Memorandum



DATE April 27, 2023

TO Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

SUBJECT 2024 Bond Program Development – Town Hall Meetings

Background

During the City Council briefing on March 1, 2023, the Office of Bond and Construction Management (BCM) provided updates on the development of the 2024 Bond Program. The 2024 Bond Program update included discussion of topics such as the proposed bond propositions, recommended funding amounts, project scoring, and town hall meetings to seek input from the community. As public input is a major component of the City of Dallas' development of the 2024 Bond Program, the purpose of this memorandum is to provide additional details on the upcoming 2024 Bond Program town hall meetings.

2024 Bond Program Development – Town Hall Meetings

Given the importance of community input in the development of the 2024 Bond Program, beginning in May 2023, BCM will contact each member Dallas City Council Member to schedule town hall meetings in each respective Council District. The purpose of the meetings is to provide the community an overview of the 2024 Capital Bond Program planning and development process and to ask for feedback on the community's infrastructure and capital needs as well as to solicit input on how funding should be prioritized. Community feedback from the town hall meetings will be shared with the Community Bond Task Force and Subcommittees as their work begins to review and recommend projects to be included in the 2024 Capital Bond Program.

Next Steps

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The information shared in the memorandum will be discussed by BCM as part of the 2024 Bond Program development update, which is scheduled to be briefed to the Mayor and City Council on May 17, 2023. However, should there be any immediate questions, please contact Jennifer Nicewander, P.E., Interim Director of the Office of Bond and Construction Management, at jennifer.nicewander@dallas.gov.

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