

RESOLUTION NO. 32430

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, ON BEHALF OF THE SPORTS AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF HAMILTON AND THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TO ENTER INTO A PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING AGREEMENT, AND OTHER SUBSEQUENT AGREEMENTS, WITH NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY RELATED TO THE MODIFICATION OR CONVERSION OF TWO EXISTING PRIVATE CROSSINGS TO PUBLIC CROSSINGS, INCLUDING THE CLOSURE OF ONE AT-GRADE CROSSING, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF W. 26TH STREET EXTENSION FOR THE SOUTH BROAD DISTRICT BALLPARK, WITH PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING COSTS ESTIMATED IN THE AMOUNT OF SIXTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED EIGHTY-THREE DOLLARS (\$67,583.00), FOR A TOTAL BUDGETARY ESTIMATED AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$500,000.00) FOR THE CONVERSION, TO BE PAID FROM SPORTS AUTHORITY FUNDS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That it is hereby authorizing the Administrator for the Department of Public Works, on behalf of The Sports Authority of the County of Hamilton and the City of Chattanooga, to enter into a Preliminary Engineering Agreement, and other subsequent agreements, with Norfolk Southern Railway Company related to the modification or conversion of two existing private crossings to public crossings, including the closure of one at-grade crossing, in conjunction with the development of W. 26th Street extension for the South Broad District Ballpark, with preliminary engineering costs estimated in the amount of \$67,583.00, for a total budgetary estimated amount not to exceed \$500,000.00 for the conversion, to be paid from Sports Authority funds.

ADOPTED: March 18, 2025

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