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DATE: 04/18/2023

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF ARLINGTON RELATED TO THE DEBBIE LANE IMPROVEMENT **PROJECT - 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 Arlington to provide funding through the 2021 Transportation Bond Programs (TBP) related to the Debbie Lane Improvement Project.

BACKGROUND

On August 3, 2021 through Court Order #136021, the Commissioners Court 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 TBP. The Debbie Lane Improvement Project is included in the approved list of projects.

With 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 Arlington related to the Debbie Lane Improvement Project. This project will be funded through the 2021 TBP.

This project consists of the construction (or reconstruction) of Debbie Lane from the Arlington/Mansfield city limits to west of State Highway 360. The project will improve the continuity of the corridor by connecting to existing four-lane divided median roadways on both ends of the Project. This project will include the reconstruction of a two-lane county-type road to a four-lane divided median roadway with new drainage system, sidewalks, streetlights, water line extensions, sanitary sewer line extensions, pavement markings, street signs, communication conduit, conduit for future use, and traffic signals at Tabasco Trail, Collins Street, Lost Canyon Trail, Glenn Day Drive/Ragland Road, and RaceTrac driveway intersections.

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 \$3,649,950.00 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:	Transportation
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