

CITY OF SANTA ROSA
CITY COUNCIL

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
FROM: NANCY ADAMS, TRANSPORTATION PLANNER
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC WORKS
SUBJECT: AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO MEASURE M COOPERATIVE FUNDING
AGREEMENT NO. M70106-05 WITH THE SONOMA COUNTY
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (SCTA) FOR THE SANTA
ROSA CREEK TRAIL – DUTTON AVENUE ACCESS (WEST
SIDE) PROJECT

AGENDA ACTION: RESOLUTION

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended by the Transportation and Public Works Department that the Council, by resolution, approve Amendment No. 1 to Measure M Cooperative Funding Agreement No. M70106-05 between the Sonoma County Transportation Authority (SCTA) and the City of Santa Rosa for the Santa Rosa Creek Trail – Dutton Avenue Access (west side) project.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This proposed action will approve Amendment No. 1 to Measure M Cooperative Funding Agreement between the Sonoma County Transportation Authority (SCTA) and the City of Santa Rosa to update and align the Cooperative Agreement's Financial Plan and schedule with the 2017 SCTA Measure M Strategic Plan for the Santa Rosa Creek Trail – Dutton Avenue Access (west side) project.

This resolution supports Council Goal 3: Provide Leadership for Environmental Initiatives to improve transportation network to reduce vehicle miles traveled and to promote multi-modal transportation.

BACKGROUND

In November 2005, the City entered into Cooperative Funding Agreement No. M70106-05 with the Sonoma County Transportation Authority (SCTA) to construct Santa Rosa Creek trail improvements.

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Two phases of the project have been completed. Santa Rosa Creek Dutton Avenue Access (east side) – Phase II was completed in 2012. In 2014, the City completed the construction of a pathway along Santa Rosa Creek between Streamside Drive to Mission Circle – Phase I.

Santa Rosa Creek trail – Dutton Avenue access (west side) – Phase III is scheduled to be completed in May 2022.

The Cooperative Funding Agreement defines the framework to enable SCTA and the City to work cooperatively in developing the bicycle and pedestrian improvements on Santa Rosa Creek.

PRIOR CITY COUNCIL REVIEW

On August 16, 2005, the City Council, by Resolution No. 26361, approved Measure M Cooperative Funding Agreement No. M70106-05 between SCTA and the City of Santa Rosa for Measure M funds for the Santa Rosa Creek trail improvements.

ANALYSIS

Amendment to Cooperative Funding Agreement's Financial Plan and schedule would align with the 2017 SCTA Measure M Strategic Plan for the Santa Rosa Creek trail improvements – Dutton Avenue access (west side). This program doesn't require a local match.

The Amendment programs a total of \$162,000 of Measure M funds for the scoping, environmental review, design and right of way phases for the project. These funds will be appropriated as part of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2018/2019 Capital Improvement Program pending City Council approval. Construction funds are expected to be programmed in FY 2020/2021.

Entering into this amended Cooperative Funding Agreement would continue to allow the City to complete Phase III of the Santa Rosa Creek trail improvements.

The City Attorney's office has reviewed and approved to form Amendment No.1 to the Cooperative Funding Agreement.

FISCAL IMPACT

This action does not have a fiscal impact.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

This action is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because it is not a project which has a potential for resulting in either a direct physical change in the environment, or a reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment, pursuant to CEQA Guideline section 15378.

BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Not applicable.

NOTIFICATION

Not applicable.

ATTACHMENTS

- Resolution/Exhibit A Amendment No. 1 to Cooperative Funding Agreement No. M70106-05.

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