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**Action Type**

- ☒ Consent Item
- ☐ Public Hearing
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- ☐ Resolution
- ☐ Discussion/Direction
- ☐ Informational Only
- ☐ Report
- ☐ Other: Click or tap here to enter text.

**Action**

Approve a Joint Powers Agreement with Dakota County for the Statewide Health Improvement Program (SHIP) Grant

**Background**

The City of West St. Paul was recently awarded a $30,000 grant from Dakota County as part of the Statewide Health Improvement Program (SHIP). The grant money will be used to update the City's 2011 Pedestrian and Bicycle Master Plan. Staff will be contracting with a consultant to complete the update by fall, 2022.

As part of the process, this study will evaluate benefits and impacts to SHIP priority populations (people 60 or older, children, and people with low incomes or others experiencing health disparity). Public input and an open house will also be part of the data gathering portion of the study.

**Attachments**

Joint Powers Agreement with Dakota County for the Statewide Health Improvement Program Grant
(1 signed copy needed)

**Previous Relevant Actions**

**Alternatives**

**Financial**

| Budgeted: | ☒ |
| Fund: | Sidewalk Fund |
| Department: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
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| Amount: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| ☐ No Financial Impact |

The required City contribution is 10% or $3,000. The grant will reimburse the City up to $30,000 for a total project cost of $33,000.