



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
Jason
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
Hoskins
3. The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.
Natalie Price
4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
City of Southfield
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
26000 Evergreen Rd, Southfield, MI 48037
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:
n/a
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:
Jason Hoskins, House District 18
8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution. Lincoln Drive from the dead-end west of Southfield Road to Greenfield Road is a 1.5-mile-long major road under City of Southfield jurisdiction; 0.75 miles of that length is a shared jurisdiction with the City of Lathrup Village. This east-west "½ mile road" between 10 Mile Rd and 11 Mile Rd extends eastwards beyond Southfield through the communities of Oak Park, Huntington Woods, Royal Oak, and Madison Heights and terminates with the service drive for I-696. Lincoln Dr from its west terminus to Southfield Rd is classified as an NFC Local; between Southfield Rd and Greenfield Rd,

Lincoln Dr is classified as a Major Collector and is eligible for federal funding. The challenge for the city has been securing federal funding for these ½ mile roads which carry about half the traffic volume of adjacent “mile roads”. Applications submitted to the Oakland County Federal Aid Committee (FAC) meet with steep competition and these ½ mile roads simply do not score high enough to secure the federal funds needed to move a project forward. Lincoln Dr is in extremely poor physical condition and is now at the point of its service life where the road needs to be completely reconstructed.

The zoning along Lincoln Dr in Southfield and Lathrup Village is predominantly single-family-residential with strong commercial hubs at Southfield and Greenfield Roads, as well as low-rise multi-family at Greenfield Rd. Lincoln Dr also sees heavy school vehicular and nonmotorized traffic with both Yeshiva Beth Yehuda, a private Jewish school, and the International Montessori Academy, a Southfield Public School, along the corridor. Nonmotorized needs are evaluated with all Southfield’s major road projects; there are notable sidewalk gaps that we intend to fill if this project receives funding. Having an improved road condition on Lincoln Dr is a high priority for the City of Southfield and would have positive impacts for thousands of area residents who regularly travel this corridor.

In the event that the project needs to be scaled or reduced in size, the City can do so with a lower funding amount.

9. Attach documents here if needed:

Attachments added to the end of this file.

10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item.

12862500

11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.

["None"]

12. Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item:

Local unit government

13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months?

Not applicable

14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months?

Not applicable

15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors?

Not applicable

16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.'

n/a

17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item."

Yes, this is correct

18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item:

Late spring of 2026 to October 2026

19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate."

Yes