 <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p>	Date:	September 24, 2018
	Agenda Item No.	8
	Roll Call No.	[_____]
	Communication No.	<u>18-477</u>
	Submitted by:	Steven L. Naber, P.E., City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving and authorizing the execution of Iowa Department of Transportation (IDOT) agreement for East Douglas Avenue Widening from East 42nd Street to East 56th Street.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of IDOT Agreement No. 1-18-STBG-SWAP-038 for East Douglas Avenue Widening from East 42nd Street to East 56th Street.

FISCAL IMPACT:

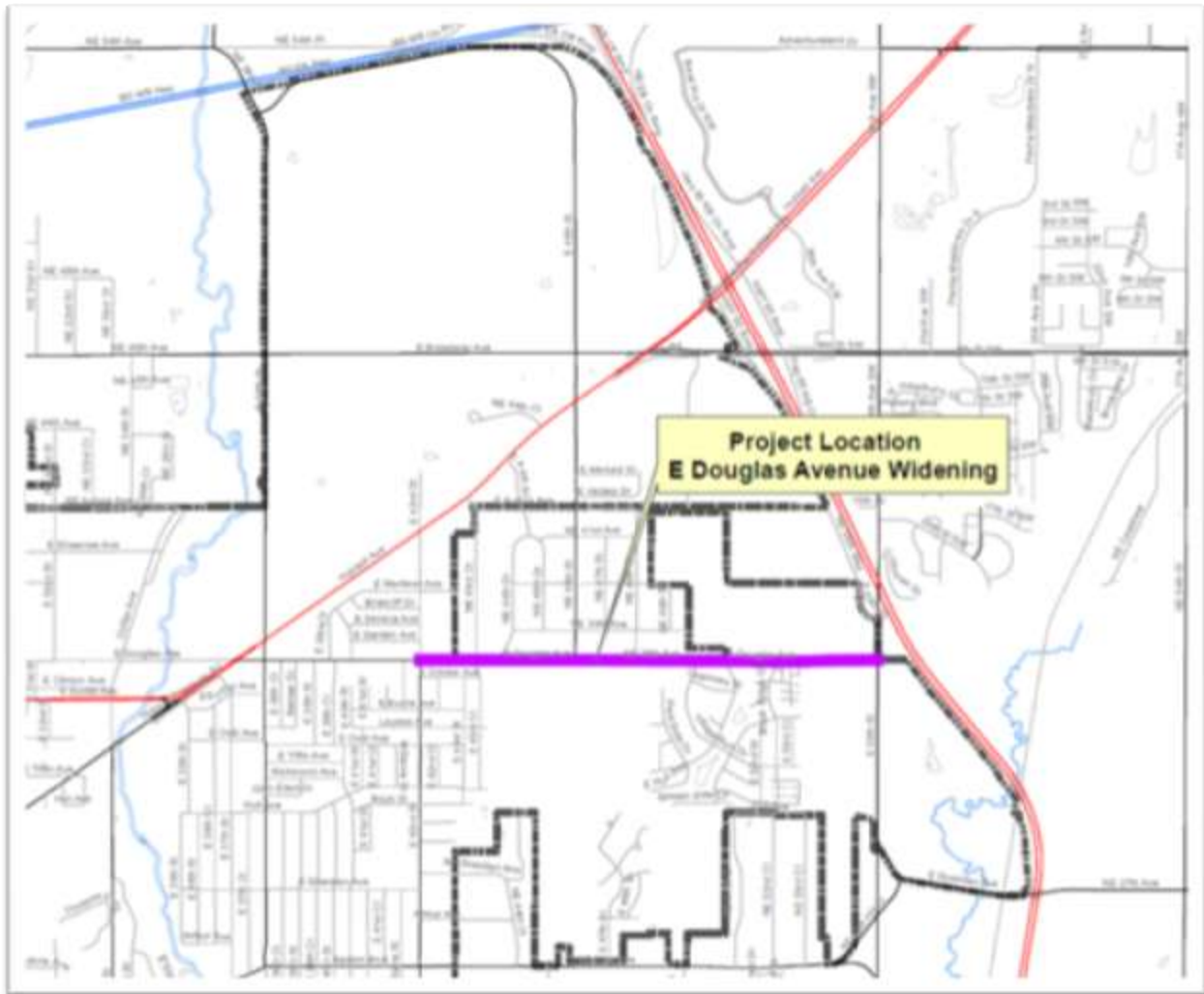
Amount: \$7,250,000

Funding Source: Various funding being:

- \$5,800,000 - Transportation Block Grant (STBG) Program Federal-aid Swap funds
- \$1,450,000 – 2018/2019 CIP, Page Street Improvements, East Douglas Avenue Widening – East 42nd Street - East 56th Street ST270, G.O. Bonds to be issued

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The northeast area of the Des Moines Metro is experiencing significant growth. When completed, the project will connect the Des Moines area with E 56th Street, which serves Pleasant Hill, Altoona, and northeast Polk County. It will provide significantly improved access to the east and the northeast areas of the region.
- This project consists of replacing the existing rural section with an urban cross section East Douglas Avenue between E 42nd Street and E 56th Street and constructing a shared use path along the south side of East Douglas Avenue.
- The MPO has allocated the total \$5.8 million in funding to FY2020 for this project.



PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: November 20, 2017

Roll Call Number: [17-1934](#)

Action: [Authorizing](#) submittal of Federal Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) and Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) fund Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 applications to the Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO). ([Council Communication No. 17-801](#)) Moved by Coleman to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Ordering construction, public hearing, receive and file bids, designate lowest bidder, and approve contract and bond; also, partial payments to the contractor and final acceptance of work.

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