BEFORE THE
FRESNO COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
RESOLUTION NO. 2016-02

In the Matter of:	)	RESOLUTION ADOPTING
	)	THE OVERALL WORK
OVERALL WORK PROGRAM	)	PROGRAM AND LINE ITEM
AND LINE ITEM BUDGET	)	BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR
_____	)	2016/17

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 Fresno COG is required by Federal and State funding agencies to prepare and submit an Overall Work Program pursuant to the Department of Transportation, Intermodal Planning Group Region IX Guidelines for Metropolitan Planning Organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Fresno COG submits required annual certificates and assurances to the Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration; and

WHEREAS, Fresno COG staff has sought input from member agencies, including transit operators, and the State with respect to proposed work to be performed to satisfy Federal and State requirements, in addition to local priorities; and

WHEREAS, the Overall Work Program cites activities to which Fresno COG commits to satisfy various Federal regulations including equal opportunity and fair employment practices and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise requirements; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Overall Work Program has been prepared to meet Federal and State requirements; and

WHEREAS, the Overall Work Program is considered to be a guide for work activity and may be considered for amendment by the Fresno COG Policy Board during the 2016/17 fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the Fresno COG has prepared a line item budget which is consistent with the Overall Work Program, and

WHEREAS, the Overall Work Program has been circulated through the Areawide Clearinghouse process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Fresno COG adopts the FY 2016/17 Overall Work Program and Line Item Budget for 2016/17 including statements of commitment to satisfy all Federal and State requirements for grant approval.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Fresno COG Executive Director and/or Policy Board Chairman are authorized to execute and submit certifications, assurances, and applications for funding to State and Federal agencies identified as proposed sources of funding by the FY 2016/17 Overall Work Program; and execute and submit agreements with participating member agencies and auditors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Fresno COG will continue to work with State and Federal funding agencies in addition to member agencies on any adjustments to the Overall Work Program and Line Item Budget which may occur subsequent to July 1, 2016.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was passed and adopted by the Fresno Council of Governments this 26th day of May, 2016.

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 26th day of May, 2016.

Signed:_____
Tony Boren, Executive Director