

City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Community Development - Planning To: City Council From: City Manager & Staff Council Meeting Date: December 19, 2022 Re: Supplemental memo: Sidewalk Master Plan

Executive Summary

At the December 5, 2022 City Council meeting, the Council held the public hearing on the Sidewalk Master Plan. Several appendices that were part of the Master Plan, as it appeared on the agenda under the public hearing item, were not attached as exhibits to the adoption ordinance. Those attachments should be added to "Exhibit A" of the ordinance. Staff has also made several edits to the plan in response to comments and questions of Council. An amendment sheet has been prepared to incorporate the changes.

The proposed amendment of the plan to include a Ballenger Lane sidewalk, discussed at the December 5th meeting, has been scheduled for the Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission's January 18, 2023 meeting for their consideration.

Discussion

The complete Sidewalk Master includes the plan text and several appendices including the priority ratings matrix, FY 2023 capital improvements program sidewalk projects listing, project map, ordinance 19747, and policy resolution PR 48-06A. Since the public hearing, staff has added the appendices, added a cover sheet, removed "draft" watermarks and labels, removed a footnote reference to Business Loop 70 sidewalks (the note had suggested that the Loop Community Improvement District would build the sidewalks), and replaced an ambiguous dollar sign with the word "dollars" on page seven of the plan.

Staff has also scheduled the proposal to add a Ballenger Lane sidewalk to the plan for review by the Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission, as requested by the City Council. The commission will review the Council request on January 18, 2023. The Council will then consider an amendment to the plan, including description and analysis of the Ballenger Lane sidewalk location, following the commission's review.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: None Long-Term Impact: Unknown

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Reliable Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Safe Neighborhoods, Tertiary Impact: Inclusive Community



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Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Mobility, Connectivity, and Accessibility, Secondary Impact: Infrastructure, Tertiary Impact: Livable & Sustainable Communities

Legislative History	
Date	Action
12/5/22	Public hearing
11/21/22	Resolution setting public hearing
4/1/13	Approval of the 2012 Sidewalk Master Plan
3/7/07	Approval of the 2007 Sidewalk Master Plan (Ord. 19439)

Suggested Council Action

Approval of an amendment sheet to include the Sidewalk Master Plan, as revised, and including the appendices; approval of the Sidewalk Master Plan as amended.