

CITY OF WARRENSBURG
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Council Letter No.

April 22, 2019

Honorable Mayor and
Members of the City Council
City of Warrensburg, Missouri

Dear Mayor and Council Members:

SUBJECT: Discussion regarding Request for Rose Garden Sidewalk Funding

BACKGROUND:

During the April 8th City Council meeting an appearance was made by Sue Evans representing the Community Rose Garden group. Mrs. Evans is requesting funds to support the cost of replacement for a portion of the sidewalk within the Rose Garden. The group had successfully been awarded a grant for \$1,000 to go toward the estimated \$2,200 cost of the sidewalk replacement.

Mrs. Evans was requesting \$1,200 from the City for the remainder of the cost. The Curb and Sidewalk Program was developed to fund projects within the street right of way and at the time of the request it was felt that the Rose Garden was not within those boundaries per the County Assessor's map.

After the Council meeting, staff further researched the boundaries by going back to the time of the first construction of the Gay Street and Burkarth Road intersection in 1964. Those construction plans officially show the right of way survey and, that in fact, the Rose Garden is within the City right of way.

Since it has been determined that the project is within the boundaries of the City right of way it will be funded within the criteria of the program.

Sincerely,

Marvin Coleman,
Director of Public Works

cc: City Manager

Attachments: 1. 1964 Construction Drawing