

## RESOLUTION 24-049

### RESOLUTION IDENTIFYING RESPONSIBILITY FOR OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE FOR ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Active Transportation Infrastructure Program provides grant funding for the construction of pedestrian and bicycle infrastructure projects that will improve transportation options and reduce vehicle miles traveled; and

WHEREAS, in this funding cycle the Minnesota Department of Transportation will award \$13.2 million in state funding to selected projects that will effectively address safety concerns, equity, and engage the community in project development; and

WHEREAS, the first leg of the proposed trail will connect C Street to Southview Drive by constructing a 27,830 SF multi-use path. This portion of the trail will connect the Middle School and Southview Elementary School creating a direct path removed from traffic. In addition to the C Street-Southview Drive connectivity, a 3,650 SF School Leg portion of the trail will be constructed, which is included in the total 27,830 SF estimate, ensuring that students have access to Southview Elementary School from this trail system. The final portion of this project will widen the existing sidewalk along Southview Drive to allow for a multi-use trail that will enable all non-motorized traffic to remain off-street. This portion of the proposed trail will connect to the existing trail system, which runs parallel with US Highway 59, creating a safe route for pedestrians to cross US Highway 23; and

WHEREAS, the City agrees to act as sponsoring agency for the project identified as C Street-Southview Drive Trail (SAP 139-090-006) seeking Active Transportation (AT) funding and has reviewed and approved the project as proposed and that sponsorship includes a willingness to secure and guarantee the local share of costs associated with this project and responsibility for seeing this project through to its completion, with compliance of all applicable laws, rules, and regulations.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MARSHALL, MINNESOTA:

1. The City of Marshall is the sponsoring agency for the Active Transportation project identified as C Street-Southview Drive Trail in Marshall, MN.
2. The City of Marshall hereby supports the construction of the project and agrees to assume full responsibility for the operation and maintenance of the improvements related to the project.
3. The City supports submittal of the grant application.
4. The City understands that all costs associated with the project beyond the AT infrastructure grant selection and/or for ineligible expenses (such as engineering, construction, etc.) will be paid by the grant recipient.

Passed and adopted this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 2024.

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Mayor

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City Clerk

STATE OF MINNESOTA)

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COUNTY OF LYON )

The undersigned, being the duly qualified City Clerk of the City of Marshall, Minnesota, and as such the custodian of the books and records of said City, hereby certifies and attests that the attached copy of the Resolution 24-049, adopted on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 2024 is a true and correct copy of the original of said Resolution which is on file and of record in my office.

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Steven Anderson  
City Clerk  
City of Marshall

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