

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

RESOLUTION #23-149

RESOLUTION APPROVING MnDOT COOPERATIVE CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT #1052001 FOR RAMSEY GATEWAY HIGHWAY 10 WIDENING IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, Anoka County is proposing grade separation improvements on County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 56/Ramsey Boulevard and CSAH 57/Sunfish Lake Boulevard at the Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) Railway and U.S. Highway 10/169 crossings to improve traffic operations and safety on each facility in partnership with BNSF, the City of Ramsey, and the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT); and

WHEREAS, the proposed improvements generally include reconstructing portions of U.S. Highway 10/169, CSAH 56/Ramsey Boulevard, CSAH 57/Sunfish Lake Boulevard, and Riverdale Drive; constructing new frontage roads; constructing sidewalks, trails and pedestrian curb ramps; constructing bridges and roundabouts; reconstructing municipal utilities; constructing a temporary traffic control signal system; establishing turf; and installing striping and signing; and

WHEREAS, said parties mutually agree that the at-grade intersections of CSAH 56 and CSAH 57 at the BNSF Railway and U.S. Highway 10 crossings require grade separation to improve traffic operations and safety on each facility; and

WHEREAS, U.S. Highway 10 is under the jurisdiction of MnDOT; and

WHEREAS, CSAH 56/Ramsey Boulevard and CSAH 57/Sunfish Lake Boulevard are County State Aid Highways under the jurisdiction of Anoka County; and

WHEREAS, Riverdale Drive and the Frontage Road north of Highway 10 are Municipal State Aid Streets under the jurisdiction of the City of Ramsey; and

WHEREAS, the BNSF Railway is under the jurisdiction of BNSF; and

WHEREAS, a temporary widening improvement project is proposed for 2023 to facilitate the expedient construction of the Ramsey Gateway Highway 10 Improvements; and

WHEREAS, MnDOT has prepared Cooperative Construction Agreement #1052001 to provide for payment of the State's share of the costs of grading and bituminous surfacing construction and of the City's share of the cost of construction engineering to be performed on TH 10 as part of the temporary widening improvements; and

WHEREAS, the parties agree it is in the best interest of the public to construct the improvements.

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

- 1) That the Mayor and City Administrator are hereby authorized and directed to enter into MnDOT Agreement No. 1052001 with the State of Minnesota, Department of Transportation, and Anoka County to provide for payment by the City to the State of the City's share of the costs of the construction engineering in connection with the City water main and sanitary sewer to be performed upon, along, and adjacent to Trunk Highway 10 from 0.32 miles east of Armstrong Boulevard (County State Aid Highway 83) to 0.38 miles west of Thurston Avenue under State Project 0202-123 (TH 10=003).

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 27th day of June, 2023.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk