



CITY OF ARANSAS PASS

AGENDA MEMORANDUM

First Reading Item for the City Council Meeting of [08/20/2018]
Second Reading Item for the City Council Meeting of [NA]

Date: Tuesday, August 14, 2018
To: Gary Edwards, City Manager
From: Chief Eric Blanchard
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Title: Renew MOU between the Aransas Pass PD and Connections in Portland, Texas.

CAPTION:

Consider and act on approving the police chief to renew a memorandum of understanding (MOU) between the Aransas Pass Police Department and Connections in Portland, Texas.

PURPOSE:

Connections has historically provided law enforcement and CPS with an avenue to turn for our youth without a family or in a family they should not be in. Connections provides our youth with education, essential needs, and a place to live.

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

Connections has been around for several years and continues to provide an outstanding service for our youth. Further, when law enforcement has nowhere to turn for the placement of a child whom has either been left behind after the parents were arrested or the legal guardians were gone and other family members rejected the child, connections will still be there for the child.

This partnership is essential for times of need.

ALTERNATIVES:

None

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS:

N/A

CONFORMITY TO CITY POLICY:

Agreement/MOU Requires Council Approval

EMERGENCY/NON-EMERGENCY:

Not an emergency.

DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:

Police Department

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of this MOU.

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

MOU