



Agenda Item Summary Sheet

Date: 9/3/24

Item #: 11

Item Title: Tourism Impact Grant

Item Summary:

The Tourism Impact Grant is designed to help Governmental Units and Nonprofit organizations located in Dare County with programs or services needed due to the impact of tourism. Projects may include, but are not limited to, beach accesses, walkways, attraction capital projects, etc. Grants are disbursed on a reimbursement basis.

The Town Council has prioritized the repair and maintenance to existing multi-use-paths (mup). Currently replacement of the mup between 3rd and 5th Avenue is out to bid. This project involves replacing the existing asphalt with concrete. The Town was awarded a TIG in the present fiscal year for a mup from E Dogwood Trail to Hickory Trail and the year before for a mup from the Triangle Park to E Dogwood Trail.

Staff requests Council approve an application for continued replacement of sections of mup for 50% of a project in the amount of \$200,000.

Staff Recommendation and Requested Action: Authorize Town Manager to apply for a Tourism Impact Grant for existing multi-use-path repairs.