AGENDA ITEM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY **Agenda Item number:** *5.J Recommendation to Approve a Resolution Authorizing a Title: **Construction Contract for Crack Filling Chris Gottlieb** Presenter: ILLINOIS • 1834 **Meeting:** Government Services Committee Date: April 24, 2023 **Proposed Cost:** \$ 84,000 **Budgeted Amount: \$84,000** Not Budgeted: **TIF District:** Choose an item. **Executive Summary** (if not budgeted, please explain): In 2017, the City began to expand the types of pavement strategies used to maintain our roadway network, with the understanding that it is important to choose the right treatment, for the right road and at the right time. Pavement rejuvenation has been utilized as a preventative maintenance technique, and roadway base reclamation has been performed as a cost-effective reconstruction alternative. In 2019, the City added crack filling as an additional preventative maintenance tool in an effort to keep the City's streets in good condition for longer periods of time. Crack filling addresses the most important principal of roadway maintenance: drainage. Crack filling ensures that drainage reaches the gutter and the storm sewer system, instead of penetrating the roadway surface and base course. Water that reaches the roadway base course will be subject to freeze and thaw cycles during winter months, which leads to weaker roadway bases and essentially a shorter roadway lifespan. All crack filling work is scheduled to be performed in May and June. On April 3rd, electronic bids for the 2023 Crack Filling contract were received. The City received a total of two bids for this project, with Denler, Inc. being the lowest responsive, responsible bidder. Denler, Inc. performed the 2019 and 2020 crack filling programs for the City, and has performed similar work for the City of Batavia, the Village of Romeoville, and the Village of Downers Grove. Staff recommends awarding a contract to the low bidder, Denler, Inc. of Joliet, Illinois, for a total amount not to exceed \$84,000. Attachments (please list): *Location Map **Recommendation/Suggested Action** (briefly explain):

Recommendation to approve a Resolution authorizing a Construction Contract with Denler, Inc. for

2023 Crack Filling in amount not to exceed \$84,000.

