

PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES COMMITTEE

10-0050R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR AND, IF SELECTED, ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT FROM THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY THROUGH THE GREAT LAKES RESTORATION INITIATIVE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$360,000 FOR A PROJECT ENTITLED RSPT - REACHING OUT TO REACH OUR MISSION.

CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that the proper city officials are hereby authorized to execute an application for, and if selected, implement a grant from the environmental protection agency through the Great Lakes restoration Initiative and administered by the Minnesota pollution control agency in the amount of \$360,000 for a project entitled: *RSPT - Reaching Out to Reach Our Mission*, funds to be deposited in Fund 0535-500-1915-4210-01, and to execute any documents required to be executed to accept such grant.

Approved:

Approved for presentation to council:

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Department Director

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Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:

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Attorney

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Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution authorizes city application for a \$360,000 grant from the environmental protection agency and, if selected, implementation of the grant to fund the RSPT - reaching out to reach our mission project. The regional stormwater protection team (RSPT) is a collaboration of 26 municipalities, organizations, agencies and groups working together to coordinate public education about stormwater pollution prevention and provide technical assistance to solve stormwater problems. This grant will allow the RSPT to expand its education programs, host training workshops, and conduct an evaluation of the effectiveness of its outreach projects.