



CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

FROM: The Office of the City Manager **DATE:** 05-14-2018

SUBJECT: Authorize the City Manager to execute a Memorandum of Agreement between North Richland Hills, the City of Dallas, the City of Arlington and the Texas Department of Public Safety for reimbursement of overtime salary costs associated with the North Texas Anti-Gang Center Task Force

PRESENTER: Jimmy Perdue

SUMMARY:

City Council is being asked to authorize the City Manager to execute a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between North Richland Hills (NRH), the City of Dallas (Dallas), the City of Arlington (Arlington) and the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) for reimbursement of overtime salary costs directly related to work performed by their officer(s) assigned to the North Texas Anti-Gang Center Task Force (TAG).

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The North Richland Hills Police Department, in cooperation with law enforcement agencies across the area, supports the TAG in its mission to reduce violent crime and related activities that are perpetrated by gangs. Local municipal and county agencies that have officer(s) assigned to TAG investigations are responsible for making payments of overtime to the officer(s) during the period of assignment to TAG. Subject to availability of funds and to the extent they are included in TAG's approved fiscal year budget, NRH, as the fiduciary agent for the grant funding the TAG, will reimburse Dallas, Arlington and DPS for overtime payments made to the officer(s) participating in the TAG, up to a maximum sum equivalent to 25 percent of the salary of a GS-12, Step 1-RUS Employee. The term of this MOA shall be effective September 1, 2017 and will remain in effect until August 31, 2018. NRH will be responsible only for obligations incurred by the agencies during the term of this MOA.

RECOMMENDATION:

To authorize the City Manager to execute a Memorandum of Agreement between North Richland Hills, the City of Dallas, the City of Arlington and the Texas Department of Public Safety for reimbursement of overtime salary costs associated with the North Texas Anti-Gang Center Task Force.