TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM: City Administrator Ron Johnson

SUBJECT: Approve Public Improvement and Special Assessment Agreement

DATE: June 2, 2016

BACKGROUND

At the May 17 meeting, City Council approved the concept of a Public Improvement and Special Assessment Agreement and related draft agreement for residents requesting to replace their water and/or sanitary sewer service lines during the construction of the Westside II Improvement Project.

A final agreement will be presented at the June 7 Council meeting after the results of the bond sale are known.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Approve the Public Improvement and Special Assessment Agreement for residents requesting to replace their water and/or sanitary sewer service lines during the construction of the Westside II Improvement Project.

Attachment(s): Draft Agreement (final agreement to be presented at Council meeting)

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT AND SPECIAL ASSESSMENT AGREEMENT

AGREEMENT made this ____ day of ____, 2016, by and between the CITY OF CANNON FALLS, a Minnesota municipal corporation ("City") and _____ (the "Property Owner").

RECITALS

A. Property Owner is the owner of Lot ____, Block ____, ___Goodhue County, Minnesota, having a street address of ______, Cannon Falls, Minnesota (the "Subject Property").

B. The City has requested that Property Owner replace the existing ______ from to the right-of-way line on the Subject Property ("Public Improvement") in conjunction with City Project No. CANNO 129637 (2016 Public Improvements).

C. Property Owner has received a quote for the public improvement and has requested that the City assess the cost of the Public Improvement against the Subject Property.

NOW, THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION OF THEIR MUTUAL COVENANTS, THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

1. **PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.** The Owner received a quote of \$_____ (the "Project Cost") from _____ (the "Contractor") to construct the Public Improvement. Property Owner will enter into a contract with the Contractor to construct the Public Improvement. After the work has been completed and City receives the invoice and a lien waiver for the work performed, the City will pay the Contractor \$_____.

2. SPECIAL ASSESSMENT. The City will assess the Project Cost in the amount of <u>against the Subject Property</u>. The Project Cost will be assessed under the same terms as City Project No. CANNO 129637. The Property Owner waives any and all procedural and substantive objections to the special assessments and to the Public Improvement and to City Project No. CANNO 129637, including but not limited to hearing requirements and any claim that the assessment exceeds the benefit to the Subject Property. The Property Owner waives any appeal rights otherwise available pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 429.081.

3. BINDING EFFECT; RECORDING. This Agreement shall be binding upon the Property Owner and the Property Owner's successors and assigns. This Agreement may be recorded against the title to the Subject Property.

CITY OF CANNON FALLS

BY:

Lyman M. Robinson, Mayor

AND:

Ronald S. Johnson, City Administrator

STATE OF MINNESOTA))ss. COUNTY OF GOODHUE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 2016, by Lyman M. Robinson and by Ronald S. Johnson, respectively the Mayor and City Administrator of the City of Cannon Falls, a Minnesota municipal corporation, on behalf of the corporation pursuant to the authority granted by its City Council.

Notary Public

PROPERTY OWNER:

STATE OF MINNESOTA))ss. COUNTY OF GOODHUE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 2016, by _____ and _____, husband and wife.

Notary Public

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