

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

AGENDA DATE: March 29, 2022

PUBLIC HEARING DATE: N/A

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DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: ALL

STRATEGIC GOAL: Goal 6: Set the Standard for Sound Governance and Fiscal Management

SUBGOAL: Goal 6.8: Support transparent and inclusive government

SUBJECT:

Presentation and discussion from the Office of Congresswoman Veronica Escobar, representative of Texas' 16th Congressional District, on the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, its competitive and noncompetitive grant funding opportunities, other funding and legislative accomplishments and opportunities, and the upcoming FY2023 appropriations process.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The Office of Congresswoman Escobar will provide Council and the public with an overview of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, approved on November 15, 2021, including information on grant funding opportunities that may be made available or supplemented through the Act. In addition, the presentation will cover other funding and legislative accomplishments and opportunities, including information on the Community Funding Projects approved via the FY2022 Omnibus Bill; as well as provide information on the upcoming FY2023 appropriations process and a description of their district office services and engagement for constituents.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

HAVE ALL AFFECTED DEPARTMENTS BEEN NOTIFIED? YES NO

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT: City Manager's Office

SECONDARY DEPARTMENT: Economic & International Development

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

DEPARTMENT HEAD:



Elizabeth Triggs, Director, Economic & International Development

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