

COUNCIL ACTION FORM

**SUBJECT: CYRIDE 2020 PAVEMENT IMPROVEMENTS MIDDLE SCHOOL
TURNAROUND PROJECT PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

BACKGROUND:

Concrete pavement at the Ames Middle School bus turnaround was installed when the school was built in 2004 and has deteriorated over the years. Last year, CyRide was unable to replace the pavement as planned due to an unanticipated legal matter with the property deed. This has been resolved and CyRide is ready to move forward with replacing the concrete at an estimated cost of \$132,211.

Funds have been allocated for the project in the 2020-2025 Capital Improvement Plan. The Ames Transit Agency Board of Trustees approved project plans and specifications at the March 4, 2020 meeting. Plans and specifications are now on file in the City Clerk's Office.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Approve plans and specifications for the CyRide 2020 Pavement Improvements Middle School Turnaround Project and establish April 2, 2020 as the date of letting and April 14, 2020 as the date for the report of bids.
2. Direct staff to continue to work with the A&E consultant to refine the project plans.

MANAGER'S RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Approval of the plans and specifications will allow CyRide to move forward with an important infrastructure project.

Therefore, it is the recommendation of the City Manager that the City Council adopt Alternative No. 1, as noted above.