

Item 3



Travis County Commissioners Court Agenda Request

Meeting Date: May 28, 2013

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County Executive: Leslie Browder, Planning and Budget, 854-9106

Sponsoring Court Members: County Judge Samuel T. Biscoe

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AGENDA LANGUAGE:

Approve resolution recognizing Leslie Capek Stricklan, AIA, on her retirement from the Facilities Management Department after sixteen years of service to Travis County and its residents.

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

Please see attached resolution.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Facilities Management Department recommends approval of the proposed resolution.

ISSUES AND OPPORTUNITIES:

N/A

FISCAL IMPACT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

ATTACHMENTS/EXHIBITS:

1. Proposed Resolution

REQUIRED AUTHORIZATIONS:

N/A

WHEREAS, service, dedication and leadership should always be recognized, and

WHEREAS, Leslie Capek Stricklan, AIA, has devoted the past sixteen years in service to the citizens of Travis County through her performance as a Senior Project Manager and Architect on the staff of the Facilities Management Department serving the facility needs of many County departments so they in turn can serve the citizens of Travis County, and

WHEREAS, she has steadfastly provided leadership, technical expertise and wise counsel on in excess of forty-four planning, design and construction projects, many of expansive scope, complex criteria and intricate organizational demands with a combination of creative vision and compassion, and

WHEREAS, she has demonstrated her commitment to service, dedication to her profession and courage of leadership through her willingness to assume these responsibilities, and

WHEREAS, her efforts have resulted in significant improvement to a number of important Travis County facilities including the Heman Marion Sweatt Travis County Courthouse, the Ned Granger Building among others, and in applying her extensive experience in architectural and urban planning, and

WHEREAS, her skills as an experienced architect and senior project manager resulted in successful on time delivery of significant new facilities to the County including the Gardner-Betts Juvenile Justice Center Expansion and the Ray Martinez Precinct Four Office Building, and

WHEREAS, she has each year been instrumental in providing professional expertise as co-project manager for the Central Campus Master Plan and other complex planning issues under consideration by the Commissioners Court, and

WHEREAS, she has contributed through all this work to making Facilities Management Department a strong and productive department with the highest professional standards, and

WHEREAS, Leslie has decided to retire from Travis County service,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Travis County Commissioners Court of the State of Texas gratefully recognizes the contributions of Leslie Capek Stricklan, AIA, to the citizens, officials and employees of Travis County and wish her happiness and continuing good health as she embarks on this next phase of her life.

SIGNED AND ENTERED THIS 28th DAY OF May, 2013.

**Samuel T. Biscoe
County Judge**

**Ron Davis
Commissioner, Precinct 1**

**Gerald Daugherty
Commissioner, Precinct 3**

**Sarah Eckhardt
Commissioner, Precinct 2**

**Margaret J. Gómez
Commissioner, Precinct 4**