

INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

BETWEEN THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO (FIRE DEPARTMENT) AND BEXAR COUNTY EMERGENCY DISTRICT #6

This Interlocal Agreement (herein after "ILA") is entered on this _____ day of February, 2017 between the City of San Antonio (Fire Department) ("COSA") and the Bexar County Emergency District #6 (ESD #6).

WHEREAS, upon COSA's February 2017 annexation of territory in the southeast and southwest portions of Bexar County, Texas, Chapter 43 of the Texas Local Government Code requires the newly annexed areas to receive fire protection services that are comparable to the level of services provided in other parts of the municipality; and

WHEREAS, Section 43.035 of Chapter 43 of the Texas Local Government Code states that parcels of land that are currently appraised for ad valorem tax purposes as land for agricultural or wildlife management use or as timber land may not be annexed unless the annexing municipality offers the owner(s) of each such parcel a development agreement (non-annexation agreement) pursuant to Section 212.172, Texas Local Government Code that would guarantee the continuation of the extraterritorial status of the parcel; and

WHEREAS, a number of landowners' parcels in the newly annexed areas have entered into development agreements with COSA; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of COSA and ESD #6 to institute this ILA to provide fire protection services to the parcels in the newly annexed areas in the jurisdiction of ESD #6 and having development agreements with COSA; and

COSA and ESD # 6 hereby agree as follows:

1. This ILA applies to any and all parcels of real property that have valid development agreements with COSA pursuant to COSA's February 2017 annexation of the surrounding territory currently within the jurisdiction of ESD # 6;
2. San Antonio Fire Department ("SAFD") will provide fire and EMS services and will respond to calls for services in the subject parcels;
3. ESD #6 will provide "in kind services" as the term is commonly used by the parties. In other words, ESD# 6 will reciprocate by providing fire services and will respond to calls for services in San Antonio if requested. The City of San Antonio will follow the request format documented in the Alamo Area Council of Governments Regional Mutual Aid Contract to request resources from ESD #6.

4. The Board of Commissioners of ESD # 6 agrees that the subject parcels shall be coded in the Computer Aided Dispatch System of the City of San Antonio and Bexar County as SAFD Response;
5. Each Authority Having Jurisdiction will remain responsible for their jurisdictional area. Legal and liability issues will be addressed as documented in the Alamo Area Council of Governments Regional Mutual Aid Contract.
6. This ILA shall remain in effect for a period of three years with the option to extend it for three more 3 year periods by written consent of COSA and ESD # 6.

DATE

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Emergency District #6

City Manager, City of San Antonio



Authorized Commissioner, Bexar County

APPROVED AS TO FORM
CITY ATTORNEY