

Public Hearing: September 18, 2006

F A C T S H E E T

TITLE: Resolution to approve a Cooperative Agreement between NDEQ and the City of Lincoln regarding Urban Retrofit Pollution Reduction

SPONSOR: Public Works and Utilities

OPPONENTS: Unknown

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: For

OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED:

APPLICANT: Public Works and Utilities

REASON FOR LEGISLATION:

To provide the authority to approve the Cooperative Agreement between the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality (NDEQ) and the City of Lincoln regarding the Implementation of the Section 319 Project entitled "Urban Retrofit Pollution Reduction."

D I S C U S S I O N

This is a resolution to approve a cooperative agreement with NDEQ for Section 319 grant funding to complete a demonstration project to reduce adverse water quality impacts by retrofitting two public parking lots at 27th and Randolph Streets and 27th and F Streets using Best Management Practices (BMPs). No existing parking spaces will be removed, as the retrofits are mostly adjacent to the parking area. The City's funding for this BMP demonstration project was approved as part of the 2005 stormwater bond issue.

POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE: No

COST OF TOTAL PROJECT: \$100,000.

SOURCE OF FUNDS:

CITY: \$40,000.

NON CITY: \$60,000.

BENEFIT COST:

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY:

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REVIEWED BY:

Director of Public Works/Utilities