

FACT SHEET**CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA****TITLE**

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a grant agreement between the City of Shreveport and the U.S. Department of Transportation and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

DATE

October 29, 2024

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT

Department of Public Works

COUNCIL DISTRICT

All Districts

SPONSOR**PURPOSE**

The City of Shreveport and the U.S. Department of Transportation will enter into the Raise Grant agreement allowing the City to participate in a project titled Shreveport Healthcare and Dev. Corridor Improvements.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The project includes reconstruction and improvement to a 1.6 mile stretch of Kings Highway connecting I-20 and I-49. The project will include ADA improvements, sidewalks, bike lanes, lighting improvements, a pedestrian bridge and traffic signal improvements.

TIMETABLE

Introduction: November 8, 2024
Final Passage: November 22, 2024

ATTACHMENTS

U.S. Department of Transportation Grant Agreement

SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

None

FINANCES

\$22,000,000

SOURCE OF FUNDS

80% Federal for Construction

ALTERNATIVES**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the Resolution.

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RESOLUTION NUMBER _____ OF 2024

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT AND THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

BY COUNCILMEMBER:

WHEREAS, the City of Shreveport and the U.S. Department of Transportation and desire to cooperate in the financing and delivery of the project as described herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that Tom Arceneaux, Mayor, be and is hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Shreveport a grant agreement under the fiscal year 2022 Raise Grant Program with the U.S. Department of Transportation for the project titled “Shreveport Healthcare and Development Corridor Improvements.”

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provisions or items of this resolution or the application thereof are held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications, and to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all ordinances or resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS DONE AND RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

City Attorney’s Office