

City of Minneapolis
Request for Committee Action

To: Transportation & Public Works
Date: 10/27/2015
Referral: Ways & Means
From: Public Works Department
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File type: Action
Subcategory: Contracts & Agreements
Resolution

Subject:

Reimbursement for costs related to narrowing Vineland Place.

Description:

Authorizing proper city staff to execute an agreement with The Walker Art Center to receive reimbursement for the cost to evaluate the feasibility of narrowing Vineland Place west of Hennepin Avenue. Increase appropriation and revenue source in Capital Fund 04160-6000150.

Previous Actions:

None

Ward/Address:

Ward 7

Vineland Place west of Hennepin Avenue (adjacent to The Walker).

Background/Analysis:

The Walker Art Center has requested that the Public Works department evaluate the feasibility of narrowing Vineland Place west of Hennepin Avenue in 2016, in coordination with the work occurring at the Walker Art Center and Sculpture Garden. This evaluation is not part of the Hennepin Lyndale Reconstruction project and is not included in the City's current five year capital improvement program. As such, The Walker has agreed to reimburse the City of Minneapolis for this work.

The Walker is willing to contribute \$400,000 through a twenty year assessment to the project. The Mayor's proposed budget includes \$400,000 for the project. The estimated cost of this study is \$36,000.

Financial Review:

Additional appropriation required.

Increase appropriation and revenue source in Capital Fund 04160-6000150 by \$36,000.

By Reich and Quincy

Amending The 2015 Capital Improvement Appropriation Resolution.

Resolved by The City Council of The City of Minneapolis:

That the above-entitled resolution, as amended, be further amended by increasing appropriation and revenue by \$36,000 for Capital Fund 04160-6000150 to conduct a feasibility study of Vineland Place with reimbursement from the Walker Art Center.