



City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Public Works

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: December 18, 2023

Re: Adopting a resolution which conveys the City's commitment to a comprehensive re-examination of the City's existing complete streets policies, otherwise known as a "Livable Streets Policy."

Executive Summary

This policy resolution would convey the City's commitment to a comprehensive re-examination of the City's existing complete streets policies, otherwise known as a "Livable Streets Policy." This policy sets a goal of improving the livability of the City and contribute to the safety, health, equity, economic viability, and the quality of life by providing efficient and accessible connections between homes, neighborhoods, schools, work, recreation, and business destinations.

Discussion

Staff has worked with Local Motion on this policy resolution. This commitment would include hiring a consultant to study the City's existing complete streets policies using Local Motion's draft Livable Streets Policy as reference material. This policy, once developed, will ensure we are providing the best facilities possible for everyone to move safely about the City, regardless of how they travel. Public Works has obtained Safe Streets for All grant money for this work and is currently working on the development of a Request for Proposal to hire the consultant.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: There will be a financial impact, but the extent is unknown at this time.

Long-Term Impact: There will be a financial impact, but the extent is unknown at this time.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Reliable and Sustainable Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Safe Community,

Tertiary Impact: Inclusive and Equitable Community

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Livable & Sustainable Communities, Secondary Impact: Mobility,

Connectivity, and Accessibility, Tertiary Impact: Infrastructure



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Legislative History

Date	Action
12/04/2023	B288-23 Authorizing acceptance of the FY 2022 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) grant from the U.S. Department of Transportation to fund projects and activities associated with the Vision Zero Program; amending the FY 2024 Annual budget by appropriating funds.

Suggested Council Action

Adoption of the resolution.