



Mayor Robert E. Simison

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Simison and City Council

FROM: Mike Barton, Parks Superintendent

DATE: May 21, 2021

RE: Cooperative Agreement - Landscaping Maintenance

The State has completed a project to widen US20/26 from Locust Grove Road to Eagle Road, identified as project no. A019944. At the request of the City, the State has installed a multi-use path on the Meridian side that is separated from the curb. The City has requested this buffer area between the curb and the path be landscaped. The State has agreed to install landscaping (sod and sprinklers) at no cost to the City, provided the City will maintain the strip.

The area to be maintained by the City is 1,000 feet long and is only in front of 4 county parcels. The rest of the strip is in front of already developed property and will be maintained by those owners. Should the 4 parcels adjacent to this strip redevelop, the landscaping will be maintained by the new owner/HOA. The yearly cost to mow, irrigate, and fertilize this strip is \$4,500 and is already in our proposed FY22 base budget.

We respectfully request approval of the attached cooperative agreement.

