

1. Describe the proposed ordinance or resolution. File number: 241346

Resolution approving Amendment No. 7 to the Project Plan for Tax Incremental District No. 56, Erie Jefferson, and authorizing additional expenditures, and approving a development agreement in the 4th Aldermanic District. This resolution will allow the City to enter into an agreement with the Historic Third Ward Business Improvement District No. 2 to facilitate the design and construction of public improvements at Catalano Square and the Erie Street Plaza.

2. Identify the anticipated equity impacts, if any, of this proposal.

The infrastructure project will make needed improvements to the public Riverwalk at the Erie Street Plaza in addition to improvements to the existing lighting and seating areas. In addition, although not yet designed, it is the desire of the BID and the City to improve Catalano Square and refresh the design to improve functionality of the public space. The shores of the Milwaukee River, in addition to our public plazas are not reserved for those who can afford to live or work near them, but are free and open to all through improvement projects such as this.

3. Identify which minority groups, if any, may be negatively or positively impacted by the proposal.

All minority groups, of all levels of ability, will be positively impacted through the created opportunity to enjoy the benefits of an improved pedestrian experience and a much improved public gathering space.



4. Describe any engagement efforts with minority communities potentially impacted by the proposal.

The approval of the financing for this project includes public hearings at the Joint Review Board, Redevelopment Authority of the City of Milwaukee and the Zoning Neighborhood and Development Committee of the Common Council.

5. Describe how any anticipated equity impacts of the proposal will be documented or evaluated.

The City does not have a means to measure the impacts but it can be seen that overtime the improvements are beneficial in cultivating a thriving community through improved pedestrian connections and public gathering spaces.

6. Describe strategies that will be used, if any, to mitigate any anticipated equity impacts.

No specific negative equity impacts were identified by this analysis.

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