

**A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR AN APPLICATION
FOR ILLINOIS TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT FUNDS**

(Main Street Bike Lanes and Pedestrian Improvements)

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana has expressed its commitment to the establishment of bicycle facilities throughout the City, as illustrated by the recent adoption of the Bicycle Master Plan as an official element of the 2005 Urbana Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Main Street corridor was the most requested corridor for bicycle facilities based on public input; and

WHEREAS, there are funds available through the Illinois Transportation Enhancement Program for the provision of facilities for pedestrians and bicycles; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana has determined that it is in its best interest to apply for said funding to further extend the City's bicycle network.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, as follows:


Section 1. The City Council finds and determines that the facts contained in the above recitations are true.

Section 2. That the Urbana City Council does hereby authorize the Mayor to submit a grant request on behalf of the City to the State of Illinois Department of Transportation's Enhancement Program for the purpose of financing part of the project costs of the proposed bike lanes and pedestrian improvements on Main Street and is authorized to execute any subsequent documents related to the submission of the grant application, and the subsequent receipt of funds through said grant.

PASSED by the City Council this 21st day of April,
2008.

APPROVED by the Mayor this 25th day of April,

2008.


Laurel Lunt Prussing
Laurel Lunt Prussing, Mayor
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Danielle Chynoweth, Mayor Pro-tem