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**Re: UTRGV Interlocal Agreement Letter Project 22-0519-YZV**

1 message

**Robert Vina** <robert.vina@da.co.hidalgo.tx.us>

Wed, Nov 16, 2022 at 1:44 PM

To: Yolanda Velasquez <yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us>

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Good Afternoon Ms. Velasquez,  
This office reviewed the Interlocal Agreement (C-22-0519-11-29) between UTRGV and the County regarding the John Austin Pena facility and at this time approves as to the form of the ILA.

Please let us know if you have any questions.  
Respectfully,

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On Wed, Nov 16, 2022 at 11:26 AM Yolanda Velasquez <yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us> wrote:

Hello everyone,  
  
Please review as to form to proceed.

On Thu, Nov 3, 2022 at 10:16 AM Robert Vina <robert.vina@da.co.hidalgo.tx.us> wrote:

Good Morning Ms. Velasquez,  
This office reviewed the Interlocal Agreement between UTRG and the County regarding the John Austin Pena facility and at this time approves as to the form of the ILA subject to the recommended modifications included on the attached draft.

Please let us know if you have any questions.  
Respectfully,

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On Wed, Nov 2, 2022 at 10:13 AM Yolanda Velasquez <[yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us](mailto:yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us)> wrote:

Good morning everyone,

Please review as to form Interlocal Agreement (ICA-22-0519) for the John Austin Peña Clinic to proceed with forwarding to UTRGV .

On Tue, Nov 1, 2022 at 4:57 PM Robert Vina <[robert.vina@da.co.hidalgo.tx.us](mailto:robert.vina@da.co.hidalgo.tx.us)> wrote:

Good Afternoon Ms. Velasquez,  
Since the original agreement has expired, it is not possible to amend it or extend the expired term indicated therein. A new agreement would need to be executed to set a new term, even if it is for a short term. (from the expiration of the prior agreement to 12-31-22) It could have the same contract terms as the last agreement, with some necessary updates. Please note that even if the letter provided by UTRGV was sufficient, it would still have to be taken to Court for approval. Please let us know how we may be of further assistance in drafting said agreement.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

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On Tue, Nov 1, 2022 at 4:24 PM Yolanda Velasquez <[yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us](mailto:yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us)> wrote:

Good afternoon everyone,

Please be advised that we have received notice from UTRGV of availability of funds until December 31, 2022 for the Operation of the John Austin Peña Clinic.

Interlocal Agreement expired as of October 08, 2022. After several months of an attempt to renew a meeting was held today between UTRGV, Health & Human Services Department and Purchasing to discuss renewal. County (Health & Human Services Department) and UTRGV would like to proceed with the renewal until end of 2022.

Please review as to form the renewal letter (attached) to proceed with presenting on next Commissioners' Court meeting for continuation until December 31, 2022.

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