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A RESOLUTION

Authorizing the City Manager to Submit an Application for Grant Funds from the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Control Program for the Green Bay Road Improvements from Asbury Avenue to McCormick Boulevard

WHEREAS, the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Control ("CMAQ") program, is a federal grant program operated by the Chicago Metropolitan Planning Agency ("CMAQ") in partnership with other state agencies, local governments, interest groups, and citizens, designed to enhance the transportation system and encourage more livable communities; and

WHEREAS, CMAQ funding can be requested to support projects that will mitigate transportation congestion, such as lane reduction and signal modernization; and

WHEREAS, the CMAQ Program funds eighty percent (80%) of the subject project cost and the remaining twenty percent (20%) must be matched by the respective program participant for the payment of construction engineering and construction costs; and

WHEREAS, the City is preparing a CMAQ application for the construction of the Green Bay Road Improvements from Asbury Avenue to McCormick Boulevard (hereinafter referred to as the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the total Project cost is estimated to be \$2,400,000.00 (Two Million Four Hundred Thousand and no/100 Dollars) and the City seeks to apply to CMAQ for \$1,920,000.00 (One Million Nine Hundred Twenty Thousand and no/100

Dollars) of CMAQ funds for the Project and the City's twenty percent match portion for the Project will be \$480,000.00 (Four Hundred Eighty Thousand and no/100 Dollars),

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THAT:

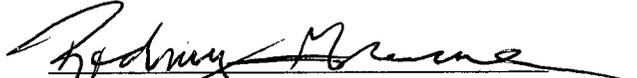
SECTION 1: The City Manager is hereby authorized to submit the CMAQ Application for federal funds to CMAP and the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to attest, on behalf of the City of Evanston.

SECTION 2: The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate any additional conditions of the application as may be determined to be in the best interests of the City.

SECTION 3: This Resolution 17-R-15 shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.


Elizabeth B. Tisdahl, Mayor

Attest:


Rodney Greene, City Clerk

Adopted: February 9, 2015