
AGENDA ITEM

TO: Mayor McNeill, Lansing City Council
FROM: Tim Vandall, City Administrator
DATE: March 25, 2024
SUBJECT: Call for Projects

The Mid America Regional Council is currently in the midst of their call for projects. While the full application is not due until July 26, 2024, a pre-application and screening is due Friday, April 5th. This allows MARC to know which projects will be applied for and gives them a chance to ask questions and feedback of the applicant prior to the final submittal.

Exhibits on the four projects are included in the agenda materials.

Policy Consideration: N/A

Financial Consideration: This is an incredibly competitive program. For every five dollars requested, only one dollar is usually able to be funded. This is a longer-term grant, with dollars not being allocated for multiple years, which would give the City time to plan and budget for a match. This program is typically an 80% grant, with a 20% match; however, the greater the match provided, the more competitive a grant may be.

Action: Consensus on which of the four projects, if any, to work toward.

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