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May 5, 2006

Mr. Charles F. Soules, P.E. Director of Public Works City of Lawrence P.O. Box 708 Lawrence, KS 66044-0708

Dear Mr. Souries: Chuck

I am pleased to announce that your Transportation Enhancement (TE) application for the restoration of the historic brick street on Ohio Street in Lawrence has been selected for funding and will be included as part of the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) TE Program. Your project is one of 18 projects selected from 61 applications this year.

From restoring historic railroad depots to building pedestrian/bicycle trails to improving main streets across Kansas, over the past 16 years, more than 300 projects totaling in excess of \$137 million in federal funds have been initiated through this program.

Your project has been programmed for FY 2008, and KDOT's Bureau of Program and Project Management will be contacting you regarding the process to get underway. Because KDOT has experienced some bids coming in substantially over the estimated letting cost recently and there's no way to tell yet whether those cost increases are temporary spikes or are longer-term increase trends, it's more important than ever that we work together in partnership. I urge you to attend the upcoming "Selected Projects Workshop" as a first step in making sure we maintain the scope, cost and schedule for transportation enhancement projects. Please see the attached letter for further details regarding your project's funding.

We appreciate your application to the TE Program. By combining resources, KDOT and you, our local partners, are making a difference in Kansas communities.

Sincerely,

Secretary of Transportation

Attachment

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ROSEMARY M. INGRAM, CHIEF

May 5, 2006

Mr. Charles F. Soules, P.E. Director of Public Works City of Lawrence P.O. Box 708 Lawrence, KS 66044-0708

Dear Mr. Soules:

Congratulations on the approval of your Transportation Enhancement (TE) project for the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) fiscal year 2008 Transportation Enhancement Program. The approved project involves the restoration of the historic brick street on Ohio Street from 6th Street to 8th Street, in Lawrence.

KDOT has approved federal funds for this project based on a total project cost estimate of \$979,895. The federal participation will be 80 percent of the actual total participating project construction and construction engineering costs. The city will be responsible for the remaining construction and construction engineering costs along with all preliminary engineering, right-of-way, and utility costs.

Because TE funds will not be used for preliminary engineering costs, the city may begin the design of the project immediately, either in house or by hiring a design consultant. The project construction plans will require review by KDOT for compliance with TE procedures and requirements. The city will let the project to construction, and KDOT must concur in the contract award.

For the first time, a "Selected Projects Workshop" will be held to kickoff the newest round of TE projects. The workshop will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. on May 22nd, 2006 in the 4th Floor Auditorium of the Eisenhower State Office Building located at 700 SW Harrison in Topeka. It is requested that all project recipients be represented at the workshop, where a brief overview of the project process will be presented, and any initial questions and concerns will be addressed. Please RSVP to Kaye Jordan-Cain at 785.296.0280 or kaye@ksdot.org.

Your interest in this program is appreciated, and we look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Rosemary M. Indram, Chief

Bureau of Program and Project Management

cc: District 1 Engineer







Application Form Fiscal Year 2008

| PRIMARY CATEGORY: Historic | | DATE: 10/5/05 |
|---|-------------------------|---|
| | | Sq. ft. PROJECT acres |
| REQUESTOR: <u>City of Lawrence</u> GOVERNMENT AGENCY: <u>City of Lawrence</u> | | AREA/LENGTH: 1,400 _miles = L.F. COUNTY:Douglas |
| | | |
| PROJECT DESCRIPTION:Bri | ck Street Restor | ration |
| COST ESTIMATE: | Current 2005 Cost | Charles F. Soules, P.E. Contact Person |
| Construction Cost: | \$ 798,042 | Director of Public Works |
| Right-of-Way Cost: | \$ | 6 E. 6th Street |
| Utility Adjustment Cost: | \$ | Street Address |
| Construction Engineering: @10% | \$ 80,000 | P.O. Box 708 |
| 2005 TOTAL PROJECT COST: | \$ 878,042 | Mailing Address Lawrence, KS 66044-0708 |
| Inflation Factor | X 1.116 | City and Zip Code |
| Inflated 2008 PROJECT COST: | \$ 979,900 | Phone # (785_) 832-3124 |
| % Federal Aid Requested: 80 % % Local Match* 20 % * Minimum of 20% | | Fax # (785) 832-3398 email address: csoules@ci.lawrence.ks.us |
| | | Signature of Contact Person |
| Please circle any secondary categories: | | Submit by November 7, 2005 to: |
| Scenic & Environmental items | | Kansas Dept. of Transportation Office of Engineering Support |
| Pedestrian/Bicycle items | | 700 SW Harrison Street Topeka, KS 66603-3754 |
| Historic items | | |

Brick Street Renovation, Ohio Street, 6th Street to 8th Street

