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Re: Proposal for design services - Clinton River Trail TAP grant

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Fred Phillips <fredphillips@wowway.com>

Wed, Aug 27, 2014 at 12:00 PM

To: Allan Schneck <schnecka@rochesterhills.org>

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Hi Allan,

Friends of the Clinton River Trail (FCRT) met last night and discussed the SDA proposal. The consensus of the group was definitely in favor hiring SDA to support the TAP grant project.

Although it isn't really up to FCRT, the group just felt that the skills SDA would provide are needed to make this the best success possible. It is clear that the MDOT requirements go well beyond what was anticipated from the very cryptic grant announcement and proposal form that SEMCOG provided initially. The "rules" are significantly different than the Trust Fund grant (our original target for the application) and were not obvious or known to those typically concerned with recreation oriented grants. Hopefully there is sufficient margin in the application budget as submitted to cover the majority of the SDA cost -- although it will likely take SDA's expertise to determine that.

FCRT still pledges the volunteer support of its diverse and very professional talent pool; however, the requirements of the TAP grant include several items for which we have no direct experience base.

Our vote: Hire SDA.

Fred Phillips

for Friends of the Clinton River Trail

From: "Allan Schneck" <schnecka@rochesterhills.org>**To:** "Mike Hartner" <hartnerm@rochesterhills.org>, "Jaymes Vettrano" <JVettrano@rochestermi.org>, "Bill Bohlen" <BBohlen@rochestermi.org>, dgrice@auburnhills.org, wiltfangk@oakgov.com, "Brian Marzolf" <bmarzolf@auburnhills.org>, "Fred Phillips" <fredphillips@wowway.com>, "Tara Presta" <prestat@rochesterhills.org>, "Kim Murphey" <murpheyk@rochesterhills.org>**Sent:** Monday, August 25, 2014 8:32:33 AM**Subject:** Fwd: Proposal for design services - Clinton River Trail TAP grant

Good morning,

Please find attached the subject proposal from SDA for your review and comment.

It is within/around the 10% of the project construction costs which is an acceptable percentage for said services.

If acceptable, we can work on the funding agreements to be executed by each agency.

Regards,
Allan

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From: **Gregory, Cheryl** <cgregory@sda-eng.com>
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Subject: Proposal for design services - Clinton River Trail TAP grant
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Allan,

Attached for your review/approval, please find SDA's proposal for the design of the CRT TAP grant enhancements.

Please don't hesitate to call me or Dave if you have any questions -

Thank you for the opportunity to work on this unique community project.

Cheryl

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