

City of Carson City
Agenda Report

Item # 4-4B

Date Submitted: August 28, 2007

Agenda Date Requested: Sept 6, 2007

Time Requested: Consent

To: Mayor and Supervisors

From: Parks and Recreation Department

Subject Title: Action to adopt Resolution No. _____, a resolution approving an Interlocal Project Agreement Contract with the State of Nevada, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Division of State Parks, to provide \$100,000 in grant funds to be used towards the construction and paving of two trail segments along the Linear Park Bicycle/Hiking Trail.

Staff Summary:

City staff has applied for and been awarded grant funding from the State of Nevada, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources to be used towards the construction and paving of two trail segments along the Linear Park Bicycle/Hiking Trail in order to provide connectivity from Roop Street to Hells Bells Road, including the Mexican Ditch Trail. Board of Supervisors approval of the Project Agreement will allow City staff to proceed with the project and implement a portion of the Unified Pathways Master Plan.

Type of Action Requested: (check one)

- Resolution Ordinance
 Formal Action/Motion Other (Specify)

Does This Action Require A Business Impact Statement: Yes No

Recommended Board Action: I move to adopt Resolution No. _____, a resolution approving an Interlocal Project Agreement Contract with the State of Nevada, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Division of State Parks, to provide \$100,000 in grant funds to be used towards the construction and paving of two trail segments along the Linear Park Bicycle/Hiking Trail.

Explanation for Recommended Board Action: On April 6, 2006, the Board of Supervisors approved the Unified Pathways Master Plan which identified goals such as 1) Create a continuous transportation system that provides non-automobile mobility and access to important destinations; 2) Provide a continuous system of recreational pathways; and 3) Provide a continuous transportation system which emphasizes east/west and north/south connectivity. The plan's objectives include 1) Complete the "missing links" to ensure a continuous network of pathways that are free of gaps and barriers. In addition, on September 21, 2006, the Board approved revisions to the priority list for Question 1 State of Nevada Conservation and Resource Protection Grant Program Projects which identified the Linear Park Trail extension and connection project. With the Board's conceptual approval of this project, staff has moved forward on implementation.

Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation: Nevada Revised Statutes 277.180

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Explanation of Impact: Approval of this project agreement contract provides Carson City with funds to be used towards the construction and paving of two trail segments along the Linear Park Bicycle/Hiking Trail in order to provide connectivity from Roop Street to Hells Bells Road and the Mexican Ditch Trail. This grant requires a 20% match. Staff anticipates match funding through another non-City grant application.