



## **PUBLIC HEALTH**

**DATE:** September 27, 2016  
**FROM:** Renae Moch, MBA, FACMPE, Director  
**ITEM:** Permission to apply for grant funding

### **REQUEST**

Public Health is requesting permission to apply for grant funding for future implementation of an "Open Streets Project" to increase physical activity, health and wellness in our community.

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Bismarck-Burleigh Public Health is requesting permission to apply for grant funding of up to \$2,000 from Grinnell Mutual for a "Working Together Making it Better" community grant. If awarded, the funds would be used to work towards an open streets project that encourages physical activity in the community. Open streets events encourage walking, bicycling, dancing, playing and socializing.

There would be no new FTE's with this grant and there is no match requirement. We appreciate your consideration of this request.

### **RECOMMENDED CITY COMMISSION ACTION**

Approve