

RESOLUTION

Resolution Approving a Contract with Granicus to Implement an Engagement HQ Platform (82)

WHEREAS, the Division of Transportation conducts numerous planning, engineering and construction projects that require extensive public engagement; and

WHEREAS, Granicus provides an online public engagement tool, Engagement HQ, that works seamlessly with the County's existing website; and

WHEREAS, Engagement HQ will allow the Division of Transportation to host ten digital engagement projects per year.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by this County Board of McHenry County, Illinois, that it hereby approves a contract with Granicus for the Engagement HQ platform; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated from the FY25 budget the sum of \$16,038.75 (Fund 100; Dept 90; Main Acct 432100); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated from the FY26 budget the sum of \$14,493.15 (Fund 100; Dept 90; Main Acct 432100); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated from the FY27 budget the sum of \$15,507.67 (Fund 100; Dept 90; Main Acct 432100); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk is hereby authorized to distribute a certified copy of this Resolution to the County Administrator, the Chief Financial Officer, the Director of Procurement and Special Services, and an electronic copy to the Director of Transportation/County Engineer.

DATED at Woodstock, Illinois, this 18th day of February, A.D., 2025.

Michael Buehler, Chairman
McHenry County Board

ATTEST:

Joseph J. Tirio, County Clerk

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SUBJECT: Resolution Approving a Contract with Granicus to Implement an Engagement HQ Platform (82)

Board / Committee Action Requested:

To approve a three-year contract with Granicus for the Engagement HQ platform.

Background and Discussion:

The Division of Transportation (MCDOT) will utilize this Engagement HQ platform to better engage the public during planning, engineering and construction projects. This web-based tool will allow MCDOT to conduct surveys and polls, send newsletters, and provide project information to impacted citizens of the County in a more user-friendly manner.

Impact on Human Resources: N/A

Impact on Budget (Revenue; Expenses, Fringe Benefits):

This expenditure was included in the Division of Transportation's FY25 budget.

Impact on Capital Expenditures: N/A

Impact on Physical Space: N/A

Impact on Other County Departments or Outside Agencies:

If the Engagement HQ platform performs well for MCDOT, the County may consider bringing it to other departments, such as the Planning and Development Department.

Conformity to Board Ordinances, Policies and Strategic Plan:

Conforms to the Strategic Plan.