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DATE: 03/07/2023

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE RELATED TO IMPROVEMENTS TO **JEFFERSON STREET - 2021 TRANSPORTATION BOND PROGRAM**

*** CONSENT AGENDA ***

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve an Interlocal Agreement (ILA) with the City of Grand Prairie related to improvements to Jefferson Street.

BACKGROUND

On August 3, 2021, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #136021, accepted a prioritized list of thirty-three 33 projects recommended by the participating cities and the Court-appointed Project Evaluation Committee (PEC) for funding in the Call for Projects category of the 2021 Transportation Bond Program (TBP). The Jefferson Street improvement project is included in the approved list of projects.

With voter approval of Proposition A on November 2, 2021, and with Commissioner Court approval of the issuance of bond funds on May 24, 2022, through Court Order #138185, the County is now proceeding with the execution of an ILA with the City of Grand Prairie related to improvements to Jefferson Street. This project will consist of the construction (or reconstruction) of Jefferson Street from Great Southwest Parkway to Southwest 23rd Street. The project calls for reconstructing the existing pavement, widening Jefferson Street from four (4) lanes to six (6) lanes, intersection improvements, utility improvements and pedestrian sidewalks.

This ILA is attached and has been reviewed by the Auditor's Office and approved as to form by the Criminal District Attorney's Office.

FISCAL IMPACT

The fiscal impact to Tarrant County for FY 2023 will be \$419,481.00 in 2021 TBP funds to be disbursed in accordance with the schedule in Attachment A of this ILA. Funds are available in account 579061/47800-2023/6840100000.

SUBMITTED BY:	Transport