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**To:** Honorable Mayor and City Council  
**From:** Joe Kohlmann, City Administrator  
**Date:** May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2013  
**Re:** Three Rivers Park District – County Road 19 Bridge

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Staff has met with representatives of Three Rivers Park District, City of Shorewood, and Hennepin County to discuss the impacts of installing a bridge over County Road 19. Three Rivers Park District has secured funding for the project and the anticipated starting date for construction is 2014.

The City has been presented with options to provide local access of the bridge and trail via County Road 19. In order to establish local connections, the City would need to grant easements for the access. *Attached* are temporary and permanent easements proposed by Three Rivers Park District.

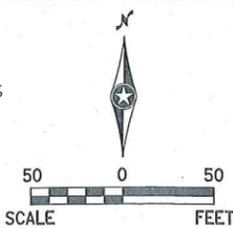
Alex Meyer from Three Rivers Park District will be in attendance to answer any specific questions. Staff is recommending that the City Council hold a worksession to discuss the easement proposals. Staying with past Council practice, Staff recommends that the worksession be scheduled on May 28<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 p.m. prior to the next City Council Meeting.

**Recommended Motion:**

Discuss LRT Bridge and schedule a worksession for further discussion.

**LEGEND & NOTES:**

- BRIDGE STRUCTURE
  - APPROACH FILL WITH RETAINING WALLS
  - PROPOSED TRAIL ON GRADE
  - EXISTING 10 FOOT TRAIL
  - TEMPORARY TRAIL DETOUR
  - PROPOSED TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT 10 FOOT TRAIL
  - PROPOSED TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT DRAINAGE CROSSING
  - EXISTING R.O.W. / PROPERTY LINES
  - TEMPORARY EASEMENT
- 5% MAXIMUM SLOPE AT BRIDGE AND APPROACHES



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**PREFERRED OPTION 1 - TRAIL BRIDGE CROSSING CSAH 19 (MANITOU ROAD)**

LAKE MINNETONKA LRT REGIONAL TRAIL CROSSING FEASIBILITY STUDY  
 FOR THREE RIVERS PARK DISTRICT IN THE CITIES OF TONKA BAY & SHOREWOOD, MN

