

RESOLUTION NO. 2019 –59

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL GRANT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, the Safe Routes to School program is a federally funded program administered in Michigan by the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT); and

WHEREAS, the City of Charlotte, in partnership with Charlotte Public Schools, Hayes Green Beach Hospital, CanDo!, Barry Eaton Health Department and the Eaton County Road Commission, is applying for funds through MDOT from the Safe Routes to School program to construct certain infrastructure projects throughout the City, including sidewalks, crosswalks, and signage to enable and encourage children to safely walk and bike to school; and

WHEREAS, MDOT requires a formal commitment from the public agency that will be receiving these funds and will be implementing and maintaining these infrastructure projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City has authorized Amy Gilson, DPW Director and Act 51 Street Administrator, to act as agent on behalf of the City to request Safe Routes to School funding, to act as the applicant’s agent during the project development, and to sign a project agreement upon receipt of a funding award; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the City attests to the existence of, and commits to, the funds necessary to carry out the project, including engineering design and construction, permit fees, administration costs, and cost overruns; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the City commits to owning, operating, funding, and implementing a maintenance program over the design life of the facilities constructed with Safe Routes to School funding.

Moved by _____, second by _____

Yeas: _____

Nays: _____

Absent: _____

Abstain: _____

Dated and filed with the City Clerk this 10^h day of June, 2019.

Ginger L. Terpstra
City Clerk

APPROVED BY COUNCIL: June 10, 2019