

ITEM #: 15
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COUNCIL ACTION FORM

SUBJECT: 2029/30 ARTERIAL STREET PAVEMENT IMPROVEMENTS - EAST 13TH STREET (MCCORMICK AVENUE TO DAYTON AVENUE) GRANT APPLICATION

BACKGROUND:

As part of the Ames Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (AAMPO) Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) application process, the applicant must certify that it will commit the necessary local matching funds for project implementation and, upon completion, be responsible for adequately maintaining and operating the project for public use during its useful life.

The City of Ames is applying for \$995,000 in federal funding for the 2029/30 Arterial Street Pavement Improvement program - East 13th Street (McCormick Avenue to Dayton Ave). A local funding match of \$540,000 is programmed into the Capital Improvements Plan under the 2029/30 Arterial Street Pavement Improvements Program. These funds are sufficient to cover the required local match as well as project engineering.

Below is a table showing the revenues and estimated expenses.

Funding Source	Revenue	Expenses
2029/30 Arterial Pavement Improvements (G.O. Bonds)	\$ 540,000	
2029/30 AAMPO STBG Funds	995,000	
Estimated Construction		\$1,300,000
Estimated Engineering/Administration		\$ 235,000
TOTAL	\$1,535,000	\$1,535,000

As part of the AAMPO application process, the City must certify that it will commit the necessary local matching funds for project implementation and, upon completion, be responsible for adequately maintaining and operating the project for public use during its useful life.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Certify the Ames Area Metropolitan Planning Organization STBG grant application for the 2029/30 Arterial Streets Pavement Improvements - E 13th Street (McCormick Avenue to Dayton Ave)
2. Do not certify the Ames Area Metropolitan Planning Organization STBG grant application for the 2027/28 Arterial Streets Pavement Improvements - E 13th Street (McCormick Avenue to Dayton Ave)

CITY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Local certification is a requirement of this AAMPO grant application and receiving this grant is crucial to secure funding for the 2029/30 Arterial Streets Pavement Improvements Program - E 13th Street (McCormick Avenue to Dayton Ave). Therefore, it is the recommendation of the City Manager that the City Council adopt Alternative No. 1, as described above.

ATTACHMENT(S):

[Location Map 2029-30 Arterial E 13th St \(McCormick to Dayton Ave\).pdf](#)