

**RESOLUTION NO. 609**

**WHEREAS**, the Missouri Department of Transportation (MODOT) has announced plans to rebuild the Interstate 44 bridges over the Meramec River just west of Interstate 270; and

**WHEREAS**, the original design of the bridges did not include a bicycle/pedestrian component; and

**WHEREAS**, public support for bike/ped access led to an agreement with between MODOT and Great Rivers Greenway to fund the bike/ped access on the bridge if the municipalities on either side were able to fund the construction of the bike/ped approaches to the bridge; and

**WHEREAS**, the Cities of Fenton, Kirkwood and Sunset Hills did not have funds available for this project, the Cities submitted a joint application to the Municipal Park Grant Commission and received a special grant of \$979,000 for this project of regional significance; and where as the grant amount was amended to \$1,306,589.78 due to 90% final design estimates and now due to construction cost the amount has been amended to \$1,725,000 after letting documents went out for bid.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Cities of Fenton, Kirkwood and Sunset Hills have received additional amount of \$369,547.99 for the construction of the bike/fed access project and \$48,862.23 for future incidentals on the project. We will not approve any expenditures over and above the grant amount unless the costs are agreed to by the governing bodies of all three municipalities.

**PASSED** by the Board of Alderman this 1st day of March, 2022.

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK