

RESOLUTION NO. A \_\_\_\_\_

1 WHEREAS, storm water project funding helps maintain the health and safety of  
2 Lincoln residents; and

3 WHEREAS, the citizens of Lincoln will vote on May 10, 2016 whether to fund a bond  
4 issue on a number of critical storm water projects across the community; and

5 WHEREAS, the members of the city council supporting this resolution pledge their  
6 support of all projects included in the storm water bond issue that is to appear before  
7 Lincoln voters on the May 10, 2016 ballot; and

8 WHEREAS, local storm water project funding leverages funding from the Army Corp  
9 of Engineers, the Federal Emergency Management Agency, State Department of  
10 Environmental Quality and the Lower Platte South Natural Resources District, and other  
11 partners; and

12 WHEREAS, many of the projects in the proposed bond issue are funded by other  
13 governmental agencies that require a local match in order to ensure those projects'  
14 completion; and

15 WHEREAS, the City of Lincoln desires to ensure that match funding from other  
16 partners is not lost, placing greater burden on local taxpayers.

17 THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Capital Improvement Project "Storm Water  
18 Improvement Projects Match" (531700) be established in the Storm Sewer Construction  
19 Fund (400).

20 In the event the May 10, 2016 storm water bond resolution is not passed by voters,  
21 \$500,000 shall be transferred within one business day of the date the Election

1 Commissioner certifies results of the vote, from General Fund City Unassigned  
2 Department, Contingency Division/Miscellaneous Other Services and Charges of the City  
3 of Lincoln 2015-16 Operating budget to project 531700 in order to provide local match  
4 funding to those programs where partner funding would be jeopardized.

5 The funds would be used solely for those projects listed in the May 10, 2016 storm  
6 water bond resolution. If the bond resolution is not successful, the Watershed  
7 Management Division is directed to immediately apply the funding to the 56th & Morton  
8 Area Channel Design, the project currently with the largest amount of funding at risk of  
9 loss. Any remaining funds shall be used for the purpose of providing local match funding  
10 to other projects/programs listed on Attachment "A".

Introduced by:

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Approved as to Form & Legality:

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City Attorney

Approved this ___ day of _____, 2016:  _____ Mayor
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