

Councilmember _____ introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

RESOLUTION #17-05-120

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING METRO MUNICIPAL AGREEMENT PROGRAM FUNDING APPLICATION FOR HIGHWAY 10 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD IMPROVEMENTS BETWEEN RAMSEY BOULEVARD AND SUNFISH LAKE BOULEVARD

WHEREAS, the City of Ramsey desires to construct frontage road improvements north of U.S. Highway 10 and to realign westbound U.S. Highway 10 between Ramsey Boulevard and Sunfish Lake Boulevard; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ramsey's 2017 – 2026 Capital Improvement Program identifies this project for construction in calendar years 2019 – 2020; and

WHEREAS, this improvement project is identified as an immediate priority in the Highway 10 Access Planning Study completed in 2014 as a partnership between the Minnesota Department of Transportation and the Anoka County Highway Department; and

WHEREAS, the City represents that this project provides a clear benefit to the Trunk Highway system, as well as to the local community, allowing the project to receive grant funding through the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) Metro Municipal Agreement Program at the maximum available amount of \$710,000; and

WHEREAS, the City owns several properties, and is in the process of securing another property, north of U.S. Highway 10 between Ramsey Boulevard and Sunfish Lake Boulevard in preparation for this public improvement project; and

WHEREAS, the City has the capability to adequately fund its local cost share for this public improvement project in the estimated amount of \$1,200,000; and

WHEREAS, the City is pursuing funds from other funding programs to cover all remaining costs for this public improvement project; and

WHEREAS, the City agrees to comply with all applicable laws and regulations as stated in the grant agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City has the necessary capabilities to adequately develop, implement, manage, and maintain this public improvement project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAMSEY, ANOKA COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA, as follows:

- 1) That the Ramsey City Council hereby authorizes staff to apply for \$710,000 in grant funding from the MnDOT Metro Municipal Agreement Program.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Councilmember _____, and upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

and the following voted against the same:

and the following abstained:

and the following were absent:

Whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted by the Ramsey City Council this the 23rd day of May, 2017.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk