



MEETING DATE: July 16, 2026

PRESENTED BY: Andy Garcia, Co-Interim City Manager

AGENDA ITEM: Consideration and possible action on Resolution No. _____ authorizing the City of Mission's participation in the Phase 2 National PFAS Public Water System Settlement Program (AFFF MDL No. 2873); authorizing the selection and retention of special legal counsel to evaluate eligibility and assist with claim preparation; authorizing the Co-Interim City Managers to execute all settlement forms, claims documentation, and legal retention agreements; and establishing an effective date. – A. Garcia

NATURE OF REQUEST:

The City of Mission, Texas, operates a public drinking water system providing essential utility services to residents and businesses within its jurisdiction

A Nationwide multi-district litigation has been established under Master Docket No. 2:18-MN-2873-RMG in the United States District Court for the District of South Carolina regarding chemical contamination stemming from Aqueous Film-Forming Foam (AFFF); and

Phase 2 National Settlement Program has been constructed involving major manufacturing defendants, to compensate public water providers for the costs of testing, monitoring, and remediating per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) in local water supplies.

The City Council of the City of Mission finds it in the best interest of the health, safety, and fiscal well-being of the community to actively participate in said settlement recovery program with appropriate legal representation

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

Departmental Approval: N/A

Advisory Board Recommendation: N/A

City Manager's Recommendation: Approval *JP7 / AG*

RECORD OF VOTE:

APPROVED: _____

DISAPPROVED: _____

TABLED: _____

_____ AYES

_____ NAYS

_____ DISSENTING _____