

**BEFORE THE  
FRESNO COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS  
RESOLUTION NO. 2015-32**

ITEM I C

In the Matter of:

**Regional Bus Transit Application Project**

RESOLUTION ADOPTING  
San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control  
District  
Electronic Mobility Grant  
Program Application

WHEREAS, the Fresno Council of Governments (Fresno COG) has been designated the Regional Transportation Planning Agency (RTPA) for Fresno County by the Secretary of the Business and Transportation Agency pursuant to Section 29532 of the California Code of Regulations (as amended by AB 402, 1977); and acting as the Metropolitan Planning Agency (MPO) (Federal Highway Act of 1974 and the Urban Mass Transportation Administration Act of 1964 as amended pursuant to the joint regulations - Code of Federal Regulations, Title 23, Part 450; Title 49, Part 613); and

WHEREAS, the Fresno COG is the State designated Areawide Clearinghouse to coordinate the evaluation and review of Federal and Federally assisted programs and projects as required by the Presidential Executive Order 12372; and

WHEREAS, The San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (SJVAPCD) is currently accepting applications for the development or expansion of telecommunications services and electronic technology applications to directly replace vehicle travel by the general public; and

WHEREAS, Fresno COG has partnered with ScholarDev LLC in effort to develop transit applications for several cities that make up the central Valley called **Regional Bus Transit Application (App) Project** ; and

WHEREAS, SJVAPCD is a startup software company that was founded on the campus of Fresno City College and is currently based in the City of Fresno; and

WHEREAS, the will be available to the public free of charge and are intended to improve the experience of all bus riders in the central valley by providing a way to effortlessly view transit information for every bus transit system in the regions while reducing the amount of printing needed for bus schedules, and lowering the costs for both the transit agencies and the bus riders themselves; and

WHEREAS, the benefiting counties consist of San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Kings, Tulare, and Kern

WHEREAS, the total funding request is \$51,680 from the SJVAPCD's Electronic Mobility (E-Mobility) grant program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Fresno COG, as an eligible applicant, in partnership with ScholarDev LLC, is authorized to submit the application for funding request for the Regional Bus Transit Application Project in the amount of \$51,680 for the SJVAPCD's E-Mobility Grant Program.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was passed and adopted by the Fresno Council of Governments this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2015.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

ATTEST:

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Amarpreet Dhaliwal, Chair

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution of the Fresno Council of Governments duly adopted at a regular meeting thereof held on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2015.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tony Boren, Executive Director