

## AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

MEETING DATE:	06/14/2022
PREPARED BY:	Tenecha Williams, Interim Finance Director Discussion and possible action on a resolution re-appointing Randle Law
AGENDA CONTENT:	Office LTD., L.L.P. as City Attorney for the City of Angleton, Texas and providing for compensation and providing that said appointment shall continue for additional time thereafter unless other appointments shall be made by resolution, duly adopted by the City Council, which shall be in conflict herewith and providing for the powers, duties and authority of the said City Attorney.
AGENDA ITEM SECTION:	Consent Agenda

FUNDS REQUESTED: N/A

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## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

**BUDGETED AMOUNT:** 

Rate increase request from the City Attorney, Randle Law Office LTD, L.L.P.

N/A

Randle Law is requesting approval of a new 5-year rate guarantee to start October 1, 2022-October 1,2027 and consist of Non-Litigation Matters for all Attorneys at \$225/hour and all Paralegals billed at \$105/hour. All Litigation Matters will be charged for all Attorneys at \$265/hour and Paralegals at \$125/hour.

All non-litigation attorney fees will increase \$30/hour and paralegal fees will increase \$15/hour. All litigation attorney fees will increase \$40/hour and paralegal fees will increase \$30/hour. Please see attached contract.

The City and the City Attorney entered an agreement in 2017. The provision regarding rates and the 5-year guarantee on the rates expired 10/1/2018. The rates were for Non-Litigation Matters for All Attorneys at \$195/hour and all Paralegals at \$90/hour. All Litigation Matters are charged for All Attorneys at \$225/hour and all Paralegals at \$90/hour.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends Council approve the resolution.