



City of Greensboro

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Agenda Report

File Number: 2024-841

Agenda Item# G.2.

Agenda Date: 12/17/2024. **Department:** Transportation
Meeting Type: Council Meeting **Category:** Consent Agenda

Title: 2024-841 Resolution Authorizing Grant Agreement with Federal Highway Administration in the Amount of \$919,931 for the FY 2024 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Demonstration Program

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safest City | <input type="checkbox"/> Most Skilled Workforce |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Easiest Place to Do Business | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Most Connected City |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Sports Capital | <input type="checkbox"/> Hub of Recreation and Entertainment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abundance of Attainable Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Admin <u>Briefly Explain 3 word maximum</u> |

Council District: Citywide

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date/By: NA

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PURPOSE:

A resolution needs to be approved to authorize a grant agreement with FHWA for FY 2024 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Demonstration Program.

BACKGROUND:

This grant agreement provides *Safe Streets and Roads for All* grant funds for conducting roadway safety planning and demonstration activities to pilot countermeasures designed to reduce speeding, encourage safe driving behaviors, and improve road safety. Key initiatives will include road diets, medians, curb extensions, enhanced lighting, and monitoring of speeds, seat belt usage, and distracted driving. A targeted media campaign will also be launched to promote safe driving behavior and gather feedback from the public on traffic safety concerns. Demonstration activities implemented under this grant will be evaluated for effectiveness to support development of solutions for safer roads. The grant will be carried out through a cooperative effort between GDOT and GPD, in collaboration with NCDOT, the Metropolitan Planning Organization, and other partners.

Vision Statement: "A Community with Endless Economic Opportunities and Exceptional Quality of Life."

The agreement provides for \$735,945 in federal grant funds (80%) matched by \$183,986 in City of Greensboro funds (20%). The period of performance will commence upon execution of the grant agreement and continue for 12 months, with an anticipated completion date in early 2026.

BUDGET IMPACT:

Funding for this project will be as follows:

\$735,945	(80%) Federal Funds
<u>\$183,986</u>	(20%) Local Matching Funds
\$919,931	

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

Local matching funds will come from 2022 Transportation Bond Fund account 492-45-4599160.6220.

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

It is recommended that City Council approve the attached resolution authorizing a grant agreement with FHWA in the amount of \$919,931 for the FY 2024 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Demonstration Program.