



AGENDA ITEM HISTORY SHEET

ITEM TITLE

Resolution 2025-54 tap Grant

AGENDA NO. 21**AGENDA DATE:** 12/16/2025**FUNDING CERTIFICATION** (Finance Director) (Signature, if applicable)

- Will be a 2026 Budget Adjustment needed if obtained

JB 12/2/25

MANAGEMENT STAFF REVIEW (Signature)**MAYOR** (Signature)**ITEM HISTORY** (Previous Council reviews, action related to this item, and other pertinent history)

ITEM COMMENTARY (Background discussion, key points, recommendations, etc.) Please identify any or all impacts this proposed action would have on the City budget, personnel resources, and/or residents.

The City is seeking funding through Metroplan's Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) for the design of the Midland Park to Highway 5 Trail. This project would create a multi-use trail beginning at Midland Park and extending south to Highway 5, where it will connect to the new trail being constructed as part of the Highway 5 widening project. The City is currently in the process of securing a design quote. The TAP grant allows a maximum request of \$335,000, which the City plans to apply for, with a required 20% local match of \$67,000. (Streets GL#: 080-0800-5571)

(This section to be completed by the Mayor)

ACTION PROPOSED (Motion for Consideration)

Approve the resolution permitting the City of Bryant to submit an application for the grant and to participate in the program if funding is awarded.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF CITY OF BRYANT
TO APPLY, PARTICIPATE, AND UTILIZE FEDERAL-AID TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES
PROGRAM FUNDS**

WHEREAS, Metroplan has issued a call for projects to be funded with Federal-Aid funds suballocated to Central Arkansas; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bryant understands that Federal-Aid Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) funds are available at 80% federal participation and 20% local match to support the design of the Midland Park to Highway 5 Trail; and

WHEREAS, this project, using federal funding, will be open and available for use by the general public and maintained by the City of Bryant.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY BRYANT CITY COUNCIL THAT:

SECTION I: The City of Bryant authorizes the application submission for the Midland Park to Highway 5 Trail project.

SECTION II: The City of Bryant will participate in accordance with its designated responsibilities in this project, including providing the required 20% local match. (Streets - GL# 080-0800-5571)

SECTION III: Mayor Chris Treat, or their designated representative, is hereby authorized and directed to execute all appropriate agreements and contracts necessary to complete the design of this project.

SECTION IV: Bryant City Council pledges its full support and hereby authorizes the Arkansas Department of Transportation and Metroplan to initiate action to implement this project.

THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 16th day of December, 2025.

Signed: _____

**Chris Treat
Mayor of Bryant**

ATTEST: _____
(SEAL)

Midland Park to Highway 5 Trail

