

CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA  
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-072  
2022-2023 MNDOT LOCAL PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM  
FUNDING APPLICATION APPROVAL

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Department of Transportation State Aid for Local Transportation Office has solicited applications for funding of improvement to the Trunk Highways that benefit local communities through their Local Partnership Program (LPP); and,

WHEREAS, the TH 246 and Jefferson Parkway Roundabout Improvement will be complete in the fall of 2020 and, with that project, the City added a sidewalk from Marvin Lane to the Northfield High School entrance with a pedestrian crossing and Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon; and,

WHEREAS, a trail gap exists on the east side of TH 246 from the High School Crossing to the intersection of TH 246 and Jefferson Parkway; and,

WHEREAS, completing this trail gap will allow for students and the public that want to access Bridgewater Elementary and Northfield Middle School to utilize the pedestrian underpasses at TH 246 and Jefferson Parkway, therefore avoiding an at-grade pedestrian crossing on the highway and improving safety for all users; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Northfield will submit a LPP funding application requesting \$549,000 based upon the City's preliminary design estimate; and,

WHEREAS, City Council supports and approves the submission of the MNDOT LPP funding application.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL THAT:

The City of Northfield has reviewed and approved the project as proposed, and will ensure this project is completed in accordance with state requirements if the project is selected for LPP funding.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 1st day of September, 2020

ATTEST

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City Clerk

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Mayor

VOTE: \_\_\_ POWNELL \_\_\_ GRABAU \_\_\_ DELONG \_\_\_ NAKASIAN  
\_\_\_ NESS \_\_\_ PETERSON WHITE \_\_\_ ZWEIFEL