

## City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Public Works

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: October 21, 2019

Re: Appropriating Funds to the Nifong Boulevard Corridor Improvement Project

#### **Executive Summary**

Appropriating funds from Jeffrey E. Smith Investment Co. L.C. to the Nifong Boulevard Corridor Improvement project to offset a portion of costs incurred by the City for the public improvement.

#### Discussion

On September 16, 2019, Council passed legislation to rezone property located on the southeast corner of the intersection of Nifong Boulevard and Bethel Street from District PD to District M-N. Included in that legislation was a developer agreement with Jeffrey E. Smith Investment Co. L.C. to guarantee a lump sum payment of \$100,000 to the City to offset a portion of the costs incurred by the for public improvement of the Nifong Boulevard Corridor Improvement project.

This lump sum payment offsets the costs for the following:

- Construction of sidewalk along the south side of Nifong Blvd
- Construction of a traffic signal at intersection of Aurora Drive and Nifong Bvld
- Design and construction of wedging at intersection of Aurora Drive and Nifong Blvd
- Construction of a portion of Aurora Drive and sidewalk on east side of roadway
- Evaluate stormwater improvements necessary upon completion of construction of Aurora Drive and Nova Way

The Nifong Boulevard Corridor improvement project between Providence Road and Forum Boulevard/Willowcreek Lane will be bid through the Purchasing division this fall with construction to begin in the spring of 2020.

#### Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Appropriating \$100,000 from Jeffrey E. Smith Investment Co. L.C. to the Nifong Boulevard Corridor Improvement project account. The total estimated project cost is \$12,300,000 for design, right of way, utilities and construction, and is being funded with 0.25% Capital Improvement Sales Tax, and developer fees.

Long-Term Impact: None related to this appropriation.



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## Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

## Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Secondary, Tertiary Impact: Tertiary

#### Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Mobility, Connectivity, and Accessibility,

Tertiary Impact: Tertiary

## Legislative History

Date	Action	
09/16/2019	B271-19-Rezoning property located on the southeast corner of the intersection of Nifong Blvd and Bethel Street from District PD to District M-N; approving a developer agreement guaranteeing installation of public improvements and irrevocable letter of credit with Jeffrey E. Smith Investment Co. L.C.	
11/19/2018	B277-18-Authorizing a bid call through the Purchasing division for the Nifong Boulevard corridor improvement project between Providence Road and Forum Boulevard/Willowcreek Lane and construction of the Forum Boulevard improvement project between Green Meadows Road and Nifong Boulevard	
11/19/2018	B278-18-Authorizing the acquisition of easements for the Nifong Boulevard corridor improvement project between Providence Road and Forum Boulevard/Willowcreek Lane and construction of the Forum Boulevard improvement project between Green Meadows Road and Nifong Boulevard	
08/06/2018	B167-18-Authorizing an agreement with Forum Boulevard Christian Church to partially vacate an access restriction to Nifong Blvd and impose new limited access to Nifong Blvd.	
01/16/2018	PH2-18- Public hearing for the proposed construction of the Nifong Boulevard corridor improvement project between Providence Road and Forum Boulevard/Willowcreek Lane	
12/18/2017	R173-17-Setting a public hearing for the proposed construction of the Nifong Boulevard corridor improvement project between Providence Road and Forum Boulevard/Willowcreek Lane	



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10/26/2017	Interested Parties Meeting
07/27/2017	Targeted Outreach Meeting
11/07/2016	R166-16-Authorizing an agreement for professional engineering services with Engineering Surveys and Services for design services relating to improvements to Nifong Boulevard between Providence Road and Forum Boulevard

## Suggested Council Action

Appropriating funds from Jeffrey E. Smith Investment Co. L.C. to the Nifong Boulevard Corridor Improvement project to offset a portion of costs incurred by the City for the public improvement.