

Date January 25, 2016

**REQUESTING DES MOINES MPO TRANSFER A PORTION OF STP FUNDS FROM ALLOCATION TO SOUTHEAST CONNECTOR TO THE PLEASANT HILL BOULEVARD AND VANDALIA ROAD INTERSECTION PROJECT AND AUTHORIZING CITY MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AN AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT WITH PLEASANT HILL FOR THE SOUTHEAST CONNECTOR AND PLEASANT HILL BOULEVARD AND VANDALIA ROAD INTERSECTION PROJECTS**

WHEREAS, on December 7, 2015, by Roll Call 15-2038, the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, approved an Agreement with the City of Pleasant Hill for the coordination of funding, design, and corridor preservation for the Southeast Connector (Agreement); and

WHEREAS, the construction of the Pleasant Hill Boulevard and Vandalia Road Intersection can proceed before the future construction of the Southeast Connector between SE 30<sup>th</sup> Street and U.S. 65; and

WHEREAS, in order to fund the Pleasant Hill Boulevard and Vandalia Road Intersection project, the City of Des Moines, Iowa and City of Pleasant Hill, Iowa propose to request the Des Moines Area MPO to transfer \$3,378,400 of STP funds currently allocated to the Southeast Connector to the Pleasant Hill Boulevard and Vandalia Road Intersection project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pleasant Hill will administer the design and construction of the Pleasant Hill Boulevard and Vandalia Road Intersection project; and

WHEREAS, Pleasant Hill has requested that the City of Des Moines act as acquisition agent for Pleasant Hill, which will require an amendment to the Agreement to include acquisition of property, interests for the projects and related matters.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE, AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA:

1. Request that the Des Moines Area MPO transfer \$3,378,400 of STP funds currently allocated to the Southeast Connector to the Pleasant Hill Boulevard and Vandalia Road Intersection project and authorize the City Manager to take appropriate actions for this request.

★ **Roll Call Number**

**Agenda Item Number**

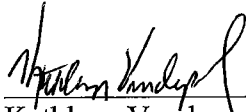
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- That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate and execute an amendment to the Agreement to include acquisition of property interests for the projects and related matters.

(Council Communication No. 15-052)  
Activity ID 14-2014-035

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt.

FORM APPROVED:   
Kathleen Vanderpool  
Deputy City Attorney

Funding Source: 2015-16 CIP, Southeast Connector – SE 30th to U.S. 65, Page Street-36, ST256. This project will be completed in phases as federal, state and local matching funds become available. The following funds have been allocated by the Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO):

- \$2,550,000 of Surface Transportation Program (STP) funds in Fiscal Year (FY) 2017
- \$1,032,000 of STP Funds in FY2018
- \$1,035,000 of STP Funds in FY2019

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
GATTO				
GRAY				
HENSLEY				
MOORE				
WESTERGAARD				
TOTAL				

MOTION CARRIED APPROVED  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

**CERTIFICATE**

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

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City Clerk