

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	72884	Agenda Number	54.
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Meeting Date:	8/3/2017	Department:	Transportation
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Subject

Approve a resolution authorizing negotiation and execution of an interlocal agreement with the City of Sunset Valley for the establishment and construction of a shared use pathway along Jones Road between Westgate Boulevard and Pillow Road in an amount not to exceed \$350,000 (District 5).

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$200,000 is available from the Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority Quarter-Cent funds authorized by Council on January 28, 2016; additional funding in the amount of \$150,000 is available from the 2016 Mobility Bond funds.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is attached.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	Resolution No. 20160128-050; Resolution No. 20160818-074; Ordinance No. 20160818-023; Resolution No. 20161215-017.
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Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

The purpose of this interlocal agreement is to outline the terms under which the City and the City of Sunset Valley would collaborate on the construction, operation and maintenance of a shared-use pathway along the northern side of Jones Road between Westgate Boulevard and Pillow Road.

The route for this project travels across the respective territorial jurisdictions of the City of Sunset Valley and the City of Austin. This project will provide enhanced access to Sunset Valley Elementary School by residents of Austin and improve non-motorized vehicular traffic within and through the respective territories of both Austin and Sunset Valley along Jones Road.

On January 28, 2016, bicycle improvements to Jones Road in the amount of \$200,000 were approved by Council as part of the list of projects to be funded by the City's allocation of Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority's quarter cent funding.

Following feasibility analysis and coordination with the City of Sunset Valley and the Austin Independent School District (AISD), a public process was initiated for this project on May 4, 2017. The public process included a community meeting on May 17, 2017 at Sunset Valley Elementary School.

The City will pay for the construction of the shared-use pathway. A total of \$200,000 in quarter-cent funding will be supplemented, as needed, with 2016 Mobility Bond funding, in an amount not to exceed a total project cost of \$350,000 for the construction of the shared-use pathway. Maintenance will be shared between the City of Sunset Valley and the City.

The project is located in District 5 and the City of Sunset Valley.