



CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

*ENGINEERING*

MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Mayor Laurel Prussing and Members of the City Council

**FROM:** William R. Gray, Public Works Director *WRG*  
Jacob D. McCoy, Civil Engineer *JDM*

**DATE:** April 4, 2013

**RE:** Motor Fuel Tax Construction Resolution for the  
Race Street Reconstruction Project

Introduction

Attached is the proposed resolution and supporting documentation for the Race Street Motor Fuel Tax (MFT) Construction Resolution to be considered at the Monday April 8, 2013 Committee of the Whole meeting. All proposed work is based upon needs identified in the Capital Improvement Plan.

The project consists of the reconstruction of Race Street from Michigan Avenue to 100 feet south of Washington Street. See attached map. The project specifically consists of the removing of the existing pavement to allow for placement of a new concrete pavement. When finished the surface will be striped to allow for two lanes of traffic and on street parking which is what is there now. The project also includes the installation of curb and gutter, wider sidewalks, storm sewers, and street lighting. Other improvements planned are the installation of accessible sidewalk ramps and installation of bus turnouts to allow for bus parking in front of Urbana High School. Adjacent property owners have been contacted and informed about the proposed improvements.

Fiscal Impact

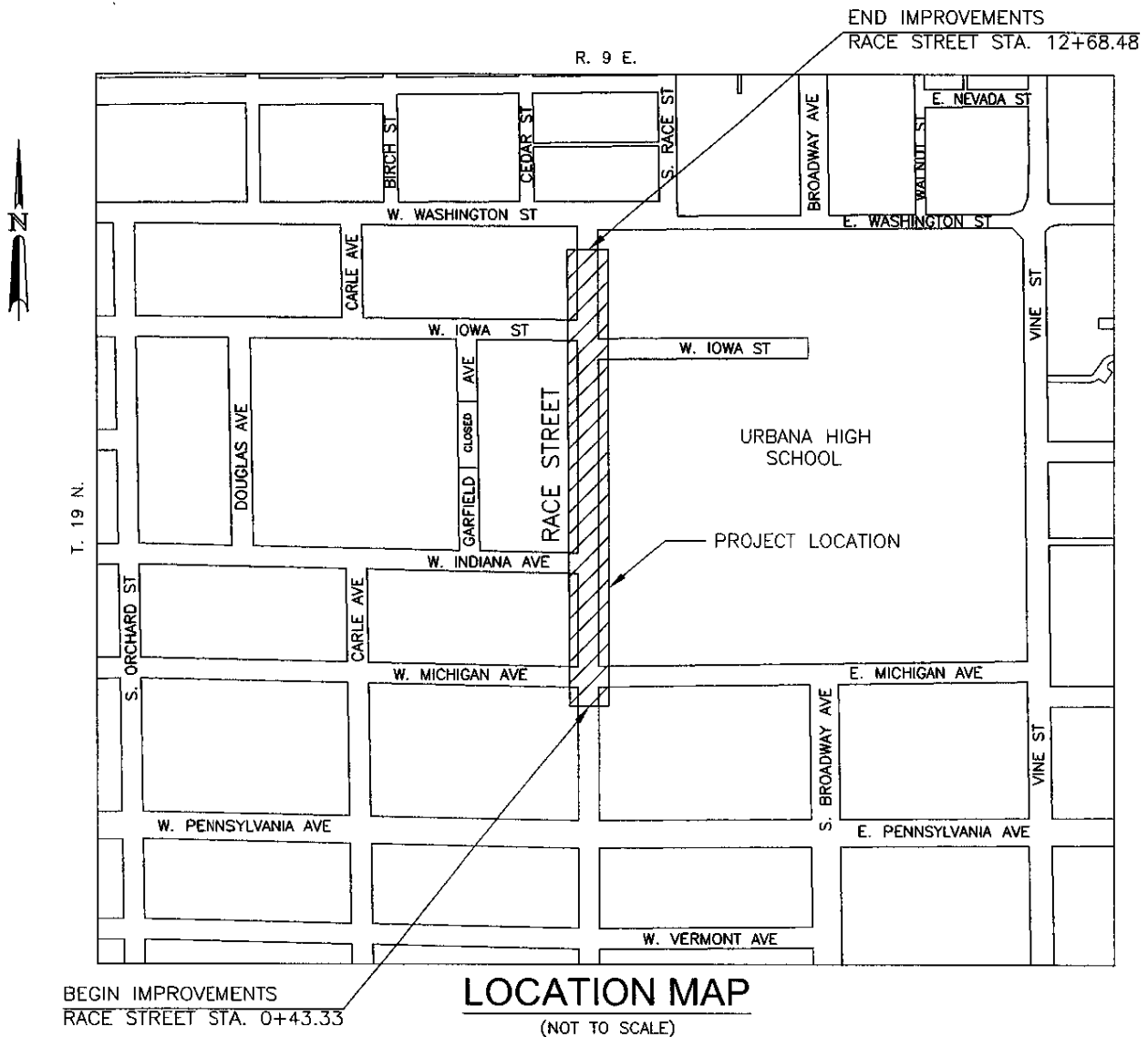
The total cost of the project, including material testing services, is estimated at approximately \$850,000. The project costs will be paid with State Motor Fuel Tax funds. The attached resolution requests use of Motor Fuel Tax monies to be appropriated in the amount of \$850,000 for the project.

Council Action

The City Council is asked to approve the attached Resolution for Improvement by Municipality Under the Illinois Highway Code in the amount of \$850,000.

# RACE STREET RECONSTRUCTION

CITY OF URBANA  
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
SECTION NO. 12-00525-00-PV



TOTAL LENGTH OF PROJECT = 1,225.15 FEET = 0.23 MILES  
 TOTAL LENGTH OF IMPROVEMENT = 1,225.15 FEET = 0.23 MILES



BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Urbana Illinois that the following described street(s) be improved under the Illinois Highway Code:

Table with 4 columns: Name of Thoroughfare, Route, From, To. Row 1: Race Street, Michigan Ave., 100' south of Washington St.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, 1. That the proposed improvement shall consist of P.C. concrete pavement, earthwork, sidewalk, storm sewers, concrete curb and gutter, pavement markings, material testing services and other miscellaneous work.

and shall be constructed 22 feet wide and be designated as Section 12-00525-00-PV

2. That there is hereby appropriated the (additional Yes No) sum of Eight hundred fifty thousand Dollars ( \$850,000.00 ) for the improvement of said section from the municipality's allotment of Motor Fuel Tax funds.

3. That work shall be done by Contract Specify Contract or Day Labor ; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk is hereby directed to transmit two certified copies of this resolution to the district office of the Department of Transportation.

Approval section with fields for Approved, Date, Department of Transportation, Regional Engineer, and Clerk signature/office information.