



# CITY OF SOUTH BEND

## REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

### Redevelopment Commission Agenda Item

DATE: April 21, 2023  
FROM: Chris Dressel - Staff  
SUBJECT: Budget Request – Miami Street  
Pedestrian Refuge Islands

\_\_\_\_\_ Pres/V-Pres

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ Secretary

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED  Not Approved

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Funding Source\* (circle one) River West; River East; **South Side**; Douglas Road; West Washington; RDC General

\*Funds are subject to the City Controller's determination of availability; if funds are unavailable, as solely determined by the City Controller, then the authorization of the expenditure of such funds shall be void and of no effect.

#### Purpose of Request:

Staff requests approval of \$150,000 from the South Side Redevelopment Area TIF for addition of Miami Street pedestrian refuge islands at both Clayton Drive and Byron Drive. Project construction is planned for completion this year in anticipation of a new 3 lane Miami Street configuration between Donmoyer Avenue and Ireland Road. The refuge islands will better connect the sidewalk network along a segment of Miami Street that is lacking safe crossings.

The request for funds is consistent with the Miami Hills Neighborhood Plan (2020) that identified upgrading infrastructure conditions and improving connections for non-motorized travel within the neighborhood and surroundings.

If you should have any questions or need more information, please feel free to contact me at either [cdressel@southbendin.gov](mailto:cdressel@southbendin.gov) or 235-5847.

INTERNAL USE ONLY: Project ID: PROJ \_\_\_\_\_;

Total Amount – New Project Budget Appropriation \$ \_\_\_\_\_;

Total Amount – Existing Project Budget Change (increase or decrease) \$ \_\_\_\_\_;

Funding Limits: Engineering: \$ \_\_\_\_\_; Other Prof Serv Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_;

Acquisition of Land/Bldg (circle one) Amt: \$ \_\_\_\_\_; Street Const Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_;

Building Imp Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_; Sewers Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_; Other (specify) Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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