

### AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

**PROPOSED MEETING DATE:** March 4, 2024

PREPARED BY: Scott Moore, City Manager

**DEPARTMENT:** Administration

#### AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Consideration, discussion, and possible action on a Resolution submitting a list of city projects for future Community Project Funding.

### **BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:**

The City of Manor has been asked to submit a list of community projects through the FY25 House Appropriations funding bill through Congressman Michael McCaul's Office. Below are the funding areas the city will seek to submit a qualified project for:

- Agriculture and Food and Drug Administration(FDA)
- Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies
- Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies (Regional Water and Sewer Projects)
- Homeland Security

- Military Construction and Veterans Affairs
- Interior and Environment and Related Agencies (Clean Water Projects)
- Transportation, Housing & Urban Development

Over the past 24 months, the City Council has discussed taking a regional approach to initiating community projects. The City of Manor is in a good position to submit projects that provide local and regional connectivity with assistance from our state and federal agencies, and Travis County officials. Building sustainable and cost-effective initiatives is a good indication the Manor community is seeking to leverage its resources to address our water and sewer infrastructure needs. Improving these areas would benefit the development community and industry executives looking to expand their services and operations in eastern Travis County.

Having shovel-ready projects identified and prepared for funding consideration is an important strategy for the community to build upon and maintain on an annual basis. Receiving federal support for the FM 973 north corridor and U.S. 290 corridor project toward Bastrop County, is a vital transportation priority for the City Council to advocate for to help handle the future growth that is planned for our community. Improving the mobility along these two major highway corridors is critical to keeping travelers safe who travel through the community as well as helping our public safety agencies respond to calls for service in a timely manner.

LEGAL REVIEW: NO
FISCAL IMPACT: NO
PRESENTATION: NO

# **ATTACHMENTS:**

YES

- Resolution 2024-05
- Letter of Support

# **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

It is the city staff's recommendation that the City Council approve Resolution 2024-05 authorize Mayor Harvey to submit the city's letter of support to Congressman Michael McCaul seeking financial support for the city's Community Project Funding priorities.

PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION:

**Recommend Approval** 

Disapproval

None