

STAFF REPORT 9/9/2020

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members
FROM: Gabriel Martin, Economic Development Director
SUBJECT: Resolution No. 2020-54 Authorize the City Manager to submit an application to the California Department of Transportation Under its Active Transportation Plan (ATP) Cycle 5 Program.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the City Council adopt the attached Resolution No. 2020-54 authorizing the City Manager to submit an application to the California Department of Transportation Under its Active Transportation Plan (ATP) Cycle 5 Program.

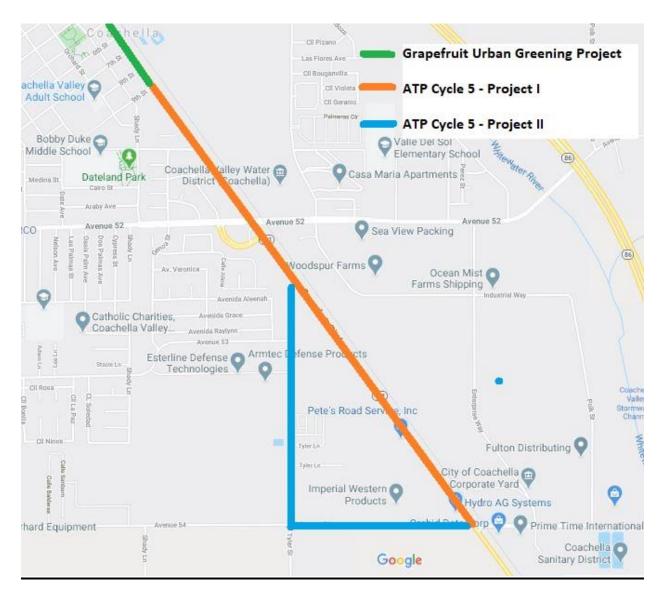
BACKGROUND:

The Active Transportation Program (ATP) was created by Senate Bill 99 (Chapter 359, Statutes of 2013) and Assembly Bill 101 (Chapter 354, Statutes of 2013) to encourage increased use of active modes of transportation. The City of Coachella was awarded in an Active Transportation Plan Cycle 2 grant in FY 2015/2016 from the Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) a grant through SB 821 in the amount of \$2.2 million with a local share in the amount of \$531,000 funded through Measure – City Project ST-100. On July 22, 2020, a Notice of Completion was filed for City Project St-100.

DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS:

In the interest of obtaining grant funding toward roadway improvement projects, City staff prepared two (2) applications for the statewide Active Transportation Program – Cycle 5 grant administered by Caltrans and the California Transportation Commission. The projects will encourage and increase the use of active modes of transportation. The applications are for the following projects:

- Project I: Castro Mobile Park Tyler Street and Avenue 54
- Project II: Grapefruit Blvd Phase II



ALTERNATIVES:

1. Revise Cycle 5 Active Transportation Plan applications, per City County comments and feedback

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

<u>RECOMMENDED ALTERNATIVE(S)</u>:

Staff recommends that the City Council adopt the attached Resolution No. 2020-54 authorizing the City Manager to submit an application to the California Department of Transportation Under its Active Transportation Plan (ATP) Cycle 5 Program.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Resolution No. 2020-54 – Authorizing the City Manager to submit an application to the California Department of Transportation Under its Active Transportation Plan (ATP) Cycle 5 Program.

Cycle 5 Active Transportation Plan (ATP) Project Proposal