

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-08-053R

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL CONTRACT FOR COOPERATIVE
PURCHASING WITH THE HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL**

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 10(a), of the Illinois Constitution, 1970, and Section 3 of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, 5 ILCS 220/3, confer broad power upon units of local government to contract or otherwise associate with other states and their units of local government to obtain or share services and to exercise, combine, or transfer any power or function, in any manner not prohibited by law or by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, Section 5 of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, 5 ILCS 220/5, authorizes public agencies to establish intergovernmental contracts with other public agencies, within and outside the State of Illinois, with the approval of their governing bodies; and

WHEREAS, Section 2 of the Governmental Joint Purchasing Act, 30 ILCS 525/2, authorizes any governmental unit to purchase personal property, supplies, and services jointly with one or more other governmental units; and

WHEREAS, Urbana City Code Section 2-116 allows the officials of the City who are authorized to purchase personal property and supplies for the City to perform any acts necessary to make purchases under the authority of the Governmental Joint Purchasing Act; and

WHEREAS, the Houston-Galveston Area Council ("H-GAC") is a regional planning commission and political subdivision of the State of Texas operating under Chapter 391 of the Texas Local Government Code and is authorized to contract with eligible entities to perform governmental functions, including the purchase of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, in reliance on such authority, H-GAC has instituted a cooperative purchasing program under which it contracts with eligible entities under the Texas Local Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the best interests of the City are served by approving an interlocal contract for cooperative purchasing with H-GAC.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Urbana, Champaign County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1.

An Interlocal Contract for Cooperative Purchasing between the City of Urbana, Illinois, and the Houston-Galveston Area Council, in substantially the form of the copy of said Contract attached hereto and hereby incorporated by reference, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved.

Section 2.

The Mayor of the City of Urbana, Illinois, be and the same is hereby authorized to execute and deliver and the City Clerk of the City of Urbana, Illinois, be and the same is hereby authorized to attest to said execution of said Contract as so authorized and approved for and on behalf of the City of Urbana, Illinois.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 6th day of September, 2016.

AYES: Ammons, Brown, Madigan, Marlin, Roberts, Smith

NAYS:

ABSTAINED:

Phyllis DeLaney
Phyllis DeLaney, Clerk
SEAL OF THE CITY OF URBANA
ORGANIZED UNDER GENERAL LAW
CHARTERED 1901

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR this 9th day of September

Laurel Lunt Prussing
Laurel Lunt Prussing, Mayor