



Dakota County

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TITLE

Approval Of Grant Application Submittals To Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) For Rural Intersection Improvements And Trail Gaps In Burnsville Center Village Redevelopment

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, U.S. Department of Transportation is requesting project submittals for federal funding under the Safe Streets and Roads for All Discretionary Grant Program through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law; and

WHEREAS, these federal programs fund up to 80 percent of project construction costs; and

WHEREAS, federal funding of projects reduces the burden local taxpayers for regional improvements; and

WHEREAS, non-federal funds must be at least 20 percent of the project costs; and

WHEREAS, project submittals are due on September 15, 2022; and

WHEREAS, all proposed rural intersection projects are consistent with the rural road intersection assessment and adopted Dakota County 2040 Transportation Plan; and

WHEREAS, all County highway trail gaps included in the City of Burnsville's proposal are consistent with the Dakota County Pedestrian and Bicycle Study and adopted Dakota 2040 Transportation Plan; and

WHEREAS, subject to federal funding award, the Dakota County Board of Commissioners would be asked to consider authorization to execute a grant agreement at a future meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Dakota County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the County to submit rural road intersections improvement for the Safe Streets and Roads for All Grant Program for federal funding and recommended infrastructure improvements; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Dakota County Board of Commissioners hereby supports the City of Burnsville's Safe, Equitable, and Multimodal Access to the Burnsville Center Village Redevelopment submission to the Safe Streets and Roads for All Grant Program for federal funding for trail gaps around Burnsville Center Village redevelopment area including trails along County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 5 and CSAH 42.