

A Resolution Regarding the Hennepin County Lyndale Avenue Reconstruction Project

Date: April 21, 2025

Motion: Moved by: Dave Carlson Seconded by: Ethan Kleinbaum

WHEREAS; Hennepin County will be reconstructing Lyndale Avenue (CSAH 22) from 31st St to Franklin Ave (CSAH 5) in 2027; and,

WHEREAS; During the October 21, 2024 Hennepin ATC meeting three layout options were shown; Blue, Purple and Orange; and,

WHEREAS; The Hennepin ATC was supportive of the options that included a separated bike lane at sidewalk level in addition to sidewalks, transit only lanes, boulevards and parking; and,

WHEREAS; Hennepin County has a Complete and Green Streets policy that recognizes the importance of addressing the needs of all people walking, rolling, biking, and using transit, as well as those driving, when planning, designing and maintaining county roads; and,

WHEREAS; Corridor bike facilities have been shown to improve overall roadway safety for all users including people biking; and,

WHEREAS; The Hennepin County Active Transportation Committee (ATC) has reviewed the project and discussed its merits with County staff;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED;

The Hennepin County Active Transportation Committee strongly supports the intent of the Lyndale Avenue Reconstruction Project layout options that include dedicated bike facilities for transportation. The Hennepin ATC feels that there is both a demand and need for bike facilities to be included on the corridor to enhance the safety and comfort of people biking as well as those walking and rolling.

Hennepin County Active Transportation Committee:

Tammy McLemore – District 1	Aye	Larissa Lavrov – District 4	Absent
Nicole Armstrong – District 1	Aye	Henrik Kowalkowski – District 5	Aye
Seth Stattmiller – District 2	Aye	Lou Dzierzak – District 5	Aye
Billy Binder – District 2	Aye	Luke Van Santen – District 6	Aye
Dave Carlson – District 3	Aye	Anne Vogel – District 6	Absent
Ethan Kleinbaum – District 3	Aye	Greg Anderson – District 7	Aye
Haley Foydel – District 4	Aye	Clara Sandberg – District 7	Aye