

**CITY OF GOODYEAR  
CITY COUNCIL ACTION FORM**

<p><b>SUBJECT: Adopt Resolution No. 13-1536 to enter in to an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with Maricopa County for cost sharing, design, construction, construction management, and future ownership of dynamic message signs.</b></p>	<p><b>STAFF PRESENTER:</b> David Ramirez <b>COMPANY</b> <b>CONTACT:</b></p>
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**RECOMMENDATION:**

ADOPT RESOLUTION 13-1536 AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE MARICOPA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO IDENTIFY AND DEFINE THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COUNTY AND CITY FOR THE COST SHARING, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT, AND FUTURE OWNERSHIP, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS OF DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGNS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**PURPOSE:**

This agreement defines the responsibilities of the City and County for the cost sharing, design, construction, construction management, and future ownership of a federally funded project that will be administered by MCDOT.

**BACKGROUND AND COMMUNITY BENEFIT:**

As part of the 5-year CIP, the City has programmed a number of Dynamic Message Sign installations, which is a joint project with the Maricopa County Department of Transportation (MCDOT). These signs will be located at key entry points to the Estrella Falls Regional Mall area and on MC 85 in the vicinity of Estrella Parkway and provide for additional methods of displaying critical transportation messages, safety messages, emergency homeland security messages, and America's Missing: Broadcast Emergency Response (AMBER) alert messages. Note that event advertising is prohibited; however, directional information to events can be displayed.

This joint project with MCDOT was originally programmed at \$1,000,000: \$700,000 federal funds and \$300,000 local match. Goodyear's share of local match was originally estimated to be \$100,000. The Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) has approved the use of available year end close-out funds to reduce the project local match

from \$300,000 to \$57,000, which has reduced Goodyear's share of the local match from \$100,000 to approximately \$23,000.

As shown on the attached map, the message signs in Goodyear would be located at the following locations #1 through #4. Message sign #5 is located in Avondale.

- Eastbound McDowell Road east of Sarival (Location #1)
- Westbound McDowell Road approximately 1/2 mile east of Bullard Avenue (Location #2)
- Eastbound MC 85 east of Sarival Avenue (Location #3)
- Westbound MC 85 west of Bullard Avenue (Location #4)
- Eastbound MC 85 west of 115<sup>th</sup> Avenue (Location #5)

The two signs on McDowell Road will be operated and maintained by the City of Goodyear, and the three signs on MC 85 will be operated and maintained by MCDOT.

During design, Engineering will identify specific locations through confirmation of utility locations and meeting with adjacent property owners as needed and in coordination with Development Services.

The signs will be powder coated the same color as our traffic signal structures in order to maintain consistency. Staff will meet with the MCDOT design team to discuss design as the process progresses.

#### **PREVIOUS ACTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

This project was previously approved in the FY13 – FY17 CIP in FY13-14.

#### **FISCAL ANALYSIS:**

The City's match for this project is programmed at \$23,000 and will be funded with Arterial Streets Development Fees.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

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IGA with Maricopa County Department of Transportation  
Dynamic Message Signs Location Map