

#21-0063

**TO**: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM**: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE**: February 2, 2021

TITLE: Resolution Reaffirming Support of the Shady Banks and Tarpon River

Project Submitted to the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization Complete Streets and other Local Initiatives Program Grant - (Commission

District 4)

### **Recommendation**

Staff recommends that the City Commission adopt a Resolution reaffirming support of the grant application submitted to the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Complete Streets and other Local Initiatives Program (CSLIP) for the Shady Banks and Tarpon River Neighborhood Mobility Master Plan Implementation Project under the new grant program terms.

### **Background**

On December 5, 2017, the City Commission authorized the submittal of an application to the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization's (MPO) Complete Streets and Other Localized Initiatives Program (CSLIP) for the Tarpon River and Shady Banks Neighborhood Mobility Master Plan Implementation, which was awarded.

The project scope includes adding sidewalks, raised intersections, pedestrian lighting, bulb outs, and a roundabout that were identified in respective Neighborhood Mobility Master Plans. The project maps are attached (Exhibit 1).

At the time of application, projects funded through the MPO's CSLIP were administered by the Florida Department of Transportation at no cost to the city. Recently, FDOT District Four announced that it would no longer be delivering federally funded projects on local roadways and that municipalities would need to manage the projects through their Local Agency Program (LAP).

Due to recent described change in grant conditions, the MPO has requested for the City to provide a resolution reaffirming support of the project moving forward; providing acknowledgment of the new grant requirements of the LAP process, that includes the City managing the project; the City providing funding for any contingency costs that may arise; and that the grant is reimbursable.

## **Resource Impact**

Design funding will be available in FY2025 and Construction and Construction Engineering and Inspection funding will be available in FY2027. The City would be responsible for providing \$243,000 in Contingency in FY2027. Based on the cost estimates, costs are anticipated on schedule below:

Project Name	Grant request	FY2025 Design Grant Funded	FY2027 Const & CEI Grant Funded	FY2027 Contingency City Funded
Tarpon River/Shady Banks Project	\$2,105,369	\$243,000	\$1,862,369	\$243,000

# **Strategic Connections:**

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024 Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:* 

- Infrastructure Focus Area
- Goal 2 Build a multi-modal and pedestrian friendly community.
- Objective Improve roads, sidewalks, and trails to prioritize a safer, more walkable and bikeable community

This item advances the Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale Vision Plan 2035: We Are Connected

### **Attachments**

Exhibit 1 – Project Scopes Exhibit 2 – Resolution

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