



Date December 6, 2021

**AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL OF
FEDERAL SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT (STBG) AND
TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM (TAP), ALSO KNOWN AS SURFACE
TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT SET-ASIDE PROGRAM,
FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2026 APPLICATIONS TO THE
DES MOINES METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO).**

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines is a full member of the Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO); and

WHEREAS, the Federal Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) Program and the Federal Surface Transportation Block Grant Set Aside Fund, also known as the Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP), provides funding to local jurisdictions for the construction of eligible projects; and

WHEREAS, the programs are administered by the Des Moines Area MPO that prioritizes and ranks all project applications.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA: That the City Manager is hereby authorized to submit applications to the Metropolitan Planning Organization for Federal Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) and Transportation Alternative Program (TAP) funds for the following projects.

STBG Project Applications:

1. Douglas Avenue Corridor Improvements - Merle Hay Road to Lower Beaver Road
2. University Avenue over the Des Moines River Rehabilitation
3. Intelligent Transportation Systems Upgrade (Maintain/Optimization)
4. Hickman Road Rehabilitation - Beaver Avenue to 30th Street

TAP Project Applications:

1. Central Place Levee Trail Phase 2

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That if STBG or TAP funds are approved for one or more of these projects, the required local matching funds will be included in the future Capital Improvements Program, and the City will adequately maintain the project for its intended public use for a minimum of 20 years following the completion.

(City Council Communication Number 21-511 attached)

Moved by _____ to adopt.

FORM APPROVED: s/Kathleen Vanderpool
 Kathleen Vanderpool
 Deputy City Attorney

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COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
BOESEN				
GATTO				
GRAY				
MANDELBAUM				
VOSS				
WESTERGAARD				
TOTAL				
MOTION CARRIED			APPROVED	
_____ Mayor				

CERTIFICATE

I, P. Kay Cmelik, 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.

_____ City Clerk