

**CITY OF SHEBOYGAN
RESOLUTION 65-23-24**

BY ALDERPERSONS DEKKER AND RUST.

OCTOBER 2, 2023.

A RESOLUTION authorizing the appropriate City officials to file an application with the United States Department of Transportation for a RAISE grant to construct a bicycle and pedestrian bridge connecting South Pier with the Riverfront; to execute documents necessary to accept grant funds; and designating \$1,335,483.00 of local matching as required by the program.

WHEREAS, the US DOT via the Federal Highway Administration administers the Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity Program (“RAISE”), which provides federal funds for eligible projects that will have a significant local or regional impact and will improve transportation infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, to be eligible for a RAISE grant, the City must commit to contributing \$1,335,483.00 to the project, and to other terms and conditions as set forth in the attached “General Terms and Conditions” document; and

WHEREAS, if approved, the City will receive up to \$5,341,931.00 for the design and installation of the bridge; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to apply for the RAISE grant to supplement local investment for a pedestrian and bicyclist bridge connecting South Pier with the Riverfront district; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Director of Public Works is authorized to apply for the RAISE grant for financial assistance to the pedestrian-bicycle bridge project and shall develop all necessary documents and internal controls to ensure compliance with the terms and conditions applicable to RAISE grant recipients.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Common Council hereby directs the Finance Director to designate \$1,335,483.00 of funds for the local match required by the program.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF SHEBOYGAN COMMON COUNCIL

Presiding Officer

Attest

Ryan Sorenson, Mayor, City of Sheboygan

Meredith DeBruin, City Clerk, City of Sheboygan