Application

01971 - 2014 Multiuse Trails and Bicycle Facilities
02189 - Margaret St Bicycle Boulevard & McKnight Trail
Regional Solicitation - Bicycle and Pedestrian Facilities

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Organization Information

Name: ST PAUL, CITY OF

Jurisdictional Agency (if different):
### Project Information

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The project would construct a bicycle boulevard facility on Margaret Street from Forest Street to McKnight Road and an off-street path along McKnight Road from Minnehaha Avenue to Hudson Road. The bicycle boulevard would include construction of 5 neighborhood traffic circles, bumpouts at intersections with three major streets, implementation of a dynamic display speed sign or other crossing treatment at White Bear Avenue, and intersection geometry improvements at Johnson Parkway.

In 2014, the City of Saint Paul invested $100,000 of local funding on a planning and construction effort to lead a public involvement process to guide a vision for improvements along Margaret Street. However, funding limitations for capital improvements permitted only the addition of pavement markings and signage to establish a bicycle route, leaving many of the safety enhancements uncompleted. This proposed project would complete the vision established by the local neighborhoods for safety improvements along Margaret Street. The off street path along the west side of McKnight Road would connect users of the bicycle boulevard to travel north/south to reach one of the existing traffic signals along McKnight to safely cross the four-lane undivided roadway.

Margaret Street is an important east/west route for bicycling across the east side of Saint Paul. While traffic volumes on Margaret are low, additional improvements to the corridor help establish a safe bicycling alternative to much busier streets such as Minnehaha Avenue or 3rd Street.

Include location, road name/functional class, type of improvement, etc.

Project Length (Miles) 3.5
**Connection to Local Planning:**
Reference the name of the appropriate comprehensive plan, regional/statewide plan, capital improvement program, corridor study document [studies on trunk highway must be approved by MnDOT and the Metropolitan Council], or other official plan or program of the applicant agency [includes Safe Routes to School Plans] that the project is included in and/or a transportation problem/need that the project addresses. List the applicable documents and pages.

The City's 2008 Comprehensive Plan directs staff to "Develop and Maintain a complete and connected bikeway system" (page T-16) and to "Promote Bicycle Boulevards as a new type of bikeway" (page T-17). The Comprehensive Plan identified several bikeway "search corridors" (Figure T-D, Page T-18) for further refinement of the final alignment. The Margaret Street Bicycle Boulevard project was identified as a specific alignment within one of the identified "search corridors". The project idea was awarded $100,000 of local funding in 2014 for planning and minimal implementation. The route was nominally established with signs and shared lane markings in 2014.

Margaret Street was identified as part of the Tier 1 Regional Bicycle Transportation Network by the Metropolitan Council in 2014, and is identified as a "Major Bikeway" on Figure 4 of the draft Saint Paul Bicycle Plan, which is anticipated to be adopted in February 2015.

**Project Funding**

Are you applying for funds from another source(s) to implement this project?  
No

If yes, please identify the source(s)

- Federal Amount $1,251,549.00
- Match Amount $312,888.00

Minimum of 20% of project total

- Project Total $1,564,437.00
- Match Percentage 20.0%

Minimum of 20%  
Compute the match percentage by dividing the match amount by the project total
Source of Match Funds: Local Funds

Preferred Program Year: 2018

**Project Information**

**County, City, or Lead Agency:** City of Saint Paul

**Zip Code where Majority of Work is Being Performed:** 55106

**(Approximate) Begin Construction Date:** 05/01/2018

**(Approximate) End Construction Date:** 12/01/2018

**LOCATION**

**From:** (Intersection or Address)
Bike Blvd: Margaret Street @ Forest Street, Off-Street Path: McKnight Road @ Minnehaha Ave

**To:** (Intersection or Address)
Bike Blvd: Margaret Street @ McKnight Road, Off-Street Path: McKnight Road @ Hudson Road

**Type of Work**
aggregate base, bituminous base, bituminous surface, sidewalks, signals, lighting, ped ramps, signage, pavement markings, bicycle path

**BRIDGE/CULVERT PROJECTS**
(If Applicable)

**Old Bridge/Culvert?** No

**New Bridge/Culvert?** No

**Structure is Over/Under**
(Bridge or culvert name):

**Specific Roadway Elements**

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**Specific Bicycle and Pedestrian Elements**

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## Requirements - All Projects

**All Projects**

1. **The project must be consistent with the goals and policies in these adopted regional plans:** Thrive MSP 2040 (2014), the 2030 Transportation Policy Plan (amended 2013), the 2030 Regional Parks Policy Plan (amended 2013), and the 2030 Water Resources Management Policy Plan (2005).

   **Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement.** Yes

2. **Applicants that are not cities or counties in the seven-county metro area with populations over 5,000 must contact the MnDOT Metro State Aid Office prior to submitting their application to determine if a public agency sponsor is required.**

   **Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement.** Yes

3. **Applicants must not submit an application for the same project in more than one funding sub-category.**

   **Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement.** Yes
4. The requested funding amount must be more than or equal to the minimum award and less than or equal to the maximum award. The cost of preparing a project for funding authorization can be substantial. For that reason, minimum federal amounts apply. Other federal funds may be combined with the requested funds for projects exceeding the maximum award, but the source(s) must be identified in the application. Multiuse trails & bicycle facilities must be between $125,000 and $5,500,000. Pedestrian facilities and Safe Routes to School must be between $125,000 and $1,000,000.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

5. The project must comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

6. The project must be accessible and open to the general public.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

7. The owner/operator of the facility must operate and maintain the project for the useful life of the improvement.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

8. The project must represent a permanent improvement with independent utility. The term independent utility means the project provides benefits described in the application by itself and does not depend on any construction elements of the project being funded from other sources outside the regional solicitation, excluding the required non-federal match. Projects that include traffic management or transit operating funds as part of a construction project are exempt from this policy.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

9. The project must not be a temporary construction project. A temporary construction project is defined as work that must be replaced within five years and is ineligible for funding. The project must also not be staged construction where the project will be replaced as part of future stages. Staged construction is eligible for funding as long as future stages build on, rather than replace, previous work.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

10. The project applicant must send written notification regarding the proposed project to all affected communities and other levels and units of government prior to submitting the application.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

Requirements - Bicycle and Pedestrian Facilities Projects

1. All projects must relate to surface transportation. As an example, for multiuse trail and bicycle facilities, surface transportation is defined as primarily serving a commuting purpose and/or that connect two destination points. A facility may serve both a transportation purpose and a recreational purpose; a facility that connects people to recreational destinations may be considered to have a transportation purpose.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

2. The project must exclude costs for study completion, preliminary engineering, design, construction engineering, or other similar costs (eligible costs include construction and materials, right-of-way, and land acquisition).

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

3. The project must exclude work which is required as a condition of obtaining a permit or concurrence for a different transportation project.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

4. Seventy percent of the project cost must fall under one of the following eligible activities:

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement. Yes

For Safe Routes to School Projects Only

5. All projects must be located within a two-mile radius of the associated primary, middle, or high school site.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement.
6. All schools benefiting from the SRTS program must conduct after-implementation surveys. These include the student tally form and the parent survey available on the National Center for SRTS website. The school(s) must submit the after-evaluation data to the National Center for SRTS within a year of the project completion date. Additional guidance regarding evaluation can be found at the MnDOT SRTS website.

Check the box to indicate that the project meets this requirement.

7. The applicant must have a Safe Routes to School plan or planning process established to be eligible for funding. MnDOT staff will notify Metropolitan Council staff of all agencies eligible for funding. If an applicant has a new Safe Routes to School plan and has not previously notified MnDOT Safe Routes to School staff of the plan, the applicant should contact Nicole Campbell (Nicole.M.Campbell@state.mn.us; 651-366-4180) prior to beginning an application to discuss the plan and confirm eligibility. MnDOT staff will send updated applicant eligibility information to Metropolitan Council staff, if necessary.

Check the box to indicate that the applicant understands this requirement and will contact MnDOT Safe Routes to School staff, if necessary, to confirm funding eligibility.

Other Attachments
Measure A: Project Location Relative to the RBTN

Select one:

Tier 1, Priority RBTN Corridor
Yes

Tier 2, RBTN Corridor

(Tier 1 or Tier 2)

Direct connection to the RBTN

OR

Project is not located on or directly connected to the RBTN, but is part of a local system and identified within an adopted county or city plan

Upload Map

RBTN.pdf

Measure A: Cost Effectiveness

Existing Population Within One Mile (Integer Only) 82226

Existing Employment Within One Mile (Integer Only) 35364

Completed by Metropolitan Council Staff

Total Project Cost $1,564,437.00

Cost Effectiveness for Population $19.03

Cost Effectiveness for Employment $44.24

Upload Map

Population.pdf

Measure A: Project Location and Impact to Disadvantaged Populations

Select one:

Project located in Racially Concentrated Area of Poverty Yes

Project located in Concentrated Area of Poverty

Projects census tracts are above the regional average for population in poverty or population of color
The proposed bikeway will be an asset to low income and minority populations in the area. The project will provide a safe and attractive way for residents of the city to get around without shouldering the costs of driving and owning a car. Roughly 15% of Saint Paul residents do not have access to a motor vehicle and rely on bicycling, walking and transit to get around the city, however, there is not currently an east/west bicycle facility on Saint Pauls east side. This proposed project would address safety concerns that may discourage residents from using a bicycle.

The proposed bicycle boulevard maximizes the utility of the existing low volume street while minimizing potential impacts. There will not be any impacts to on-street parking or other roadway uses.

The off-street shared-use path along McKnight Road will help residents of the east side access the Sun Ray Shopping Center, including the grocery store, which is an important destination for lower income east side residents seeking access to fresh & healthy foods.

### Measure B: Affordable Housing

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### Total Project Length

| Total Project Length | 3.5 |
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### Measure A: Gaps, Barriers and Continuity/Connections

Check all that apply:

- Closes a Gap on or off the RBTN including improving bikeability for all age/experience levels within urban, high demand corridors that may already have a continuous bikeway facility (in urban high-demand corridors, this could include adding an off-road trail where there is only an on-street bike lane or adding a bike lane where only a trail exists)
  - **Closes a Gap**: Yes

- Provides a Facility That Crosses or Circumvents a Physical Barrier (bridge or tunnel; on or off the RBTN) including a river or stream, railroad corridor, freeway, or multi-lane highway
  - **Provides a Facility That Crosses or Circumvents a Physical Barrier**: Yes

- Improves Continuity and/or Connections Between Jurisdictions (on or off the RBTN) (e.g., extending a specific bikeway facility treatment across jurisdictions to improve consistency and inherent bikeability)
  - **Improves Continuity and/or Connections Between Jurisdictions**: Yes
The proposed project closes a gap on the Regional Bicycle Transportation Network by constructing an east/west bicycle facility on Margaret Street in a part of the city where there are no other east/west bicycle facilities and helping bicyclists cross major multi-lane roadways. Crossing treatments are proposed to help bicyclists cross busy intersections at Johnson Parkway (2-lane 11,300 ADT), White Bear Avenue (4-lane undivided 18,000 ADT), and McKnight Road (4-lane divided 18,000 ADT). Geometric improvements will aid crossing Johnson Parkway, and a dynamic speed display sign or other crossing treatment will aid crossing White Bear Avenue.

The proposed shared-use trail to be constructed along McKnight Road will help create connections between Saint Paul and Maplewood, including the 3M campus. The proposed off-street path along McKnight closes a gap in the existing north/south trail network along McKnight Road. Bicyclists using the Margaret Street Bikeway will be able to use the proposed trail along McKnight Road to access existing signalized intersections at Minnehaha Ave, Conway Ave, or Hudson Road to cross McKnight Road and continue eastward into Maplewood.

The proposed facilities are designed to be appropriate for bicyclists of all ages and abilities. A Margaret Street Bike Blvd will provide an alternative to more heavily trafficked east/west roadways.
The project as proposed seeks to correct safety issues associated with high traffic volume and compromised pedestrian and bicyclist safety along Margaret Street and McKnight Road. While Margaret Street experiences low traffic volumes, intersecting high-volume arterial streets present significant safety barriers for pedestrians and bicyclists wishing to cross. Crossing treatments at Johnson Parkway (11,300 ADT), White Bear Avenue (18,000 ADT), and McKnight Road (18,000 ADT) are proposed to help bicyclists and pedestrian safely navigate across the roadways. The installation of neighborhood traffic circles and bumpouts will calm traffic and reduce crossing distances, increasing safety while reducing points of conflict between motor vehicles and non-motorized traffic. The correction of intersection geometry and the implementation of ADA-compliant facilities at Johnson Parkway will enable improved navigation and safety through the intersection for non-motorized users. On McKnight Road, high traffic speed, volume, and the absence of dedicated space for bicyclists results in a dangerous and challenging environment for non-motorized users. Designating a protected off-street path for bicyclists facilitates a safer bicycling environment, reduces bicycle/pedestrian conflict points, and accommodates north/south navigation to signalized intersections to cross the four-lane roadway.

Measure A: Transit Connections

| Existing Routes Directly Connected to the Project | 63, 74, 80, 219, 294, 351, 353, 355, 375 |
| Planned Transitways Directly Connected to the Project (alignment and mode determined and identified in the 2030 TPP) | N/A |
| Existing Routes Indirectly Connected Within One Mile of the Project | 61, 63, 64, 70, 74, 80, 219, 294, 350, 351, 353, 355, 361, 364, 365, 375 |
| Planned Transitways Indirectly Connected Within One Mile of the Project (alignment and mode determined and identified in the 2030 TPP) | East 7th Street BRT |
| Upload Map | Transit.pdf |
Response

Met Council Staff Data Entry Only

Route Ridership Directly Connected 3776521.0
Transitway Ridership Directly Connected 0
Route Ridership Indirectly Connected 3007089.0
Transitway Ridership Indirectly Connected 3689600.0

Measure B: Pedestrian Connections

The proposed project will connect directly to several high pedestrian traffic areas, including Sun Ray Shopping Center, Margaret Recreation Area (a city park and playground), and Eastern Heights Elementary School. The proposed Margaret Street bike boulevard will also help pedestrians connect to the mixed use commercial node at 7th Street & Margaret Street through existing sidewalks. Future extensions of the Margaret Street bike boulevard will extend the bicycle treatments further west to Swede Hollow Park and the Bruce Vento Regional Trail.

A 2015 project will construct enhanced sidewalks and streetscape elements (lighting, trees, sidewalks, etc.) centered on the commercial node at 7th & Arcade, just two blocks from the western terminus of the proposed project and connected via existing sidewalks. A 2016 MnDOT project will construct an off-street path along the west side of McKnight Road at I-94, but the northern terminus of this trail will be at Hudson Road. The off-street path proposed in this project will connect directly to that trail establishing a north/south pedestrian route across I-94 and to the Sun Ray Shopping Center.

Response (Limit 1,400 characters; approximately 200 words)

Measure C: Multimodal Facilities
The proposed project provides a direct connection to routes 63, 74, 80, 219, 294, 351, 353, 355, and 375. The proposed trail along McKnight Road also connects users to the Sun Ray Shopping Center, including the Sun Ray Transit Center, which serves as a critical hub and transfer location for many routes across the east side of Saint Paul. Sun Ray Transit Center is also a planned stop for the Gateway Corridor current in project development phases.

The proposed project will improve conditions for pedestrians and transit users by calming traffic along Margaret Street, providing crossing treatments for pedestrians at major cross streets. The proposed trail along McKnight Road will provide an improved pedestrian experience, including improved snow removal in winter. The project will include typical ADA improvements and ped ramps per FHWA guidelines. The proposed project will improve connections between bicycling, walking, and transit routes, allowing users to transition between modes more easily.

Bus Routes 63 and 74 provide existing midday service of 10-20 minute headways. Route 80 provides service approximately every 30 minutes. Service plans are not yet available for the proposed Gateway Corridor, but it is anticipated to provide a high level of service upon completion.

Transit Projects Not Requiring Construction

If the applicant is completing a transit or TDM application, only Park-and-Ride and other construction projects require completion of the Risk Assessment below. Check the box below if the project does not require the Risk Assessment fields, and do not complete the remainder of the form. These projects will receive full points for the Risk Assessment.

Check Here If Your Transit Project Does Not Require Construction
Measure A: Risk Assessment

1) Project Scope (5 Percent of Points)
Meetings or contacts with stakeholders have occurred
Yes
100%

Stakeholders have been identified
40%

Stakeholders have not been identified or contacted
0%

2) Layout or Preliminary Plan (5 Percent of Points)
Layout or Preliminary Plan completed
Yes
100%

Layout or Preliminary Plan started
50%

Layout or Preliminary Plan has not been started
0%

Anticipated date or date of completion
09/26/2014

3) Environmental Documentation (10 Percent of Points)

EIS
EA
PM
Yes

Document Status:

Document approved (include copy of signed cover sheet)
100%

Document submitted to State Aid for review
75%

Document in progress; environmental impacts identified
50%

Document not started
Yes
0%

Anticipated date or date of completion/approval
06/01/2017

4) Review of Section 106 Historic Resources (15 Percent of Points)
No known potential for archaeological resources, no historic resources known to be eligible for listed on the National Register of Historic Places located in the project area, and project is not located on an identified historic bridge
100%

Historic/archeological review under way; determination of no historic properties affected or no adverse effect anticipated
Historic/archaeological review under way; determination of adverse effect anticipated

Unknown impacts to historic/archaeological resources

Anticipated date or date of completion of historic/archeological review: 04/01/2017

Project is located on an identified historic bridge

5) Review of Section 4f/6f Resources (15 Percent of Points)

Section 4f resources present within the project area, but no known adverse effects

Adverse effects (land conversion) to Section 4f/6f resources likely

Unknown impacts to Section 4f/6f resources in the project area

6) Right-of-Way (15 Percent of Points)

Right-of-way or easements not required

Right-of-way or easements required, offers made

Right-of-way or easements required, appraisals made

Right-of-way or easements required, parcels identified

Right-of-way or easements required, parcels not identified

Right-of-way or easements identification has not been completed
Anticipated date or date of acquisition

7) Railroad Involvement (25 Percent of Points)

No railroad involvement on project  
Yes  
100%

Railroad Right-of-Way Agreement is executed (include signature page)  
100%

Railroad Right-of-Way Agreement required; Agreement has been initiated  
60%

Railroad Right-of-Way Agreement required; negotiations have begun  
40%

Railroad Right-of-Way Agreement required; negotiations not begun  
0%

Anticipated date or date of executed Agreement

8) Construction Documents/Plan (10 Percent of Points)

Construction plans completed/approved (include signed title sheet)  
100%

Construction plans submitted to State Aid for review  
75%

Construction plans in progress; at least 30% completion  
50%

Construction plans have not been started  
Yes  
0%

Anticipated date or date of completion  
02/01/2018

9) Letting

Anticipated Letting Date  
05/01/2018
File Number: RES 14-1921

Authorizing the Department of Public Works to prepare and submit project applications into the Metropolitan Council's Regional Solicitation Process for potential federal funding for projects in years 2018 and 2019, and to commit the local funding match requirement if the Department is awarded the federal funding.

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Council has released its Regional Solicitation for project applications for potential federal funding in years 2018 and 2019, and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works is proposing to submit six seven project applications into the Metropolitan Council's Regional Solicitation process, and

WHEREAS, the six seven project applications being proposed are:

- Replacement of the Kellogg Boulevard/3rd Street Bridge #62080
- Trout Brook Road Extension from Prince Street to Lafayette/Kittson
- Pierce Butler East Extension Ph. II - Arundel to east of Western
- Margaret Street Bicycle Boulevard - Forest Street to McKnight Road
- Rehabilitation of Indian Mounds Park Trail - T.H. 61 to Bruce Vento Trail
- Saint Paul Downtown Traffic Signal Enhancements Program
- The Samuel H. Morgan to Bruce Vento Nature Sanctuary Bicycle and Pedestrian Bridge, and

WHEREAS, if any of the above named projects get selected to receive federal funding the City is prepared to commit to a local funding match of 20% of the total project(s) cost which is a requirement to securing the federal funds, and

WHEREAS, the Mayor, pursuant to Section 10.07.1 of the Charter of the City of Saint Paul, does certify that there will be funds made available for appropriation in future Capital Improvement Budgets if federal funds are awarded to any of the projects listed above; so

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Saint Paul to authorize the Department of Public Works to prepare and submit project applications for federal funding through the Metropolitan Council's Regional Solicitation Process as referenced in this resolution, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Saint Paul that local funding will be made available as a match to any and all federal funds that are awarded to any of the projects referenced in this resolution. These funds will be identified and made available in future years capital improvement budgets.
I, Shari Moore, City Clerk of the City of Saint Paul, Minnesota, do hereby certify that I have compared the attached copy of RES 14-1921 as adopted by the City Council on 11/12/2014 and approved by the Mayor with the original thereof on file in my office.

Attest: Shari Moore

November 20, 2014
Date Certified
RBTN Evaluation and Major Barriers

Results

Project **IN TIER 1** Bicycle Transport Corridor.
Results

Within ONE Mile of project:
Total Population: 82226
Total Employment: 35364

Population Summary

For complete disclaimer of accuracy, please visit http://giswebsite.metc.state.mn.us/gissitenew/notice.aspx

Created: 11/20/2014
LandscapeRSA4

Multiuse Trails and Bicycle Facilities Project: Margaret St Bike Blvd & McKnight Trail | Map ID: 1416505891736
Results

Project IN a racially concentrated area of poverty.
Transit Connections  Multiuse Trails and Bicycle Facilities Project: Margaret St Bike Blvd & McKnight Trail | Map ID: 1416505891736

Results

Transit with a Direct Connection to project: 63 74 80 219 294 351 353 355 375

Transit within QTR mile of project: 63 74 80 219 294 350 351 353 355 375

Transit within HALF mile of project: 61 63 70 74 80 219 294 350 351 353 355 375 361 364 365 375

*East 7th

Transit within ONE mile of project: 61 63 64 70 74 80 219 294 350 351 353 355 361 364 365 375

*East 7th

* indicates Planned Alignments