



STAFF REPORT
4/8/2026

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Andrew Simmons, P.E. Public Works Director/City Engineer

SUBJECT: Maintenance of Effort Certification Statements Fiscal Year 2026/2027, the Local Streets and Roads Revenue Projections, as well as the Projected Five Year Measure A Capital Improvement Plans Budget for Measure A Funding

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize the City Manager to Execute a Maintenance of Effort Certification Statement for Fiscal Year 2026/2027, the Local Streets and Roads Revenue Projections, as well as the Projected Five Year Measure A Capital Improvement Plans Budget for Measure A Funding.

BACKGROUND:

The requirements for receipt of Measure A Local Street and Roads funding are to submit a Five-Year Capital Improvement Projects Plan (CIP), a signature on the Maintenance of Effort Certification, and a Project Status Report for the prior fiscal year funding.

The Five-Year CIP plan is a list of proposed uses for Measure A Local Streets and Roads funding and must be based upon the revenue projections provided from Riverside County Transportation Commission. The projects include the description of the anticipated project, the funding sources of the project, and expenditures that will be anticipated from year to year.

The Measure A Ordinance requires annual certification that discretionary General Fund expenditures for transportation related construction and maintenance activities for Fiscal Year 2026/2027 will meet or exceed the Maintenance of Effort Certification Base Year requirement. This certification process is one part of the regulations to receive Measure A funding.

The Riverside County Transportation Commission must also receive a Project Status Report for the prior fiscal year. The purpose of this report is to document the progress to date on engineering, right-of-way acquisition, and the construction that Measure A is funding as well as the completion date or anticipated completion date.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Authorizing the City Manager to Execute the FY 2026/2027 Maintenance of Effort Certification Statement, the Local Streets and Roads Revenue Projections, as well as the Projected Five Year Measure A Capital Improvement Plans Budget for Measure A will benefit the City of Coachella to receive Measure A funding.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Measure A Five-Year Revenue Projections
2. FY 2025/26 Measure A Project Status Report
3. FY 2026/27 Measure A Maintenance of Effort Certification Statement
4. FY 2024/25 Audit Final Report
5. City of Coachella 5 Year Measure A Funding Capital Projects