

RESOLUTION NO. 2902

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION TO THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FY 2021 – FY 2022 SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM SET-ASIDE FUNDING FOR TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES, AFFIRMING COMMITMENT TO FUND THE LOCALITY SHARE OF THE PROJECT, AND PROVIDING SIGNATURE AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the City of Alexandria is a recipient of Virginia Department of Transportation (“VDOT”) funds under various grant programs for transportation-related projects; and

WHEREAS, VDOT requires each locality, by resolution, to provide assurance of its commitment to funding its local share; and

WHEREAS, VDOT requires each locality, by resolution, to document local officials’ authority to execute project agreements with VDOT; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia (“Council”) desires to submit an application for an allocation of funds of up to \$1,000,000 through the VDOT Fiscal Year 2021 to 2022 Surface Transportation Block Grant Program set-aside funding for Transportation Alternatives; and

WHEREAS, \$1,000,000 of these funds are requested to fund the design and construction of a sidewalk on the north side of the 3600 to 3800 block of Seminary Road; and

WHEREAS, the Council hereby supports this application for an allocation of \$1,000,000 through the VDOT Fiscal Year 2021 to 2022 Surface Transportation Block Grant Program set-aside funding for Transportation Alternatives.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Alexandria hereby commits to fund its local share of preliminary engineering, right-of-way and construction (as applicable) of the project(s) under agreement with the Virginia Department of Transportation in accordance with the project financial document(s).

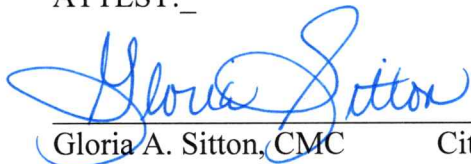
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Manager is authorized to execute all agreements and/or addendums for any approved projects with VDOT.

Adopted: September 24, 2019



JUSTIN M. WILSON MAYOR

ATTEST: _



Gloria A. Sitton, CMC

City Clerk



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Honorable Mayor Wilson and Members of City Council
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June 19, 2019

Re: Endorsement of Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program grant application

Dear Mayor Wilson and Members of City Council:

At its June 19, 2019 meeting, the Transportation Commission voted to endorse the following City's FY21-FY22 Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program grant application requests:

- Up to \$1.5 million for the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program to fund the Seminary Road Sidewalk Project
- Up to \$1.7 million for the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program to fund Holmes Run Trail Reconstruction at Dora Kelly

The Transportation Commission appreciates the opportunity to review staff recommendations for the FY21-22 VDOT grant requests.

May you have any questions; do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S.J. Klejst
Chair, Alexandria Transportation Commission

cc: Alexandria Transportation Commission
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Yon Lambert, Director, T&ES
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