



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

City of Greenville, South Carolina

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council
FROM: John F. McDonough, City Manager

Agenda Item No.

11a

Ordinance/First Reading
 Ordinance/Second & Final Reading
 Resolution/First & Final Reading
 Information Only

AGENDA DATE REQUESTED: October 26, 2020

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION CAPTION:

ORDINANCE TO APPROPRIATE FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$100,000 FOR THE PROVISION OF PEDESTRIAN STREET LIGHTS ON SPRING STREET AND COFFEE STREET ADJACENT TO THE NEW FEDERAL COURTHOUSE

SUMMARY BACKGROUND:

City staff has been working for several years with the General Services Administration (GSA) on the new Federal Courthouse Project. Construction is well underway, with a 2021 completion date.

GSA does not have funding in the project budget to add new pedestrian street lights on the Spring and Coffee Street sides of the project. The City desires to continue making downtown walkable, and as such, believes that coordinating new pedestrian lights during construction is the best time to add this new lighting.

This request will appropriate \$100,000 from the Economic Development Project in the Capital Projects Fund to order and install new pedestrian lights.

IMPACT IF DENIED:

New pedestrian lights will not be added on the Spring Street and Coffee Street sides of the new Federal Courthouse, which will not promote a walkable downtown.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$100,000 will be appropriated from the Economic Development Project in the Capital Projects Fund. There is sufficient balance in this project for this appropriation.

REQUIRED SIGNATURES

Department Director Merle Johnson

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City Attorney Michael Pitts

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A N O R D I N A N C E

TO APPROPRIATE FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$100,000 FOR THE PROVISION OF PEDESTRIAN STREET LIGHTS ON SPRING STREET AND COFFEE STREET ADJACENT TO THE NEW FEDERAL COURTHOUSE

WHEREAS, the General Services Administration (GSA) is building a new Federal Courthouse at a downtown location bounded by East North Street, Spring Street, and Coffee Street; and

WHEREAS, pedestrian street lights do not currently exist on the Spring Street and Coffee Street sides of the Federal Courthouse; and

WHEREAS, to continue the City’s emphasis on pedestrian-friendly streets and safety enhancements, the City would like to add new street lights on the Spring Street and Coffee Street sides of the Federal Courthouse; and

WHEREAS, GSA is willing to coordinate with the City on the placement and installation of the lights, but their project budget does not include funding for these pedestrian lights on Spring Street and Coffee Street; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funding is available in the Economic Development Project for this initiative;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA, the amount of \$100,000 is appropriated in the Capital Projects Fund for the provision of pedestrian street lights on Spring Street and Coffee Street adjacent to the new Federal Courthouse as reflected in the attached Exhibit.

DONE, RATIFIED AND PASSED THIS THE ____ DAY OF _____, 2020.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY

REVIEWED:

CITY MANAGER

EXHIBIT

BUDGET AMENDMENT					
BUDGET	Capital Projects Fund			REQUESTED BY	
FISCAL YEAR	2020-21			DATE	
INCREASE				DECREASE	
<u>Description</u>				<u>Description</u>	
Capital Projects Fund					
Transfer in Cap. Projects Fund (REV)		100,000			
Construction (EXP)		100,000			
Explanation:	To appropriate \$100,000 in the Capital Projects Fund for the Federal Courthouse Lights project.				
DATE				APPROVED BY	
				City Council/City Manager Camilla Pitman/City Clerk	
FOR OMB POSTING PURPOSES ONLY					
Budget Adjustments		Increase (Decrease)	Journal Entry		
<u>Project Code</u>	<u>Account</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Project Code</u>	<u>Account</u>	<u>Amount</u>
ED3544	341-0000-391-81-41	100,000	ED3500	341-9010-491-81-41	DR 100,000
ED3544	341-9010-433-68-04	100,000	ED3544	341-0000-391-81-41	CR 100,000
		Total	200,000	Total	-
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