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AGENDA ITEM STAFF ANALYSIS

Project/Issue Name: Bill #08-14 an Ordinance Authorizing the City Administrator of the City of Republic, Missouri, to Execute a Transportation Enhancement Funds Program Agreement with the Missouri Highway and Transportation Commission for the Construction of Sidewalks along N. Main Street from Hines to the Early Childhood Center.

Submitted By: David Brock, Public Works Director

Date: February 25, 2008

Issue Statement

The City of Republic has qualified for and been selected to receive Transportation Enhancement Funds to assist in construction of sidewalks along N. Main Street between Hines Street and the Early Childhood Center. A Transportation Enhancement Funds Program Agreement with MoDOT is necessary if the City desires to utilize these reimbursable funds for the project.

Discussion and/or Analysis

The City Attorney and Public Works staff have reviewed the agreement and find no issue with its content. The total estimated cost for the construction of the sidewalks is approximately \$43,000, of which 80% is eligible to be reimbursed by MoDOT. The City will be required to submit an RFP for Engineering Consulting Services, and sign a contract with an outside engineering firm to perform the plan design. Once actual construction estimates from the design are developed, the City will decide whether the work can be hired out or completed by city workforces.

Recommended Action

Public Works Director David Brock, recommends the City Council approve Bill #08-14 authorizing the City Administrator to execute a Transportation Enhancement Funds Program Agreement with the Missouri Highway and Transportation Commission.