

CITY OF WYANDOTTE
REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

MEETING DATE: 4/12/2021

AGENDA ITEM # 28

ITEM: Application for 2021 Surface Transportation Reauthorization Request

PRESENTER: Gregory J. Mayhew, City Engineer

INDIVIDUALS IN ATTENDANCE:

BACKGROUND: The City recently received notification that the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure is accepting requests for consideration for street improvements in the 2021 Surface Transportation Authorization Legislation, providing the City with the opportunity to submit requests for street improvement funding. The funding would cover 80% of the cost with the City share being 20%. The deadline for submittal is Friday, April 16, 2021.

To qualify the streets must be federal aid eligible. There are four Wyandotte streets that are federal aid eligible and have a PASER Rating of five (5) or less and are recommended to be submitted for consideration for resurfacing. The streets and estimated cost are: Emmons Blvd - Riverside to Biddle, \$987,360; 3rd Street - Eureka to Ford, \$1,589,750; 3rd Street - Eureka to Biddle, \$1,601,720; and, 4th Street - Eureka to Ford, \$1,737,760.

STRATEGIC PLAN/GOALS: This recommendation is consistent with the Goals and Objectives of the City of Wyandotte Strategic Plan in the continuing effort to enhance the quality of life for residents and the maintenance of City infrastructure.

ACTION REQUESTED: Adopt a resolution supporting the submittal of the recommended streets for consideration to the 2021 Surface Transportation Authorization Legislation and authorize the Mayor Pro Tempore to sign a letter of support.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS & ACCOUNT NUMBER: Matching funds would be derived from Account 202-440-825-460 Major Street Fund and Account 492-200-825-460 TIFA Streets.

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN: Direct the City Engineer to submit applications for the streets recommended.

LIST OF ATTACHMENTS:

1. DRAFT LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR 3RD EUREKA TO BIDDLE
2. DRAFT LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR 3RD EUREKA TO FORD
3. DRAFT LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR 4TH EUREKA TO FORD
4. DRAFT LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR EMMONS

RESOLUTION

Item Number: #28
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RESOLUTION by Councilperson _____

RESOLVED BY MAYOR PRO TEMPORE AND COUNCIL that Council supports and authorizes the City Engineer to submit applications for street improvements to Emmons Blvd - Riverside to Biddle, 3rd Street - Eureka to Ford, 3rd Street - Eureka to Biddle, and, 4th Street - Eureka to Ford for consideration to the 2021 Surface Transportation Authorization Legislation, further, the match to the grant will be paid from the Major Street Fund and the TIFA Street Fund accounts, and Council hereby authorizes the Mayor Pro Tempore to sign a letter of support.

I move the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

MOTION by Councilperson

SUPPORTED by Councilperson

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COUNCIL

Alderman
Calvin
DeSana
Maiani
Sabuda
Schultz

NAYS

DRAFT LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR
3RD STREET – EUREKA AVENUE TO BIDDLE AVENUE

April 13, 2021

Congresswoman Debbie Dingell
Michigan Congressional District 12

RE: 2021 Surface Transportation Reauthorization Request
3rd Street – Eureka Avenue to Biddle Avenue

Dear Congresswoman Dingell;

I am requesting funding for the repair and resurfacing of 3rd Street in the surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor is the City of Wyandotte and the project is located at 3rd Street from Eureka Avenue to Biddle Avenue in the City of Wyandotte, Michigan 48192.

The funding is designated for a Federal Aid Eligible street with a National Functional Classification of Collector and includes surface milling, concrete base repair, drainage structure repairs to reduce infiltration, curb repairs, and ADA crossing improvements.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to benefit the residents of Wyandotte by providing improved pedestrian accessibility, improved storm drainage, reducing illicit infiltration into the sewer system, and reducing wear and damage to residents' vehicles traveling on this street.

Attached is a City Council Resolution supporting this request and the Project Request Form.

I certify that neither I nor any family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Robert A. DeSana
Mayor Pro Tempore
City of Wyandotte

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EMMONS BLVD – RIVERSIDE TO BIDDLE

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RE: 2021 Surface Transportation Reauthorization Request
Emmons Blvd. – Riverside Drive to Biddle Avenue

Dear Congresswoman Dingell;

I am requesting funding for the repair and resurfacing of Emmons Blvd. in the surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

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