

**CITY OF CHANHASSEN
CARVER COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

DATE: _____ **RESOLUTION NO.:** _____

MOTION BY: _____ **SECONDED BY:** _____

**RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR A MnDOT 2021 LRIP GRANT APPLICATION FOR
THE MARKET BOULEVARD RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT**

WHEREAS, Chanhassen staff have been planning for the reconstruction of Market Boulevard from TH 5 to West 78th Street, and a preferred design was established as a part of a corridor study that was completed in 2016; and

WHEREAS, the proposed improvements include the reconstruction of Market Boulevard to a four-lane section to address existing operational and safety issues and provide for the access needs of the adjacent redevelopment area; and

WHEREAS, \$75 million in MnDOT Local Road Improvement Program (LRIP) funding is currently available, with a cap of \$1.25 million for each project, to help fund local improvements to roadways with regional significance, and Market Boulevard qualifies as a regionally significant roadway; and

WHEREAS, the estimated construction cost for the proposed improvements to Market Boulevard is approximately \$3.2 million, and the LRIP funds can be used on a majority of the elements included as a part of the roadway reconstruction work; however, additional funding will be needed beyond the potential \$1.25 million in LRIP funds; and

WHEREAS, the City of Chanhassen will be responsible for the remaining costs if the project is successful in obtaining LRIP funds.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CHANHASSEN CITY COUNCIL:

1. Supports the reconstruction of Market Boulevard; and
2. Supports the submittal of a MnDOT 2021 LRIP Grant Application for the project; and
3. Provides assurance that the City will pay for their share of the project improvement costs beyond the LRIP grant award.

Passed and adopted by the Chanhassen City Council this 22nd day of February 2021.

ATTEST:

Heather Johnston, Interim City Manager

Elise Ryan, Mayor

YES

NO

ABSENT