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TO: Mayor and City Council
FROM: Councilman Manny Pelaez, District 8
COPIES TO: Sheryl Sculley, City Manager; Leticia Vacek, City Clerk; Andy Segovia, City Attorney; John Peterek, Assistant to the City Manager; Christopher Callanen, Assistant to City Council
SUBJECT: Bond Oversight Committee
DATE: June 27, 2017

Issue Proposed for Consideration

I ask for your support for the inclusion of the following item on the agenda of the earliest available meeting of the Governance Committee:

Discussion of the establishment of a City Bond Oversight Commission that oversees the completion of city bond projects.

Brief Background

With the successful passage of the 2017-2022 Bond program voters chose to invest \$850 million in our community, and in doing so placed expectations on City Council to ensure the successful completion of projects both on schedule and within budget.

While the City of San Antonio has taken strides to ensure transparency by creating a dashboard that showcases the progress, budgets, and timelines for the projects, and in the past has established a Joint City/County Citizens Bond Oversight Commission that no longer meets, I propose the establishment of a new City of San Antonio Bond Oversight Commission that oversees the completion of city bond projects with jurisdiction over the following:

1. Oversees and ensures efficiency, equity, timeliness, and accountability in the implementation of existing and future projects approved by voters in bond elections.
2. Regularly advises city council on the bond projects scope, cost estimate, budgets, schedules, and that it seek out and take public input at its meetings
3. Writes an annual report on the implementation of the bonds and the committee's work.

Submitted for Council consideration by:

Councilman Manny Pelaez, District 8

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