



**City of Conway, Arkansas
Resolution No. R-24-44**

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF CONWAY TO UTILIZE FEDERAL AID SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM (STBG) AND CARBON REDUCTION PROGRAM (CRP) FUNDS FOR THE CONNECT CONWAY DESIGN PROJECT

Whereas, Metroplan has issued a call for transportation projects from member jurisdictions for federal fiscal year 2025 under the Surface Transportation Block Grant Program (STBG) and Carbon Reduction Program; and

Whereas, the City of Conway understands STBG funds are available at 80% federal contribution and 20% local match and must be obligated during FFY 2025 (October 2024 – September 2025); and

Whereas, the City of Conway proposes submitting an application for engineering of the Connect Conway project; and

Whereas, the City of Conway understands that Federal-aid funds are available for this project on a reimbursable basis and require work to be completed and proof of payment prior to actual monetary reimbursement; and

Whereas, this project, using federal funding, will be open and available for use by the general public and maintained by the applicant for the life of the project; and

Whereas, the city will apply for \$1,000,000 in STBG funding for design support of Connect Conway.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS THAT:

Section 1. The City of Conway does hereby express its support for the STBG application for the Connect Conway Design project and shall authorize application submittal and commitment of matching funds for the grant.

Section 2. The City Council does hereby authorize the Mayor to execute all agreements and contracts regarding this project.

Section 3. All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

PASSED this 27th day of August 2024.

Approved:


Mayor Bart Castleberry

Attest:


Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer