



Kansas City

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Meeting Minutes - Final-Revised

Transportation, Infrastructure and Operations Committee

Chairperson Kevin O'Neill
Vice Chair Melissa Robinson

Councilmember Eric Bunch

Councilmember Johnathan Duncan

Councilmember Lindsay French

Wednesday, February 21, 2024

9:00 AM

26th Floor, Council Chamber

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84530222968>

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Public Testimony is Limited to 2 Minutes

Present: Kevin O'Neill, Melissa Robinson, Eric Bunch and Johnathan Duncan

Excused: Lindsay French

240195 Sponsor: Director of the Aviation Department

Authorizing a \$13,623,926.21 contract with Ideker, Inc., for the 1L-19R High Speed Connectors project at KCI Airport; authorizing a maximum expenditure of \$14,986,318.83; and appropriating \$14,986,318.83 from the Unappropriated Fund Balance of the Kansas City Airports Fund.

Sponsors: Director of Aviation

Jade Liska, Mallie Hare, Aviation Department and Cody Phillips, with Ideker, presented. The purpose of the project is to reconstruct Runway 1L/19R connectors in the amount of \$13,623,926.00 for a maximum amount of \$14,986,318.00. The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) will support 75% of the funding and the Aviation Department will support 25% of funds. Contractor's will remove the surface pavement and primary pavement to address the lower structure of the existing pavement which will also realign the exit taxiways to improve the runway. Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch and Councilmember Duncan

Excused: Councilmember French

240199 Sponsor: Director of Public Works Department

RESOLUTION - Expressing the City Council's support for the City's grant application for the Grand Boulevard Bicycle-Pedestrian Bridge Project in the amount of \$8,532,929.00, which would require local matching funds up to the amount of \$2,133,232.00.

Sponsors: Director of Public Works and Bunch

Jason Waldron, Public Works Department, presented on this resolution. Approval of the resolution confirms support of the city's grant application for bicycle/pedestrian bridge project in the amount of \$9,761,208.00 which will require local matching funds from the Public Mass Transportation Fund. There was detailed discussion regarding the project. Committee members expressed their concerns regarding funding and how necessary the project needs to happen. Committee is in support of the project 100%.

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Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch and Councilmember Duncan

Excused: Councilmember French

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

1. There may be a general discussion regarding current Transportation, Infrastructure and Operations Committee issues.

2. Closed Session

- Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 1 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss legal matters, litigation, or privileged communications with attorneys;
- Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 2 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss real estate;
- Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsections 3 and 13 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss personnel matters;
- Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 9 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss employee labor negotiations;
- Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 11 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss specifications for competitive bidding;
- Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 12 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss sealed bids or proposals; or
- Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 17 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss confidential or privileged communications with auditors.

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Adjournment