

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2026-535

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Mayor

Date of Introduction: June 23, 2026

Committee(s) of Reference: F, NCSPHS, R

Date of Analysis: June 24, 2026

Type of Action: Appropriation; CIP amendment; *Ordinance Code* waiver; provide for oversight

Bill Summary: This bill appropriates \$390,000.00 from the Mobility Plan Project—Zone 5 account, as initiated by BT 26-081, to:

1. The Trout River Blvd at New Kings Rd Intersection Improvements project for the design and construction of turn lanes (\$320,000.00)
2. The Trout River Blvd Sidewalk (New) project for the construction of new sidewalks and ADA ramps (\$70,000.00)

The bill will also amend the 2026-2030 Five-Year Capital Improvement Plan approved by 2025-505-E to reflect this appropriation. It waives Section 106.103, *Ordinance Code*, to allow modification of the Appropriation of Funds Exhibit to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act. The bill provides for oversight by the Engineering and Construction Division of the Department of Public Works.

Background Information: The addition of new turn lanes at the Trout River Boulevard and New Kings Road intersection is necessary to improve flow and capacity for left- and right-turn traffic movements onto New Kings Road. The Trout River Blvd Sidewalk (New) project includes installing new sidewalks and ADA ramps from Old Kings Road to New Kings Road to improve pedestrian safety and mobility.

Policy Impact Area: Capital Improvement Plan, transportation, mobility, ADA

Fiscal Impact: This bill appropriates \$390,000, as initiated by BT 26-081.

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