

# STAFF REPORT REGULAR MEETING

**AGENDA DATE:** June 16, 2026

**DEPARTMENT:** Public Works

**TITLE:**

Approval of Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant Submittal

**SUMMARY:**

Staff seeks ratification of the 2026 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) federal grant submittal: Low-Stress Bicycle Network Demonstration.

**BACKGROUND AND JUSTIFICATION:**

The 2026 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) federal grant applications were due back on May 26<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm. The goal of this U.S. Department of Transportation initiative is to provide \$5 billion in grant funding over five years to local, regional, and Tribal communities in an effort to eliminate severe injuries and fatalities on roadways. Of the 39 municipalities in Palm Beach County, Lake Worth Beach is included in the group of 13 recognized by the Metropolitan Planning Organization as a Vision Zero Community (LWB Resolution 61-2022).

With the City mobility plan now complete and adopted, data and safety initiatives from that plan were the basis for this proposed project. The roadway locations included in this planning and demonstration grant are as follows:

- D Street: 22<sup>nd</sup> Ave N to 15<sup>th</sup> Ave S
- Lakeside Dr: Duke Dr to 18<sup>th</sup> Ave S
- 13<sup>th</sup> Ave N: Western limit @ I-95 to N Lakeside Dr
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave N: Western limit @ I-95 (east side of soundwall) to N Golfview Rd

The project goal is to provide alternative routes for bicyclists that avoid the City's High Injury Network (HIN). The estimated project total is \$900k with \$720k in the form of the SS4A federal funding request and \$180K in City matching funds. Staff provided notification to the Commission prior to the grant submittal and is now seeking official approval for this 2026 SS4A grant application.

**MOTION:**

Move to ratify/not ratify the City's 2026 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) grant submittal.

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

Fiscal Impact Analysis (N/A; Application Phase)  
Project Narrative  
Project Location  
Estimated Budget  
MPO Support Letter