

# CITY OF BETHLEHEM

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Robert Vidoni, City Clerk

**FROM:** Michael Alkhal, P.E., Director of Public Works/City Engineer

**RE:** Resolution for Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Federal Aid-Reimbursement Agreement – South Bethlehem Connections Project

**DATE:** September 27, 2019

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Attached is a draft resolution to authorize the execution of an Agreement for the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside (TASA) Federal Aid-Reimbursement Agreement – South Bethlehem Connections Project. In 2018, the City was awarded TASA funds in the amount of \$495,000 to install curbing, sidewalk, ADA curb ramps, and pedestrian improvements within certain areas of the City's South side. The City will be managing the design and bidding of the project and all construction related expenses will be funded by the TASA funds.

This resolution is a standard requirement of Penn DOT. Please place this item on City Council's agenda for their consideration and passage at your earliest convenience.

If you have any questions, please call.

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**Attachments**

cc: Mayor Donchez J. Kelechava C. Bartera M. Dorner A. Rohrbach File/xc

By:   
Title: Public Works Director/City Engineer

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Bethlehem that the Mayor and the Controller, are hereby authorized to execute a Transportation Alternatives Set Aside – Reimbursement Agreement and such other agreements and documents as are deemed by the City Solicitor to be necessary and/or related thereto, with the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, for the purpose of acceptance of Transportation Alternatives Set Aside (TASA) funds.

WHEREAS, the City of Bethlehem has been awarded TASA funds under the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation’s Transportation Alternatives Set Aside funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Bethlehem does hereby approve the acceptance of the TASA funding.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Bethlehem does hereby authorize the Mayor and Controller to sign on behalf of the City of Bethlehem, Federal Aid Reimbursement Agreement No. R19050008, and any supplements between the City of Bethlehem and the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation and have same delivered to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Council of the City of Bethlehem has adopted this Resolution in lawful session on \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

Sponsored by \_\_\_\_\_

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ADOPTED by Council this      day of      , 2019.

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President of Council

ATTEST:

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City Clerk