

## **BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST**

**1. Title:** Approve a Cooperative Agreement Amendment with the Civic Center Conservancy (XC6A055-1).

**2. Requesting Agency:** Parks and Recreation

**3. Contact Person with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance**

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**5. Describe the proposed ordinance, including what the proposed ordinance is intended to accomplish, who's involved**

**a. Scope of Work**

DPR has been nurturing the Civic Center Conservancy since its first Cooperative Agreement in 2006. Their overwhelming successes of the past 4 years has proven to DPR that the relationship is beneficial to the City and to Civic Center Park. The cooperative agreement's amendments are a natural next step in furthering the mission and the conservancy's ability to thrive. Proving the success of the farmers markets and now Civic Center Eats café, gathering information through surveys and National best practices, as well as adhering to the recommendations in the parks' design guidelines and master plan, DPR now believe the park is ready for more formal vending practices and additional maintenance capacity.

This cooperative agreement amendment provides to the Conservancy the ability to contract and manage vending in Civic Center Park in areas designated by DPR and within guidelines established by DPR; and authorizes the Conservancy to contract the "purple people" crews for additional maintenance.

**b. Duration**

20 years

**c. Location**

Civic Center Park

**d. Affected Council District**

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**e. Benefits**

Allows for streamlined vendor process and will improve maintenance and customer service in the park.

**f. Costs**

N/A

**6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain.**

No.

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