

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

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TO:

JIM GRAY, MAYOR

URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

FROM:

IRENE GOODING, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

DATE:

FEBRUARY 24, 2014

SUBJECT:

Request Council authorization to accept award of federal funds in the amount of \$1,278,000 from the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet for design of Phases IV, V, And VI of Town Branch Trail Under The Congestion Mitigation and

Air Quality (CMAQ) Program

On October 24, 2013 (Resolution 573-2013), Council approved submission of an application requesting funding under the 2014 Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) program for construction of Phase IV of Town Branch Trail. The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet has offered the LFUCG design funds in the amount of \$1,278,000 for Phases IV, V, and VI for this project. The phases are as follows:

Town Branch Trail Phase IV. Design appropriation in the amount of \$106,000 for 2,800 feet of shared use path from Bizzell Drive to Townley Shopping Center (New Circle Road).

Town Branch Trail Phase V. Design appropriation in the amount of \$742,000 for one mile of shared use path from New Circle Road to McConnell Springs Park.

Town Branch Trail Phase VI. Design appropriation in the amount of \$430,000 for 1.5 miles of shared use path from McConnell Springs Park to Oliver Lewis Way.

The 20% required local match for design will be provided by the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet through toll credits. This match is valued at \$257,600.

Council authorization to accept the award is hereby requested.

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Xc: Derek Paulsen, Commissioner of the Department of Planning, Preservation, and

Development

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