

Resolution No. _____

Resolution offered by Alderman Dunn.

RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Davenport, Iowa.

RESOLUTION approving and authorizing the use of condemnation and commencement of condemnation proceedings, if necessary, for rights-of-way and easements associated with the Veterans Memorial Parkway (VMP) Trail Extension Project, CIP #28027.

WHEREAS, City Council has authorized the Veterans Memorial Parkway Trail Extension in the Capital Improvements Program and budgeted money for said project; and

WHEREAS, this project requires that additional rights-of-way and easements be acquired in accordance with the design plans and the associated construction for said project; and

WHEREAS, Section 6B.2C of the Code of Iowa requires that the governing body specifically provide and confer prior authority and approval to the acquiring agency to condemn and/or commence with the condemnation proceedings associated with such public improvement project; and

WHEREAS, by passing this Resolution, in accordance with Section 6A.5 of the Code of Iowa, authority and approval is automatically conferred, unless otherwise declared, upon the acquiring agency to also purchase property at its fair market value for rights-of-way and/or easements necessary for this project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City council of the City of Davenport that the City Engineer or his representative is hereby authorized and approved to acquire the necessary property and property interest as additional rights-of-way and/or easements required for the construction of said public improvement project by means of condemnation, and may commence with condemnation proceedings, as may be necessary.

Passed and approved this 8th day of December, 2021.

Approved:

Attest:

Mike Matson
Mayor

Brian Krup
Deputy City Clerk