



CITY OF HOUSTON - CITY COUNCIL

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MYR - Legislative Principles - 88th Texas Legislature

Agenda Item#: 2.

Summary:

RECOMMENDATION from Director of Government Relations for adoption of the City of Houston Legislative Principles for the 88th Session of the Texas Legislature

Background:

The Administration recommends that the City Council adopt the City of Houston Legislative Principles for the 88th Session of the Texas Legislature. The Principles will serve as the guiding document to instruct the City of Houston Government Relations staff and lobby team in Austin. The City will only work on priority legislation that falls within the Principles.

The Principles document gives the City the necessary flexibility to work within the fast pace of the Texas Legislature while remaining within the approved priorities of the City of Houston. The City Council will receive regular updates and reports throughout the session from the Government Relations Office on action taken pursuant to the Principles.

The adoption of Legislative Principles prior to previous sessions has been very successful in focusing the legislative efforts of the City.

The Legislative Principles were presented to the City Council Committee on Budget and Fiscal Affairs on October 4, 2022.

FISCAL NOTE: There is no impact to the fiscal budget or no additional spending authority. Therefore, no Fiscal Note is required as stated in the Financial Policies.

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Bill Kelly

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| 88th Session Legislative Principles | Signed Cover sheet |