



City of Broken Arrow

Request for Action

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**Broken Arrow City Council
Meeting of: 05-05-2020**

Title:

Consideration, discussion, and possible approval of and authorization for Mayor Craig Thurmond to execute a letter supporting the City of Broken Arrow application for Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) Transportation Discretionary Grant funds for the Broken Arrow Corridors Safety Improvement (which includes both the 9th Street and Elm Place Corridors from Kenosha Street to Albany Street)

Background:

The City of Broken Arrow has selected both the corridors of 9th Street and Elm Place between Houston and Kenosha Streets to apply for a Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) Transportation Discretionary Grants program. The BUILD Grant would be used to construct roadway improvements and widening to both street corridors as well as improvements to both bridges over SH-51 (Broken Arrow Expressway) along with interchange reconfigurations. The BUILD Grant, if awarded, would augment existing Surface Transportation Program (STP) funds and local funds (GO Bonds).

Cost: \$0

Funding Source: N/A

Requested By: Ethan J.L. Edwards, P.E., Director of Engineering and Construction

Approved By: City Manager's Office

Attachments: Mayors Letter of Support for BUILD Grant - 2020

Recommendation:

Approve and authorize the Mayor to execute the letter of support from the City of Broken Arrow requesting BUILD Grant funds