



## COMMISSIONERS COURT COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE: 03/07/2023

**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE TO INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN TARRANT COUNTY AND THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE COURTESY PATROL PROGRAM**

**\*\*\* CONSENT AGENDA \*\*\***

**COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED**

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve Amendment Number 1 to the Interlocal Agreement (ILA) between Tarrant County and the Texas Department of Transportation (TXDoT) for the Courtesy Patrol Program managed by Tarrant County.

**BACKGROUND**

The Courtesy Patrol Program, through the Tarrant County Sheriff's Office, provides a valuable service to the motorists of Tarrant County by clearing roadways of debris and inoperable vehicles, assisting stalled and stranded motorists, and assisting law enforcement with traffic control when deemed necessary or as requested by law enforcement.

On December 12, 2006, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #99634, approved the original ILA with the TXDoT for the transfer of management and daily operations of the Courtesy Patrol from TXDoT to Tarrant County.

On September 20, 2022, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #139202, approved the current ILA for the term of August 31, 2024.

If approved, Amendment Number 1 will extend the current Courtesy Patrol ILA beyond the designated end date of August 31, 2024 to August 31, 2025.

The Tarrant County District Attorney's Office has reviewed Amendment Number 1 as to form.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

Amendment Number 1 to the current ILA will allow for the continuation of the Courtesy Patrol into Fiscal Year 2025 and will not exceed \$11,062,000.00 to cover the costs needed for the operation of the program.

SUBMITTED BY:	Sheriff Office	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	Jerry Rucker Jerry Rucker
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