

Resolution authorizing the use of Capital Improvement Project funding for the Downtown Neighborhood Association Paint and Fix Up Grant Program to include Washburn Neighborhood.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse previously allocated funds from Tax Increment Finance (TIF) District 11 in the 2022-2026 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) Budget item #737 in the amount of \$30,000 for the Downtown Neighborhood Association Paint and Fix Up Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the Grant Program opened to all Downtown residents in March of 2025 with postcards sent to property owners regarding the grant opportunity; and

WHEREAS, there are still funds left in this program and downtown residents who are interested in the program have had ample time to apply for the program; and

WHEREAS, the Washburn neighborhood also falls within Tax Increment Finance District 11 and would therefore also be eligible to use these funds for the same purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that it hereby authorizes use of available funding from Tax Incremental Financing District 11 in the 2022-2026 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) Budget item #737 for the Paint and Fix Up Grant Program to include the Washburn and Downtown Neighborhood boundaries.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of Finance and Director of Planning and Development are hereby authorized to take any and all steps necessary to implement this resolution.