



City of Santa Ana
20 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana, CA 92701
Staff Report
September 21, 2021

TOPIC: Tustin Avenue Corridor Traffic Signal Synchronization Project (Project 21-6983)

AGENDA TITLE

Approve a Cooperative Agreement with the City of Orange and Partnering Cities for the Tustin Avenue Corridor Traffic Signal Synchronization Project in an Amount Not to Exceed \$89,305 for the Term Effective Until December 31, 2026 (Non-General Fund)

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Authorize the City Manager to execute a Cooperative Agreement with the cities of Orange, Anaheim, Placentia, Tustin, and Yorba Linda, which identifies each city's roles and responsibilities, including Santa Ana's match requirement of \$89,305, to implement the Tustin Avenue Corridor Traffic Signal Synchronization Project, for the term beginning upon full approval of the agreement by all parties and effective until December 31, 2026, with an option for up to two, one-year extensions, subject to non-substantive changes approved by the City Manager and City Attorney.

DISCUSSION

On April 21, 2020, the City Council authorized staff to submit joint applications with participating agencies to the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) to request funding consideration of the renewed Measure M2 Regional Traffic Signal Synchronization Program. The cooperative agreement for the Tustin Avenue project would provide for inter-jurisdictional traffic signal synchronization and improvements along the corridor traversing Santa Ana, Orange, Anaheim, Placentia, Tustin, Yorba Linda and Caltrans jurisdictions (Exhibit 1).

On May 11, 2020, the OCTA Board approved the Measure M2 funding request for Tustin Avenue project. While the City of Orange will act as lead agency for the project, a cooperative agreement is necessary to identify the roles and responsibilities of each participating agency, to maintain inter-jurisdictional synchronization during the three-year grant period which is scheduled to begin by November 2021. Upon project completion, responsibility for ongoing signal maintenance will revert to the respective local agencies.

The Measure M2 grant provides \$2,762,360. The match commitments from the participating cities will provide a combined total of \$690,590. The City of Santa Ana's

share of the matching funds is \$89,305, of which \$75,905 is cash and \$13,400 is in-kind staff support.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

There is no environmental impact associated with the action.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds in the amount of \$100,000 are budgeted and available in the Measure M2 Street Construction Fund (Account No. 03217662-66220, Project No. 21-6983). \$89,305 of the funding is for the City's share of the project costs and will be spent in the fiscal years identified in the following estimated spending plan:

Fiscal Year	Accounting Unit - Account No. (Project No.)	Fund Description	Accounting Unit - Account No. Description	Amount
2021-22	03217662-66220 (21-6983)	Measure M Street Construction	Measure M2 Local Fairshare, Improvements Other Than Building	\$60,724
2022-23	03217662-66220 (21-6983)	Measure M Street Construction	Measure M2 Local Fairshare, Improvements Other Than Building	\$12,500
2023-24	03217662-66220 (21-6983)	Measure M Street Construction	Measure M2 Local Fairshare, Improvements Other Than Building	\$16,081
Total				\$89,305

EXHIBIT(S)

1. Project Location Map
2. Cooperative Agreement

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Approved By: Kristine Ridge, City Manager