
CITY OF PORT LAVACA

DATE: 3.11.2022

AGENDA - G

PC MEETING: 3.15.2022

TO: PORT COMMISSION CC: J. RUDELLAT

FROM: JODY WEAVER, INTERIM CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: CDBG-MIT GRANT COASTAL RESILIENCY PROJECT / RESTORE GRANT

CDBG-MIT COASTAL RESILIENCY: We had a kick-off meeting with John Besterio, our GLO grant manager last Wednesday. In attendance from the City was myself, Susan Lang and Jim Rudellat. Our grant administrator and engineer were each in attendance as well.

At the Council meeting on March 14, Council will act on approving the professional services agreement with our grant administrator KSBR and on March 28 we should be ready for approval of the engineering agreement with Mott McDonald at a Special Council meeting. Once the engineering contract is executed, Mott McDonald will begin work to apply for the Army Corps of Engineers permit which is expected to take at least a year to secure, so we'll probably be in a hurry up and wait scenario for some time.

The project scope includes the construction of breakwaters/living shorelines and enhancing the shorelines by creating marsh habitats and oyster reefs-fish habitats. The project is proposed to extend from near the tip of Fisher Harbor up to near the Bayfront Peninsula and then from the north side of the peninsula up to near Scullys.

The total budget for the \$13,645,005 grant funds are as follows:

- Construction: \$11,648,175
- Engineering: \$1,109,350
- Environmental: \$100,000
- Administration: \$787,480

RESTORE: there is no new update.