

City Council – Action Request Form

Date: January 11, 2021

To: Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore, and Members of the City Council

From: Damon Dequenne, Assistant City Manager
Toneq' McCullough, Director of Transportation

Council Action Requested:
 Consideration of Items Related to the Construction of Sidewalk as part of the Northern Beltway Eastern Section Project (U-2579AB): (East Ward)

- a) Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to enter into an Agreement with the North Carolina Department of Transportation for the construction and maintenance of sidewalk as part of the Northern Beltway Eastern Section Project (U-2579AB)
- b) Project Budget Ordinance Amendment to Appropriate Funds for Project Expenditures

Strategic Focus Area: Quality Transportation
Strategic Objective: Expand Bike/Sidewalk/Greenway Network
Strategic Plan Action Item: No
Key Work Item: No



Summary of Information:
 The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) is nearing final design of the Eastern Section of the Winston-Salem Beltway from U.S. 311 to I-40 Business/U.S. 421 (U-2579AB). The current design includes sidewalks along Kernersville Road near the interchange and also along Sedge Garden Road near Sedge Garden Elementary School. Currently there are no sidewalks at these locations. NCDOT is therefore requesting the City to enter into a municipal agreement for cost sharing of construction and for the future maintenance of these sidewalks once installed.

The cost share arrangement for sidewalk construction with NCDOT requires local participation of 50% of construction costs. Construction cost for the proposed sidewalk is estimated at \$122,520, requiring the City to contribute \$61,260. The agreement also requires the City to maintain the sidewalks once they have been constructed. The City's portion of \$61,260 is available from a transfer from Bike/Pedestrian Projects Fund.

Committee Action:

Committee	Finance 1/11/2021	Action	Approval
For	Unanimous	Against	
Remarks:			