

AN ORDINANCE 2008-01-17-0031

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO'S ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES TO THE ALAMO AREA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$80,125.22 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2008.

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WHEREAS, the Alamo Area Council of Governments ("AACOG") serves its twelve county membership by providing intergovernmental cooperation through planning and coordination of activities that include technical assistance, dissemination of information and administration of area-wide programs; and

WHEREAS, AACOG provides a forum for member governments and citizens to address and resolve regional issues and provides programs and supports various initiatives in areas such as aging, air quality, commute solutions, criminal justice, economic and community development, rural public transportation, solid waste, tourism and workforce development; and

WHEREAS, AACOG also serves as the local clearinghouse for the Texas Review and Comment System ("TRACS") for all federal and state grants and federal law requires that grant proposals be entered into the TRACS system, allowing for regional planning councils to review and comment on proposals; and

WHEREAS, City staff recommends approval of the AACOG annual membership dues for calendar year 2008; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. Funding for this Ordinance is available in Fund 11001000 General Fund, Cost Center 8002430012 Alamo Area Council of Governments, General Ledger 5203050 Membership Dues and Licenses as part of the Fiscal Year 2007-08 Budget.

SECTION 2. Payment not to exceed \$80,125.22 is authorized to Alamo Area Council of Governments and shall be encumbered with a purchase order.

SECTION 3. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific Cost Centers, WBS Elements, Internal Orders, General Ledger Accounts, and Fund Numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall be effective on and after the tenth day after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17th day of January, 2008.

ATTEST: 
City Clerk


M A Y O R
PHIL HARDBERGER

APPROVED AS TO FORM: 
City Attorney