

**VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING
AUGUST 7, 2012 AGENDA**

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
FY 2013-2018 Surface Transportation Program (STP) Application	✓ Resolution Ordinance Motion Discussion Only	Nan Newlon, P.E. Director of Public Works

SYNOPSIS

A resolution has been prepared authorizing the Village’s submittal of application to the DuPage Mayors & Managers Conference (DMMC) for the 2013 Surface Transportation Program (STP) for highway project funding. This application is due to DuPage Mayors & Managers Conference on or before August 10, 2012.

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

The Goals for 2011 to 2018 identified *Top Quality Infrastructure*.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no cost to the Village for applying for the STP Program grants. If the Village receives grant funding for the projects, staff will prepare engineering plans and construction documents for these projects.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval on the August 07, 2012 consent agenda.

BACKGROUND

The Village has made it a priority to seek grant funding for capital projects. Projects that are submitted for the STP Program are required to meet specific threshold criteria, and after submittal are reviewed and ranked with other submitted projects throughout the County. In the past the Village has successfully received funding from this program for projects such as the traffic signal replacement at Main and Grant, Carpenter Street from Gilbert to Maple, and several others that received funding last year for the 2012 to 2017 program.

The typical construction cost participation percentage is 70% federal share and 30% local share for the STP program. Utilizing the program criteria, staff reviewed roadways in need of improvement and believes that several Village street resurfacing projects are likely to receive a favorable ranking in the program. For this year’s STP Program application cycle staff has prepared STP applications for the resurfacing of the following roadway segments that are under the jurisdiction of the Village:

- Finley Road, Butterfield Road to north Village limit
- Maple Avenue, Main Street to Fairview Avenue

The proposed projects are included in the draft 2013 CIP and have current traffic levels that should produce a favorable ranking in the STP Program.

ATTACHMENT

Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL
OF APPLICATION TO THE
DUPAGE MAYORS AND MANAGERS CONFERENCE
FOR FY 2013 SURFACE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM (STP)**

WHEREAS, the Village of Downers Grove, an Illinois municipal corporation, has prepared an application FY2013 Surface Transportation Program (STP) for roadway reconstruction project funding which the Village of Downers Grove intends to submit to the DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference for consideration; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council desires that said application be favorably considered by the DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, DuPage County, Illinois, as follows:

1. That the Village of Downers Grove submit the 2013 application of the Village of Downers Grove for roadway reconstruction project funding.
2. That this resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage as provided by law.

Mayor

Passed:

Attest: _____
Village Clerk