



Executive Summary

City Council Business Meeting

AGENDA ITEM-NEW BUSINESS: RESOLUTION NO. 2025-0922-02
PREPARED BY: Jacob Kolander, City Administrator
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approval of Resolution No. 2025-0922-02

Summary

The League of Minnesota Cities (LMC) has launched a pilot Grants Navigation Program offering up to \$5,000 per city to assist with identifying matching funds and navigating the grant application process for a single city project. The City of Maple Plain intends to apply for support under this program to pursue funding for its Local Road Improvement Program (LRIP) Grant project.

Resolution No. 2025-0922-02-A authorizes the City to participate in the program and designates Hennepin County as both the Sponsor and Fiscal Agent for the application. If awarded, the City will work with industry partners to support grant matching and application efforts. The resolution also outlines reporting requirements in the event of either successful or unsuccessful grant outcomes.

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of Resolution No. 2025-0922-02-A to authorize application to the LMC Grants Navigation Program with Hennepin County serving as the Sponsor and Fiscal Agent. This partnership enhances the City's ability to secure external funding and advance priority infrastructure projects.