



City of Jackson

MEMO TO: The Honorable Mayor Dwain Hahs and
Members of the Board of Aldermen

FROM: Matt Winters, City Administrator

DATE: May 16, 2025

SUBJECT: 2025 MoDOT Transportation Alternatives Grant

City staff is respectfully requesting your support of a grant application to the Missouri Department of Transportation for the construction of Hubble Creek Phase III Trail. This phase of the Hubble Creek Trail extends from West Jackson Blvd to the soccer park following alongside Hubble Creek. Design for the trail was completed by Smith and Company Engineers in 2023 and paid for with ARPA funding. The 2025 Transportation Alternatives Program funding offers an 80% match of approved grant project costs, with local public agency responsible for the remaining 20% match. The grant application deadline is due to the area engineer for review by June 13, with the final application due to MoDOT by July 11, 2025. Awards are anticipated to be announced September 12, 2025.

The estimated cost of the project is \$1,223,855.99 based on the engineering estimates from 2023. Therefore, the City has been in discussions with MoDOT about splitting this up into two smaller phases. The maximum request from MoDOT is \$600,000, which would leave the City with a maximum local match of \$120,000 (or 20%) of the project.

Attached the proposed Mayor and Board of Aldermen Resolution in support of the grant application. The SEMPO Board of Directors will also be approving a similar resolution at their next meeting.

Thanks for your time and consideration of this information. As always, please feel welcome to contact me should you have any questions regarding this matter.