

# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**Manager's Recommendation:** Approval of the resolution as follows:

Council \_\_\_\_\_ offered and moved adoption of the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The Local Bridge Program Fund provides funding for repair, preventative maintenance and rehabilitation of local bridges; and

WHEREAS, a need for rehabilitation/reconstruction of the Norman Street Bridge over Veterans Memorial Parkway and for scour corrective action and preventative maintenance as needed for the Court Street, Genesee Avenue, Holland Avenue and Center Street Bridges over the Saginaw River has been determined and has been indicated in recent engineering and bridge inspection reports by it's bridge consultant, Spicer Group; and

WHEREAS, the cost of such rehabilitation has yet to be determined, and will be once engineering estimates are prepared; and

WHEREAS, the deadline for submission of new funding applications for the State of Michigan and Federal Local Bridge Program for fiscal year 2012 is June 1, 2009; and

WHEREAS, the application will be prepared and reviewed for the purpose of procuring State and Federal Local Bridge Program Funds for such rehabilitation; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Saginaw is actively seeking Local Bridge Program Funds for the rehabilitation/reconstruction of the Norman Street Bridge over Veterans Memorial Parkway and for scour corrective action and preventative maintenance as needed for the Court Street, Genesee Avenue, Holland Avenue and Center Street Bridges over the Saginaw River, and is willing to participate in its implementation.