



## Legislation Text

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**SUBJECT:** Adoption of Resolution Approving the Administering Agency State Program Supplement No. F032 and Agreement Summary (E-76) for a Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) Grant CML-5085(052), (Project No. 119070), CMAQ-SDWK for the Use of \$36,679 in CMAQ Grant Funding for Preliminary Engineering for the Sidewalks on 7<sup>th</sup> Street and 8<sup>th</sup> Street Between West Avenue and Linda Lane Between 7<sup>th</sup> Street and Lopes Avenue

### REPORT IN BRIEF

Considers a resolution approving a California Department of Transportation Program Supplement for the use of \$36,679 in CMAQ Grant funding for Preliminary Engineering for the sidewalks on 7<sup>th</sup> Street and 8<sup>th</sup> Street between West Ave, and Linda Lane between 7<sup>th</sup> Street and Lopes Avenue.

### RECOMMENDATION

**City Council** - Adopt a motion:

- A. Adopting **Resolution 2019-36**, a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Merced, California, approving Federal-Aid Projects Program Supplement Agreement No. F032; and,
- B. Accepting CMAQ grant funds and increasing revenue in account 450-1104-321-32-00 by \$36,679 and appropriating the same to account 450-1104-637-65 (Project No. 119070) for preliminary engineering costs associated with design of sidewalk on 7<sup>th</sup> Street and 8<sup>th</sup> Street between West Ave, and Linda Lane between 7<sup>th</sup> Street and Lopes Avenue; and,
- C. Approving the use of pooled cash until reimbursement is received from the grant; and,
- D. Authorizing the City Manager or the Assistant City Manager to execute the necessary documents.

### ALTERNATIVES

- 1. Approve, as recommended by Staff; or,
- 2. Approve, subject to conditions other than recommended by Staff (identify specific findings and/or conditions amended to be addressed in the motion); or,
- 3. Deny; or,
- 4. Continue to a future meeting (date and time to be specified in the motion).

### AUTHORITY

Charter of the City of Merced, Section 200.

Caltrans Procedures for Administering Local Grant Projects in the State Transportation Improvement Program (STP) are used to comply with the changes to the programming and funding statutes brought about by Charter 622 of the Statutes of 1997 (SB 45, KOPP). The procedures have been modified to remain consistent with and complimentary to the various guidelines and policies adopted by the California Transportation Commission (CTC), including the current 2010 STP Guidelines (adopted on October 14, 2009).

## **CITY COUNCIL PRIORITIES**

As provided for in the 2019-20 Adopted Budget.

## **DISCUSSION**

In January 2019, City Council approved the ratification of three (3) grant applications for Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) funds to install sidewalks that will either connect gaps in existing sidewalk networks or construct new sidewalks in the locations outlined below:

1. Construction of a 5' wide sidewalk along 7th Street and 8th Street from Linda Lane to West; Linda Lane from Lopes Avenue to 7th Street.
2. Construction of a 5' wide sidewalk along South R Street, South S and South T Street from Childs Avenue to Stuart Drive.
3. Construction of a 5' side sidewalk in the areas of East Olive Avenue from West Queens Circle to North Parsons Avenue; Parsons Avenue from East Olive Avenue to Hansen Avenue; and East Alexander Avenue from Nottingham Lane to Parsons Avenue.

The attached Program Supplement is for the 7th Street and 8th Street from Linda Lane to West; Linda Lane from Lopes Avenue to 7th Street portion and would include approximately 4,500 linear feet of new sidewalk and approximate 5 access ramps.

This portion of the project is for Preliminary Engineering, which will allow for design, prepare engineering plans and specifications, environmental review, and public outreach. The Federal-Aid Projects Program Supplement Agreement No. F032 allows \$36,679 in grant funds and a local match of \$4,753 toward the Preliminary Engineering of this project.

## **IMPACT ON CITY RESOURCES**

Staff recommends accepting grant funds from the State of California adopted Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) Program, increasing revenue in account 450-1104-321.32-00 in the amount of \$36,679 and appropriating the same to account 450-1104-637.65-00-119070 for the Preliminary Engineering costs. Additionally, Fund 075-Measure V Alternative Modes will be used for the matching funds in the amount of \$4,753.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

1. Location Map
2. Resolution
3. Program Supplement

4. E-76 CML-5085(052)