-vote-same-sex-marriage</a> in July 2022 by a vote of 267 to 157. The Act declares that marriages performed in one state must be recognized in all states, without respect to "sex, race, ethnicity, or national origin," and codifies same-sex marriages for the purpose of benefits under federal law.

**Expected Impact:** N/A

Alternative Options: N/A

#### Alignment with Goal(s):

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

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Prior Court Action (if any): N/A

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken

**Location:** N/A

Address (if applicable): N/A Precinct(s): Countywide

Fiscal and Personnel Summary			
Service Name			
•	SFY 22	FY 23	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures (do <mark>NOT</mark> w	rite values in th	nousands or millions	5)
Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Non-Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Total Incremental Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Funding Sources (do NOT write value	s in thousands	or millions)	-
Existing Budget			
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget	\$	\$	\$
Additional Budget Requested			
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Total Additional Budget Requested	\$	\$	\$
Total Funding Sources	\$	\$	\$
<b>Personnel</b> (Fill out section only if reques	ting new PCNs)		
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-
Additional Positions Requested	-	-	-
Total Personnel	-	-	-

Anticipated Court Date: August 2, 2022

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: Sophie Elsner, Policy Director, Commissioner Precinct One

Attachments (if applicable): Resolution