



City Commission Agenda Item

Meeting Date: April 6, 2023
From: Randy Frazer, City Manager
Item: CDBG Sidewalk and Trails Grant Application

Purpose: A Resolution certifying legal authority for the City of Arkansas City to file an application to the Kansas Department of Commerce for Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds under the Community Facilities category Sidewalks and Trails; and authorizing the mayor and/or city administration to execute all documents necessary to apply for and accept such grant. **(Voice Vote)**

Background:

This project application encompasses the construction of extending the existing central trail system utilizing the abandoned St. Louis & San Francisco railroad line and existing 6th Street right-of-way and City owned property. The project description is as follows: from the south terminus (Chestnut Avenue) to Walnut Avenue on the east side of 6th Street; from Walnut Avenue to Maple Avenue would run in the central median of 6th Street; from Maple Avenue to Birch Avenue on the east side of 6th Street to the Norwest Community Center.

The estimated project cost is \$338,924, which will be funded through local funds with the assistance of a \$254,193 CDBG grant request.

Commission Options:

1. Approve the Resolution
2. Disapprove the Resolution
3. Table the Resolution for further discussion

Fiscal Impact:

Amount:

Fund: Department: Expense Code:

☐ Included in budget ☒ Grant ☐ Bonds ☐ Other Not Budgeted
Cost included in grant.

Approved for Agenda by:

Randy Frazer, City Manager