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**File Name:** Authorizing the Traffic Engineering Division to apply for and accept grant funding up to \$15,000 to undertake a survey of bicycling in Madison and amending the Traffic Engineering operating budget as appropriate

**Final Action:**

**Title:** Authorizing the Traffic Engineering Division to apply for and accept grant funding up to \$15,000 to undertake a survey of bicycling in Madison and amending the Traffic Engineering operating budget as appropriate.

**Notes:**

**Sponsors:** Mark Clear and Satya V. Rhodes Conway

**Enactment Date:**

**Attachments:**

**Enactment Number:**

**Author:** Arthur Ross, City Pedestrian-Bicycle Coordinator

**Hearing Date:**

**Entered by:** gphillips@cityofmadison.com

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### History of Legislative File

Version:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Traffic Engineering Division	07/24/2008	Referred for Introduction				
	<b>Action Text:</b>		This Resolution was Referred for Introduction				
	<b>Notes:</b>		Pedestrian/Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Commission, Board of Estimates				
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/05/2008	Refer	PEDESTRIAN/BICYCLE/MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION			
	<b>Action Text:</b>		This Resolution was Refer to the PEDESTRIAN/BICYCLE/MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION				
	<b>Notes:</b>		Additional Referral(s): Board of Estimates				
1	PEDESTRIAN/BICYCLE/MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION	08/05/2008	Refer	BOARD OF ESTIMATES		08/25/2008	
	<b>Action Text:</b>		This Resolution was Refer to the BOARD OF ESTIMATES				
	<b>Notes:</b>						
1	BOARD OF ESTIMATES	08/25/2008	Return to Lead with the Recommendation for Approval	PEDESTRIAN/BICYCLE/MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION			Pass

**Action Text:** A motion was made by Clear, seconded by Verveer, to Return to Lead with the Recommendation for Approval to the PEDESTRIAN/BICYCLE/MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

**Notes:**

- 1 PEDESTRIAN/BICYCLE/ 08/26/2008  
MOTOR VEHICLE  
COMMISSION
- 1 PEDESTRIAN/BICYCLE/ 09/23/2008  
MOTOR VEHICLE  
COMMISSION

**Notes:**

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**Text of Legislative File 11425**

**Fiscal Note**

This resolution would increase budgeted revenue and budgeted expenses in the 2008 Traffic Engineering operating budget by up to \$15,000. No additional appropriation is required. This grant would have no effect on cost controls.

**Title**

Authorizing the Traffic Engineering Division to apply for and accept grant funding up to \$15,000 to undertake a survey of bicycling in Madison and amending the Traffic Engineering operating budget as appropriate.

**Body**

**PREAMBLE**

REI has provided grant funding, administered through Bikes Belong, to offer technical assistance funding ranging from \$5,000 to \$15,000 to city governments in designated and aspiring Bicycle Friendly Communities that are demonstrating success, employing creative strategies, and showing marked advancements in making their communities more bicycle friendly. Madison has been designated a gold level Bicycle Friendly Community by the League of American Bicyclists and has been invited to submit an application for this grant program. The Platinum Biking City Planning Committee's report *Making Madison the Best Place in the Country to Bicycle* was adopted by the Common Council on April 8, 2008. This report included the recommendation to undertake a scientific survey to determine the level of bicycling in Madison and what the public feels can and should be done to improve bicycling conditions and to increase the number of people bicycling. This recommendation was included in a list of initial priorities sent to the Mayor by the Platinum Biking Planning Committee and was also included in a list of initial priorities by the Pedestrian-Bicycle-Motor Vehicle Commission.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Traffic Engineering Division is authorized to apply for and receive funding for a scientific survey to determine the level of bicycling in Madison and what the public feels can and should be done to improve bicycling conditions and to increase the number of people bicycling; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the 2008 Traffic Engineering operating budget be amended to recognize additional grant dollars and expenditures in the following Traffic Engineering accounts up to the amounts indicated:

Revenue:	GN01-76610-577201	\$15,000
Expenses:	GN01-54950-577201	\$15,000

