

## Harris County, Texas

## **Legislation Text**

File #: 23-0210, Version: 1

**Department:** County Attorney

**Department Head/Elected Official:** Christian D. Menefee

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA

Type of Request: Executive Session

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 County Attorney for an Executive Session pursuant to §551.071, Government Code, for an Agreement between Harris County and Viada & Strayer as Special Counsel Services in connection with Demetria Brooks, Individually and as Sister and Personal Representative of the Estate of Roderick Brooks deceased, et al v. Harris County Sheriff's Office, et al.; Civil Action No. 4:22-cv-0322, In the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Houston Division.

Background and Discussion: N/A

**Expected Impact:** N/A

Alternative Options: N/A

Alignment with Goal(s): N/A

- \_ Justice and Safety
- \_ Economic Opportunity
- \_ Housing
- \_ Public Health
- \_ Transportation
- Flooding

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 $\_$  Environment

\_ Governance and Customer Service

Prior Court Action (if any): N/A

| Date | Agenda Item # | Action Taken |  |
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Location: N/A

Address (if applicable): Precinct(s): Choose an item.

| Fiscal and Personnel Summary                      |                  |                      |            |
|---|------------------|----------------------|------------|
| Service Name                                      |                  |                      |            |
| -   | FY 23            | FY 24                | Next 3 FYs |
| ncremental Expenditures (do NOT w                 | rite values in t | housands 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: N/A

Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date): N/A

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

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Attachments (if applicable): Special Counsel Agreement & Order