Agenda Summary GRAND COUNTY COMMISSION August 16, 2022 TITLE: Request for support to apply for US DOT's Safe Streets and Roads for ALL (SS4A) Grant Program, jointly with the City of Moab FISCAL IMPACT: Unknown PRESENTER(s): Elissa, Planning & Zoning Staff and Kimley Horn Associates

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SUMMARY: The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) established the new Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) discretionary program with \$5 billion in appropriated funds over the next 5 years. In fiscal year 2022 (FY22), up to \$1 billion is available. The SS4A program funds regional, local, and Tribal initiatives through grants to prevent roadway deaths and serious injuries.

The SS4A program supports Secretary of Transportation Pete Buttigieg's National Roadway Safety Strategy and the Department's goal of zero deaths and serious injuries on our nation's roadways.

The deadline for applications is 5:00 p.m. EDT on September 15, 2022. Kimley Horn Associates has committed to continue their work with the County and the City of Moab to assist in submitting the grant application. The County can anticipate a later ask, upon award of the grant, to provide matching funds along with the City of Moab, to total 20% of the grant award.

STAFF RECOMMENDTION: Provide the Commission's support to go forth with a grant application to US DOT's Safe Streets and Roads for All and consent to cooperate with the City of Moab in pursuing the funding opportunity and jointly implement transportation improvement projects that will improve safety for all (see attached letter of cooperation).

ATTACHMENT(S):

- 1. Letter of Cooperation
- 2. Draft project list