AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

MEETING DATE: 6/12/2023

PREPARED BY: Megan Mainer, Director of Parks & Recreation

AGENDA CONTENT: Discussion and possible action on a recommendation to fund FY22-23 ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan action items identified in Angleton parks.

AGENDA ITEM SECTION: Regular Agenda

BUDGETED AMOUNT: $0 **FUNDS REQUESTED:** $34,600

FUND: Parkland Dedication

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:
Under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the City of Angleton is required to complete a self-evaluation of its services, policies, practices and transition plan for its facilities to identify barriers to access and improve accessibility. The City of Angleton hired Kimley-Horn Associates to develop phase one of the City of Angleton's ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan which included parks, recreational facilities, and one mile of public right of way.

On September 13, 2022, City Council adopted phase one of the ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan prepared by Kimley-Horn Associates. The ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan was based on a five-year implementation plan. Staff developed an action plan which commenced in FY22-23 and requested funds to complete FY22-23 action items.

Staff did not receive $34,600 in funding for FY22-23 park action items. However, the parkland fund has a fund balance of $60,807.96. These funds are designed to be used for park improvements and are eligible to be used throughout Angleton's park system.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Parks & Recreation board discuss the benefits of the ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan and consider a recommendation to fund a FY22-23 ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan action items identified in Angleton Parks with parkland dedication funds.

SUGGESTED MOTION:
I move we recommend parkland dedication funds be used for FY22-23 ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan action items identified in Angleton parks.