



AGENDA MEMO
10/15/2013 Agenda

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council
FROM: Gerry Bradley, Director of Parks
SUBJECT: Caruth Pond Wall Improvement – Design Contract

BACKGROUND:

In spring 2013, the wall along the creek channel that enters Caruth Park Pond began to separate from the embankment. Staff has secured the area with fencing to reduce potential danger to park users.

Staff is prepared to enter into a design contract with R.L. Goodson to replace the walls on both the east and west side of the creek channel and introduce a 6-foot concrete walkway with decorative railing from Caruth Blvd. The walkway system will provide safe and convenient access to the park from north of Caruth Blvd.

The cost of design services for the project from R.L. Goodson is \$28,000. Funding for this project has been identified and approved within the Public Works Department Storm Water Drainage budget by the Capital Projects Review Committee in August 2013.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff requests City Council approval to enter into a contract with R.L. Goodson in the amount of \$28,000 for the design of the Caruth Pond Wall channel improvements.