

BEFORE THE
FRESNO COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
RESOLUTION NO. 2022-27

IN THE MATTER OF:
STBG and CMAQ Project Selection
Procedures

RESOLUTION ADOPTING
Revised STBG and CMAQ Project
Selection Procedures

RESOLUTION
Fresno Council of Governments

R-2022-27

RESOLUTION ADOPTING
FRESNO COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS' REVISED PROJECT SELECTION PROCEDURES FOR THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM AND THE CONGESTION MITIGATION
AND AIR QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Fresno Council of Governments (Fresno COG) is a Regional Transportation Planning Agency and a Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), pursuant to State and Federal designation; and

WHEREAS, government code section 23 U.S.C. 134(c),(h) & (j) set forth requirements for MPOs to cooperatively develop a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), and

WHEREAS, The TIP must include surface transportation projects funded under Title 23 U.S.C. or Title 49 U.S.C, and

WHEREAS, Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) Program and Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) funds are included in Title 23 U.S.C., and

WHEREAS, the Federal Highways Administration issued Fresno COG a corrective action to review internal procedures in coordination with Caltrans and discontinue STBG and CMAQ suballocations from project programming and selection procedures, and

WHEREAS, Fresno COG assembled its Project Selection and Programming Subcommittee to review and revise internal project selection procedures to conform with FHWA's corrective action requirements, and

WHEREAS, Fresno COG's Project Selection and Programming Subcommittee finalized revisions to the STBG and CMAQ project selection procedures that remove suballocations from the project selection process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Fresno Council of Governments hereby adopts the attached revised STBG and CMAQ project selection procedures.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Fresno Council of Governments finds that the revised STBG and CMAQ project selection procedures complies with federal regulations (23 CFR § 450.326) that prohibit the sub-allocation of STBG and CMAQ funds.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was adopted by the Fresno Council of Governments this 23rd day of June 2022.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

Michelle Roman
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 23rd day of June 2022.

Signed: _____
Tony Boren
Executive Director