



AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

PROPOSED MEETING DATE: April 5, 2023
PREPARED BY: Scott Moore, City Manager
DEPARTMENT: Administration

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Consideration, discussion, and possible action on authorizing a letter of support for CapMetro's FY24 Community Project Funding request.

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:

The City of Manor has been requested to support CapMetro's Green line improvements are part of Project Connect and part of the November 2020 ballot the voters approved. The first phase of the Green Line project will be eight (8) miles long and include seven new transit stations, terminating at Colony Park.

This FY24 Community Project Funding request that was submitted was the MetroRail Green Line Planning and Environmental Linkages Study (PEL); this study is the extension contemplated by Project Connect to the City of Manor and City of Elgin. A PEL study is a high-level, early-planning study process representing an approach to transportation decision-making that considers environmental, community, and economic goals early in the planning stage and carries them through project development, design, and construction, including capital and operating costs. The purpose of PEL studies is to gather feedback during planning to inform the environmental review process, including the National Environmental Policy Act. Supporting this initiative and working with other agencies to improve the quality of life for Manor residents and transportation mobility of the region is a priority the City Council will continue to endorse.

LEGAL REVIEW: Not Applicable

FISCAL IMPACT: Not Applicable

PRESENTATION: No

ATTACHMENTS: Yes

- Letter of Support CapMetro

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

It is the city staff's recommendation that the City Council approve and authorizing a letter of support for CapMetro's FY24 Community Project Funding request.

PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION: **Recommend Approval** **Disapproval** **None**