



AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

MEETING DATE: 8/12/24

PREPARED BY: Giles Tucker - Community & Economic Development Director

AGENDA ITEM CONTENT: 11 Mile Streetscape Project- Main Street Placemaking Grant

AGENDA ITEM SECTION: Reports

BUDGETED AMOUNT: \$466,756

FUNDS REQUESTED: \$784,953.75

FUND:

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The 11 Mile Streetscape plan was developed to enhance the pedestrian environment, along 11 Mile Road from Stephenson Hwy to Lorenz. In the plan, greater detail was given to the portion of 11 Mile between Groveland and Lorenz called the "focus area". The plan found that a 3-lane configuration of the roadway in the focus area would be significantly less expensive than a 4-lane configuration with landscape median. Further, traffic analysis conducted found that 3-lane configuration throughout the entire downtown area (Stephenson Hwy to Dequindre) would reduce crashes without significant travel delays throughout the corridor. The City was also awarded a placemaking grant of \$313,981.50 for this project and must sign an interlocal agreement with Oakland County to accept this grant.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the following two motions:

1. That City Council approve the three-lane configuration of the 11 Mile Streetscape Project between John R and Lorenz and to authorize the City Manager to sign the included interlocal agreement between the City of Madison Heights and Oakland County accepting the Oakland County Placemaking grant for a total \$313,981.50.
2. That City Council approve a budget amendment to increase the DDA expenditure line item 248-863-987-0006 11 Mile/John R Road Improvements by \$313,981.50 for a total of \$713,981.50 and to increase the DDA revenue line item 248-025-588-1000 County Grant to a total of \$313,981.50.