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Subject: FW: Special Meeting of the North Little Rock City Council at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, May 9, 2025
Attachments: Res. - Authorizing the Mayor to submit a funding request on behalf of the City for congressionally directed funds for the design of the main street viaduct replacement project. (R-25-85).pdf
Importance: High

Talor,

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Honorable Members of the North Little Rock City Council:

The purpose of this e-mail is to advise you that Mayor Hartwick has called a special meeting of the North Little Rock City Council at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, May 9, 2025, at City Hall Council Chambers, North Little Rock, Arkansas. The following will be on the agenda:

R-25-85. Authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to submit a funding request on behalf of the City of North Little Rock for Congressionally directed funds for the design of the Main Street Viaduct Replacement Project; appropriating funds. Sponsor: Mayor Terry C. Hartwick.

Pursuant to Section 1.03 of North Little Rock Ordinance No. 9079, as amended by Ordinance No. 9328, the Mayor and I are requesting that you waive the 72 hour notice requirement of notice delivered by email, as permitted by Section 1.03(a)(3).

Please acknowledge receipt of this e-mail as soon as possible by replying to the same. A copy of your reply will automatically be sent to City Clerk Diane Whitbey.

Respectfully,

Amy Beckman Fields

City Attorney

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RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT A FUNDING REQUEST ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK FOR CONGRESSIONALLY DIRECTED FUNDS FOR THE DESIGN OF THE MAIN STREET VIADUCT REPLACEMENT PROJECT; APPROPRIATING FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, United States Senator John Boozman has submitted a request for FY26 Congressionally Directed Spending Funds; and

WHEREAS, the existing Main Street Viaduct (8th Street to 13th Street) was constructed in 1927; and

WHEREAS, after an inspection in 2020, ArDOT recommended replacement of the viaduct;

WHEREAS, the City desires to apply for FY26 Congressionally Directed Spending Funds (80% Federal – 20% Local Match) for design funds replacement of the bridge, with estimated costs to be as follows:

Topographic and Property Surveys	\$ 200,000.00
Planning and Environmental	\$ 700,000.00
Preliminary Design	\$ 500,000.00
Geotechnical Engineering	\$ 150,000.00
<u>Final Design</u>	<u>\$ 450,000.00</u>
Estimated Total Cost	\$ 2,000,000.00

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: That the Mayor or his designee is hereby authorized to submit an application on behalf of the City of North Little Rock for grant funding from FY2026 Congressionally Directed Spending Funds for design services for replacement of the Main Street Viaduct (8th Street to 13th Street).

SECTION 2: That the sum of \$400,000.00 is hereby appropriated from the 2023 Sales Tax Capital Improvement Fund, representing the City's 20% local matching funds for the project.

SECTION 3: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED:

APPROVED:

Mayor Terry C. Hartwick

SPONSOR:

ATTEST:

TERRY C. Hartwick
Mayor Terry C. Hartwick *by AT*

Diane Whitbey, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Amy Beckman
Amy Beckman Fields, City Attorney

PREPARED BY THE OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY/kt

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