

FORT BEND COUNTY FY 2010
COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA REQUEST FORM
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Date Submitted: 11-03-09

Submitted By: V. Abschneider

Department: Animal Control

Court Agenda Date: 11-17-09

Phone Number: 281-342-1512

SUMMARY OF ITEM: Name Change for department/ Change from Fort Bend County Animal Control to Fort Bend County Animal Services

RENEWAL AGREEMENT/APPOINTMENT

YES

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NO

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REVIEWED BY COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE:

YES

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List Supporting Documents Attached: *Letter of explanation*

FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

BUDGETED ITEM:

YES

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NO

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FUNDNG SOURCE: Accounting Unit:

Account Number:

Activity (If Applicable): n/a

DESCRIPTION OF LAWSON ACCOUNT:

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RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

Special Handling Requested (specify):



ANIMAL CONTROL
FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

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11-04-09


Fort Bend County Animal Control is requesting that the court allow the department to change its name to **Fort Bend County Animal Services**. It is our belief that the name change will open public awareness to the various functions of the department.

As always, the department will continue to address public health and safety through bite management and rabies investigations and response to problems which arise with domestic animals and wildlife in routine and emergency situations.

The name change will help to raise awareness that the department also offers pet redemption and adoption, and will encourage citizens to contact Fort Bend County Animal Services as well as their local jurisdictions in the event that a family pet is missing.

Fort Bend County prides itself on working with communities to address the needs of individuals, and it is our hope that this name and focus change can be one small step in providing a safer and friendlier environment for the animal population.

Sincerely,



Vernon R. Abschneider
Director of Animal Control
Fort Bend County