



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Public Works

Date: March 3, 2015

To: Honorable Kevin Reich, Chair Transportation & Public Works Committee

Subject: **Amend Contract with the Kingfield Neighborhood Association to
Extend the Completion Date**

Recommendation:

Authorize proper City officials to amend contract C-38324 with the Kingfield Neighborhood Association (KFNA) to extend the contract expiration date to September 30, 2015 to allow completion of the Innovative Graffiti Prevention Micro Grant project.

Previous Directives:

May 9, 2014 - Direct the proper City officers to negotiate and execute an agreement with ten (10) recipients of the Innovative Graffiti Prevention Micro Grant, including LNA as set forth in Petition No. 277200.

Department Information:

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Approved by: _____
Steven A. Kotke, P.E., Director of Public Works

Presenters in Committee: Angela Brenny, Solid Waste and Recycling Division

Reviews

- Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval ___ Date _____
- Civil Rights Approval Approval ___ Date _____
- Policy Review Group (PRG): Approval ___ Date _____

Financial Impact

- No financial impact
- Action is within the Business Plan

Community Impact

City Goals: Living well: Minneapolis is safe and livable and has an active and connected way of life. All neighborhoods are safe, health and uniquely inviting.

Supporting Information

The City of Minneapolis, Solid Waste and Recycling Division, entered into an agreement with the KFNA in May 2014 for the prevention of graffiti through the installation of twelve (12) community designed utility box wraps and the repair of seven existing utility box wraps installed under a previous grant cycle. It includes educating community members on graffiti prevention and graffiti reporting.

KFNA has successfully installed 10 Utility Box wraps and spent thirty-six hours hosting community-based events at King Park and Kingfield Farmers Market educating community members about graffiti reporting options. A small portion of their utility box wrapping project has yet to be completed. KFNA has two remaining utility box wraps to install and an additional five (5) wraps that were installed under a previous grant to repair. These activities require a sustained outdoor air temperature of fifty degrees or warmer. This time extension will allow KFNA to properly complete the installation and repair portion of their project activities.