

Hilltop | Endorsed Urban Infrastructure Recovery Fund (UIRF) Plan

The following table is the endorsed Urban Infrastructure Recovery Fund (UIRF) Plan for the Hilltop area for the period from 2015 -2019. See www.columbus.gov/planning/uirf for more information.

Based on the allocation of UIRF funds by community, approximately \$800,000 of funds remain for the 2015-2019 funding period for the Hilltop area.

UIRF staff make every effort to keep the information in this report up to date, but all information provided is subject to change. Status report definitions and other important information are provided below the status report chart.

UIRF funding allocations are maintained by UIRF area. That being said, UIRF funding allocations are made to build the endorsed project and does not represent a funding entitlement for that community.

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Project Type	Project Name	UIRF Area	UIRF ID	Project Description	Community Phase	Project Phase	Estimated Construction Year	Community Notes	Endorsed Plan Cost Estimate
Bike Facility	Westgate Bike Facility	Greater Hilltop	2004	East/west bike routes connecting with Westgate System.	Endorsed	Planning	2019	4/3/17: Now in Planning stage.	\$45,000
Bike Facility	Hilltop Neighborhood Bike Facility	Greater Hilltop	2005	Bike boulevards between Sullivant Ave and Steele Ave.	Endorsed	Planning	2019	4/3/17: Now in Planning stage.	\$70,000
Curb Ramp	N Oakley Ave Curb Ramps	Greater Hilltop	2006	In front of 116 N Oakley Ave.	Endorsed	Abandoned		11/21/16: Abandoned due to needed curb replacement which exceeds funding allocated for project	\$0
Park improvements	Hilltop Park Improvements	Greater Hilltop	2002	Park improvements in Westmoor and Glenwood parks. Potential improvements including Hilltonia (parking), Holton, Westgate.	Endorsed	Construction	2017	7/21/17: Glenwood Park construction is complete. Westmoor Park improvements will start construction in August '17.	\$200,000
Planted Median	W Broad St Planted Median	Greater Hilltop	1868	West Broad Street planted median to be constructed at one location between I-70 and Demorest.	Endorsed	Study	2019	11/21/16: Traffic study will be conducted Project will be packaged with a paving project	\$250,000
Sidewalk	Steele Ave Sidewalks	Greater Hilltop	2000	North side of Steele Ave from N Wheatland Ave to N Hague Ave.	Endorsed	Design	2019	11/21/16: Will entail the north side of the street only estimated construction year: 2018	\$195,000
Sidewalk	Wicklow Rd Sidewalks	Greater Hilltop	2001	North side of Wicklow Rd from Hague Ave to Westgate Elementary.	Endorsed	Design	2019	11/21/16: Will entail the north side of the street only estimated construction year: 2018	\$375,000
Street and other trees	Hilltop Trees	Greater Hilltop	2007	Street trees as recommended by City Forester.	Endorsed	Planning	2019	(blank)	\$50,000
Traffic calming	S Powell Ave Traffic Calming	Greater Hilltop	1869	S Powell Ave at Freemont St, Wicklow Rd, and Roland Sunker Pl.	Endorsed	Planning/Scoping		6/22/16: On-Hold	\$15,000
Grand Total									\$1,200,000

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Status Report Terms Definitions

Community Phase: The Community Phase indicates if a given project has been endorsed by both the community and city staff.

Project Phase: The Project Phase provides a status for projects that have been endorsed.

Endorsed: Indicates that a project has received community support in the form of a positive vote by the area commission or representative civic association, and has also received preliminary support from city staff. If a project is noted as endorsed in the both the Community Phase and Project Phases, it indicates that while it is recognized as endorsed and that funding has been allocated or is expected to be allocated, no work has been conducted toward implementation. Additional work is required before the project can be moved toward implementation. Depending on the project, this work may be staff analysis, a study, the development of a project scope of services, other.

Planning: Indicates that staff is conducting analysis on the project and/or that a project scope of services is being written in order to move the project to the study or design phase.

Study: Indicates a study is being conducted to study the project proposal and determine if it is feasible. If project is feasible, it typically enters the design phase.

Design: Indicates that the project concept is to be implemented in the form of required design work. Project construction is initiated after the project design phase.

Construction: Project is in construction.

Completed: Project has been constructed.

On Hold: Project is on hold. See "Community Notes" for any explanation.

Abandoned: Project has been abandoned, including, but not limited to the following reasons: Community has amended their UIRF Plan and removed the project, staff has determined that project is not feasible, other.

Important UIRF Information

Project Type

Some project types, including planted medians, bike lanes, traffic calming, and road diets require study or analysis prior to implementation. Funds are allocated for study, and provided the feasibility of the project, construction. Important factors in such studies include confirmation of project need, access management and parking impacts, other. Planted medians require the establishment of a maintenance agreement with community for any landscaping maintenance and other terms.

Project Funding

Funding for projects is subject to the availability of UIRF dollars. Project timelines are subject to change if funding allocations change. "Endorsed Plan Cost Estimates" are developed to determine if a given project can be constructed with the given area's UIRF allocation. Adjustments in an Endorsed UIRF Plan may be necessary to account for actual construction costs that differ from the Endorsed Plan Cost Estimate. In the case that a project is constructed for less than the Endorsed Plan Cost Estimate, the remaining funds are maintained as part of that community's UIRF allocation. That being said, the funding allocation is made to build the endorsed project and does not represent a funding entitlement for that community.

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