



November 22, 2022

To: Metropolitan Policy Committee
From: Paul Thompson
Subject: MPC 6.c: Letter of Support for City of Eugene Grant Application

Action Recommended: Approve letter of support

The purpose of this agenda item is to present a request from the City of Eugene for a letter of support from the Central Lane MPO.

The City is applying for Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) & Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) grants from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

The BRIC funding will be geared toward two projects involving the facility master planning and expansion of the Public Works campus on 1820 Roosevelt Blvd., and structural enhancements to the 77 N. Garfield St. site. The FMA grant application is for critical infrastructure upgrades and design alternatives to the W 11th Ave. bridge over Amazon Creek. These upgrades will include retrofits that will reduce flooding and improve pedestrian safety along the section of Fern Ridge Path beneath the bridge.

City of Eugene staff will provide more details on the grant applications and projects at the December 1st MPC meeting.

On November 17th the advisory Transportation Planning Committee (TPC) unanimously recommended MPC's approval of the attached letter of support.

Action Recommended: Approve letter of support

Attachment: Draft letter of support