

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-12**

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COWETA, OKLAHOMA REQUESTING PROGRAMMING OF TULSA URBANIZED AREA SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT FUNDS.**

**WHEREAS**, Surface Transportation Block Grant funds have been made available for transportation improvements within the Tulsa Urbanized Area; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Coweta is in the engineering phase of a widening project on E 111<sup>th</sup> Street S to alleviate congestion in that rapidly growing corridor; and

**WHEREAS**, there are approximately 220 existing single-family homes along that portion of E 111<sup>th</sup> Street S, with another 900 single-family properties in the development process; and

**WHEREAS**, this project will provide safe multi-modal transportation access to shopping, dining, and employment opportunities for the residents of area of the city through pedestrian friendly sidewalks tied into the surrounding residential and commercial developments; and

**WHEREAS**, the selected project is consistent with the Coweta Comprehensive Plan 2020-2030, including applicable Major Street and Highway Plan and Multi-Modal Transportation Elements, as applicable and the Regional Transportation Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the engineer's preliminary estimate of cost is \$250,201.30, and Federal participation under the terms of the Surface Transportation Block Grant Program Urbanized Area funds are hereby requested for funding of eighty percent (80%) of the project cost; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Coweta proposes to use unobligated fund balance in the 1% Sales Tax Fund for the balance of the project costs; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Coweta agrees to provide for satisfactory maintenance after completion and to furnish the necessary right-of-way clear and unobstructed; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Coweta has required matching funds available and further agrees to deposit with the Oklahoma Department of Transportation said matching funds within thirty (30) days after approval by the Federal Highway Administration.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Coweta, Oklahoma that:

**SECTION 1** the Indian Nations Council of Governments is hereby requested to program this project into the Transportation Improvement Program for the Tulsa Transportation Management Area if this project is selected for Surface Transportation Block Grant funding.

**SECTION 2** upon inclusion in the Transportation Improvement Program, the Oklahoma Transportation Commission is hereby requested to concur in the programming and selection of this project and to submit the same to the Federal Highway Administration for its approval.

**SECTION 3** the City Manager is directed to make application for Surface Transportation Block Grant funding for the above-described project and obtain all documents and signatures necessary to make such application.

This Resolution is approved in open meeting by the City Council of the City of Coweta on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

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Julie Casteen, City Clerk

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Ronald D. Cates, City Attorney