

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation issued a call for projects in January 2025 for communities to apply for funding assistance through the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside (TA) Program.

WHEREAS, the TA funds may be used for development of preliminary engineering (plans, specifications, and estimates and environmental documentation) and construction of pedestrian and/or bicycle infrastructure. The TA funds require a local match, comprised of cash or Transportation Development Credits (TDCs), if eligible. The City of El Paso would be responsible for all non-reimbursable costs and 100% of overruns, if any, for TA funds.

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso desires to submit a 2025 TA Detailed Application for TA funding for a project to construct a shared use path on the south side of Magoffin Avenue from Cotton Street to Palm Street, continuing on Palm Street to Piedras Street to Paisano Drive at Gateway Boulevard North. The proposed project will include pedestrian illumination, high visibility crosswalks, street trees, irrigation, and wayfinding signage.

WHEREAS, should its project be selected for funding, the City would be eligible to use Transportation Development Credits in lieu of cash for the City's local match.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

THAT the City of El Paso supports funding this project as described in the 2025 TA Detailed Application and is willing to commit to the project's development, implementation, construction, maintenance, management, and financing. The City of El Paso is willing and able to enter into an agreement with the Department by resolution or ordinance, should the project be selected for funding.

APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2025.


CITY OF EL PASO:

Renard U. Johnson
Mayor

ATTEST:

Laura D. Prine
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Roberta Brito
Senior Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Joaquin Rodriguez
CID Grant Funded Programs Director