



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

Date: September 12, 2005
To: Honorable Sandra Colvin Roy, Chair Transportation & Public Works Committee
Referral to: Honorable Barbara Johnson, Chair Ways & Means/Budget Committee
Subject: **Broadway/Central Railing Project Agreement with Hennepin County and the Minnesota Department of Transportation**

Recommendation:

- a) Authorize the appropriate City Officers to enter into an agreement with Hennepin County to receive up to \$100,000, and execute the Agreement after reviewed and approved by the City Attorney.
- b) Authorize the appropriate City Officers to enter into an agreement with the Minnesota Department of Transportation to receive up to \$100,000, and execute the Agreement after reviewed and approved by the City Attorney.

Previous Directives:

These funds were appropriated to Fund Agency Org 4100 937-9386 on December 13, 2004, 2004R-580.

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Approved by:

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Presenters: Meseret Wolana, Project Manager, Public Works

Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

- No financial impact - or - Action is within current department budget.
(If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information)
 Action requires an appropriation increase to the Capital Budget
 Action requires an appropriation increase to the Operating Budget
 Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase
 Action requires use of contingency or reserves
 Other financial impact (Explain):

Background/Supporting Information:

The purpose of this letter is to obtain authorization to enter into an agreement with Hennepin County and the Minnesota Department of Transportation, both agencies agreed to provide up to \$100,000 each pending on the execution of the cooperative agreement between the City and the agencies.

Broadway Avenue is in Hennepin County Roadway system and Central Avenue is in State Trunk Highway system. This project is programmed in the City Council approved 5-Year Capital Improvement Program to replace the existing chain link fence with steel railing system that will incorporate artwork that reflects the culture of the local community.

Broadway - Central Bridge Railings

