

GENERAL Ordinance Fact Sheet

220056

Ordinance Number

Brief Title:

Authorizing the City Attorney to execute a Legal Services Agreement(s) with local counsel and lead national counsel for the provision of legal services in an amount not to initially exceed \$450,000.00; reducing the Contingent Appropriation by \$450,000.00 in the General Fund; appropriating \$450,000.00 to the Outside Legal Consulting account in the General Fund; waiving solicitation requirements; and recognizing this ordinance as having an accelerated effective date.

Approval Deadline: None

Reason:

Details

<p>Reason for Legislation:</p> <p>The City has a need for independent counsel to provide counsel regarding the impact of certain state legislation and its impact to the budget, mitigation of any identified legal risk assessed, including potential litigation.</p>
<p>Discussion <i>(including relationship to other Council actions)</i></p> <p><u>Is it good for the children?</u> Yes.</p> <p><u>How will this contribute to a sustainable Kansas City?</u> This item does not have an appreciable effect in terms of any sustainability initiatives of the City, though any underlying increase of burden on the general fund as a result of state legislation will shift opportunity costs that may impact sustainability initiatives.</p>

Positions / Recommendations

Sponsor(s): Mayor Quinton Lucas	
Programs, Departments, or Groups Affected Law	
Applicants/Proponents	<p>Applicant</p> <p>City Department</p> <p>Other</p>
Opponents	<p>Groups or Individuals</p> <p>None</p> <p>Basis of Opposition</p>
Staff Recommendation	<p>9 For</p> <p>9 Against</p> <p>Reasons Against:</p>
Board or Commission Recommendation	<p>9 For 9 Against</p> <p>9 No Action Taken</p> <p>9 For, with revisions or conditions</p>
Council Committee Action	<p>9 Do Pass</p> <p>9 Do Pass (as amended)</p> <p>9 Committee Substitute</p> <p>9 No Recommendation</p> <p>9 Hold</p> <p>9 Do Not Pass</p>

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Policy / Program Impact

Policy or Program Change	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
Operational Impact Assessment	

Finances

Cost and Revenue Projections	Cost of Legislation \$450,000.00 Increase/Decrease in Revenue Expected Annually No effect
Fund Sources	1000-179990-619960

Applicable Dates:

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Reference Numbers: