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for consideration by the Apex Town Council

Item Type: CONSENT AGENDA

Meeting Date: September 17, 2019

Item Details

Presenter(s): Russell Dalton, Senior Transportation Engineer and Angela Reincke, Parks and Greenways Planner

Department(s): Public Works & Transportation, Parks, Recreation and Cultural Resources

Requested Motion

Motion to approve and authorize the Town Manager to execute the Design Build Project Agreement with the North Carolina Department of Transportation for NC 540 enhancements (Project R-2721) and approve corresponding Capital Project Ordinance Amendment 3.

Approval Recommended?

Yes

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Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) project R-2721 will extend NC 540 east of the NC 55 Bypass crossing over E Williams St and crossing under Sunset Lake Road with construction beginning in 2020. This project will provide enhancements the Town requests based on a municipal agreement with a required cost share. Transportation enhancements include: sidewalk under NC 540 along E Williams St, extra width for future bicycle lanes on Sunset Lake Road within the scope of the project, and an 8' sidewalk on the north side of the Sunset Lake Rd Bridge over NC 540. The Middle Creek Greenway enhancements include construction related to extending the bridge crossing Middle Creek to allow for a future open air greenway connection under the bridge and construction of a portion of the greenway under the bridge within the right of way. This will allow the Town to eventually complete a connection to the Holly Springs Greenway at Sunset Lake Road. Staff will come back to Council with the required encroachment agreement with NCDOT after the exact location is determined. The Middle Creek Greenway was part of the 2017 Parks Bond.

The funding for Middle Creek Greenway has already been allocated in the Recreation Capital Project Fund and \$120,000 of the transportation funding was allocated in the Street Improvements Capital



Project Fund. The Capital Project Ordinance Amendment allocates the remaining funding (\$60,100) from interest earned on the account.

Attachments

- NCDOT Agreement
- Cost Exhibit
- Capital Project Ordinance Amendment 3

