

# City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Community Development - Planning

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: July 18, 2016

Re: North-Central Columbia neighborhood Historic Preservation Fund (HPF) grant agreement

### **Executive Summary**

Approval of this ordinance would authorize the City Manager to execute a contract between the Missouri Department of Natural Resources and the City to administer Historic Preservation Fund (HPF) grant funds; and appropriate such funds to eligible projects related to an architectural and historical survey of the North-Central Columbia neighborhood.

#### Discussion

On September 24, 2015, Council passed a Resolution which authorized the City Manager to submit a grant application to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources for assistance with an architectural and historical survey of part of the North-Central Columbia neighborhood. In December 2015, the Missouri Department of Natural Resources approved funding for this Historic Preservation Fund (HPF) grant. The HPF grant contract, which will survey an area bounded by Rogers Street, College Avenue (State Route 763), Ash Street, Walnut Street, and Park Avenue, is for a total amount not to exceed \$20,000 (\$12,000 State, \$8,000 City of Columbia).

This month the DNR submitted the grant agreement to the City. In order to carry out the objectives of the grant, the City will subcontract with a consultant who meets Department of Natural Resources Professional Qualification Standards for "Architectural Historians."

The ordinance would allow the City Manager to act on behalf of the City in executing contracts for projects to be funded with HPF grant funds. It is anticipated that the architectural review project will commence during summer 2016 once a consultant for this project has been selected.

#### Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Anticipated costs for the North-Central Columbia Survey will not exceed the local share detailed in the grant agreement. (\$8,000)

Long-Term Impact: No long-term costs are anticipated.



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## Vision & Strategic Plan Impact

### **Vision Impacts:**

Primary Impact: Arts & Culture, Secondary Impact: Community Character, Tertiary Impact: Economic Development

#### Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Secondary, Tertiary Impact: Tertiary

#### Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Livable & Sustainable Communities, Secondary Impact: Land Use & Growth Management, Tertiary Impact: Inter-Governmental Cooperation

## Legislative History

| Date      | Action  |
|-----------|---|
| 9/24/2015 | Resolution 152-15 – Authorizing HPF Grant application |

## Suggested Council Action

Approve the ordinance to authorize the City Manager to execute the Historic Preservation Fund (HPF) agreement.