

**CITY OF PEORIA, ARIZONA
COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS**

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Amend No. _____

Date prepared: April 21, 2009

Council Meeting Date: May 19, 2009

TO: Carl Swenson, City Manager

THROUGH: Susan J. Daluddung, Deputy City Manager 

FROM: J.P. de la Montaigne, Community Services Director 

PREPARED BY: Jeff Sargent, RLA, Park Projects Administrator 

SUBJECT: Resolution Authorizing a Grant Application for an Addition to New River Path Between Northern Avenue and Olive Avenue

RECOMMENDATION:

Discussion and possible action to adopt a resolution which authorizes an application for a Transportation Enhancement Grant to Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) for construction of approximately one mile of path along New River between Northern Avenue and Olive Avenue

SUMMARY:

Each year, MAG solicits grant applications from the Transportation Enhancement program. Peoria has been previously successful on a grant for 2 miles of trail between Olive Avenue and Grand Avenue along New River. This year, staff is recommending a grant request for ROUND 17 to be funded in 2017 to assist with the construction of approximately one mile of trail along the New River Trail system between Northern Avenue and Olive Avenue. Federal funds are capped at \$500,000 and the project is estimated at \$789,930. The City of Peoria is responsible for the greater of 5.7% of the project cost plus any overage which in this case totals \$284,390. The plans are complete and waiting final review by ADOT (Arizona Department of Transportation). Because of this, the City anticipates that even though the grant funding is designated for 2017, the City will be in a position to request close-out monies prior to that should funds be available.

ATTACHMENT: Resolution
Project Area (2)

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- New Business
- Public Hearing: No Action Taken

ORD. # _____ RES. # 09-05
LCON# 04109 LIC. # _____
Action Date: _____

RESOLUTION NO. 09-65

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, APPROVING THE APPLICATION FOR TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT FUNDS FOR CONSTRUCTION AND LANDSCAPING OF THE NEW RIVER PATH BETWEEN NORTHERN AVENUE AND OLIVE AVENUE.

WHEREAS, the reauthorization of the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century provides funds to the State of Arizona, its political subdivisions and Indian Tribes to construct enhanced surface transportation activities for public use; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) is responsible for the administration of the program within the State, called the Arizona Transportation Enhancement Program (AzTEP); and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Peoria finds that application by the City to the AzTEP program is in the best interests of the City; and

WHEREAS, the procedures established by ADOT require an applicant to certify by resolution the approval of applications, signature authorization, the availability of local matching funds, and authorization to sign a Participant Agreement with ADOT.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Mayor and City Council:

- 1) Approve the filing of the application for Round 17 of the AzTEP; and**
- 2) Certify that participation in the AzTEP is consistent and compatible with all adopted plans and programs of the Mayor and City Council for surface transportation activities; and**
- 3) Agree to comply with all appropriate procedures, guidelines, and requirements established by ADOT as a part of the application process; including:**
 - a) Commit to a 5.7% match plus any overmatch plus any cost overruns; and**
 - b) Commit to funding project scoping document, environmental, right-of-way and utility clearances and design, as applicable; and**
 - c) Commit that the project will be ready for advertisement in THREE YEARS; and**
 - d) Agree to reimburse ADOT/FHWA for all federal funds used, if the project is cancelled by the sponsor; and**

- e) Agree to pay an ADOT review fee; and
- 4) Certify that the City of Peoria will comply with all appropriate state and federal regulations, policies, guidelines, and requirements as they relate to the application; and
- 5) Certify that the City of Peoria has allocated, and, if awarded, will spend, matching funds in the amount of \$284,390 from the City's General Fund available and dedicated to satisfy the obligations incurred by participation in AzTEP; and
- 6) Appoint the City Manager and Community Services Director as agents of the Mayor and City Council to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents, including, but not limited to, applications, agreements, amendments, billing statements, and such other documents as may be necessary for participation in the AzTEP.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE City of Peoria this 19th day of May 2009.

Bob Barrett, Mayor

Date Signed

ATTEST:

Mary Jo Kief, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

REVIEWED BY:

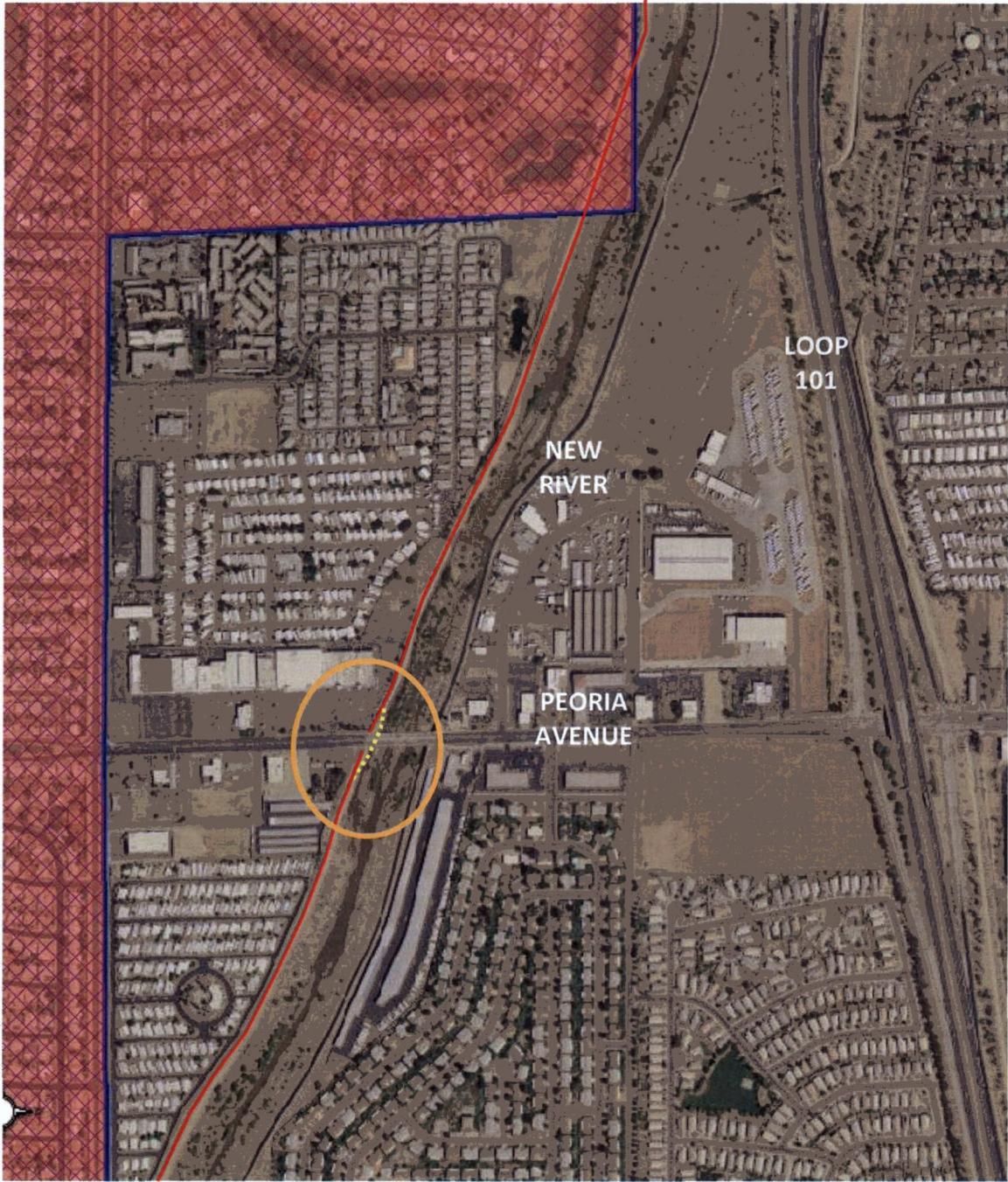
Stephen M. Kemp, City Attorney

Carl Swenson, City Manager

I, the undersigned, Bob Barrett, being the duly appointed and qualified Mayor of the City of Peoria, certify that the foregoing resolution No. 09-65 is a true, correct and accurate copy of Resolution No. 09-65 passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the City of Peoria the 19th of May 2009 at which a quorum was present and voted in favor of said May 19, 2009 Resolution.

Given under my hand and seal this ____ of May 2009.

Bob Barrett, Mayor



Neighborhood Vicinity Map

Design Concept

