

Legislation Text

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Resolution to Accept and Appropriate Michigan Strategic Funds and Approve Certified Local Government Grant Agreement for the City of Ann Arbor Old Fourth Ward Historic District Reconnaissance-Level Survey Update (\$45,000.00) (**8 Votes Required**) The State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) has awarded the City of Ann Arbor a Certified Local Government Grant to perform a survey update of historic resources in the Old Fourth Ward Historic District. This is a reimbursement grant program to allow the City to hire a qualified consultant to complete the survey. Project work shall be completed by September 30, 2024. Funding is provided in part by the National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, through the Michigan Strategic Fund.

<u>Budget/Fiscal Impact</u>: The Certified Local Government Grant program has no matching fund requirement. The Historic Preservation Coordinator shall manage the grant.

If approved, this resolution would (1) formally accept the grant award, (2) authorize the City Administrator to sign the grant agreement and (3) appropriate these funds when received to the General Planning Fund (0050).

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Whereas, The City of Ann Arbor is a Certified Local Government (CLG), a program jointly administered by the National Park Service and the SHPO;

Whereas, The objective of the Certified Local Government Grant Program is to provide financial assistance to support preservation planning and projects; and

Whereas, The City has received a Certified Local Government Grant reimbursement award in the amount \$45,000 to hire a consultant to perform a reconnaissance level survey of the Old Fourth Ward Historic District;

RESOLVED, That City Council accept the Certified Local Government Grant award for under the terms of the agreement with the State of Michigan;

RESOLVED, That the City Administrator be authorized and directed to execute the grant agreement, after approval as to substance by the City Attorney; and

RESOLVED, That the grant funds be appropriated when received to the General Planning Fund (0050) for the expenditure for purpose stated in the grant until such time as all grant funds have been expended without regard to fiscal year.