

**TO: JIM GRAY, MAYOR  
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL**

**FROM: CHARLE LANTER, DIRECTOR  
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

**DATE: NOVEMBER 13, 2017**

**SUBJECT: Agreement with US DOT for the Town Branch Commons Project**

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**Request:**

Request Council authorization to authorize and direct the Mayor to execute the agreement with the U. S. Department of Transportation for the Town Branch Commons Project.

**Purpose of Request:**

On April 21, 2016 (Resolution No. 230-2016), Council approved submission of an application to the U.S. Department of Transportation requesting federal funds for sections of the Town Branch Commons Project. The U.S Department of Transportation offered LFUCG an award in the amount of \$14,095,887 for right of way acquisition, utility relocation, infrastructure, streetscape, drainage, signals, and signage. On December 6, 2016 (Resolution 730-2016), Council approved the acceptance of federal funds and authorized the expenditure of \$3,523,972 as match.

The agreement outlines the commitments of LFUCG and the US Department of Transportation regarding the Town Branch Commons Project.

**Cost in this Budget year and future budget years:** The federal award amount is \$14,095,887. This grant requires a 20% local match in the amount of \$3,523,972. Federal funds and grant match have been budgeted.

**Are the funds budgeted?** Yes.

**File Number:** 1267-17

**Director/Commissioner:** Burton/Paulsen

