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MEMORANDUM

TO: Public Works Committee
FROM: Jon R. Oliphant, AICP, Planning & Development Director
SUBJECT: ITEP Project Consideration
DATE: September 29, 2017

The call for Illinois Transportation Enhancement Program (ITEP) projects opens on October 2 by IDOT. As you will recall from prior discussions, ITEP provides funding on an 80/20 basis for eligible projects including recreation trails and streetscape enhancements. The City has been fortunate to have received ITEP funding for three rec trail projects previously.

Staff requests feedback on whether to submit for any potential ITEP projects. The deadline for submittal is December 1. IDOT has recently indicated there is \$40 million in funding for this cycle compared with \$29 million available in 2016. The maximum award is \$2 million per project. IDOT anticipates announcing project awards in the Spring of 2018.

General discussion is scheduled for the October 2 Public Works Committee meeting.