

**BEFORE THE
FRESNO COUNTY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
RESOLUTION No. 2025-15**

IN THE MATTER OF)	RESOLUTION TO APPROVE
AMENDMENT NO. 9)	AMENDMENT NO. 9 TO THE
TO THE MEASURE “C”)	MEASURE “C” EXTENSION
EXTENSION)	EXPENDITURE PLAN TO
EXPENDITURE PLAN)	ESTABLISH A MEASURE C SAFE
<hr/>)	ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROGRAM

WHEREAS, safe access to schools has been an issue for Fresno County students, parents, and staff; and

WHEREAS, the Policy Board has appointed a Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Subcommittee to address the negative affects of safe and accessible transportation options to schools within the region, and

WHEREAS, Fresno Council of Governments staff has developed an inventory of SRTS projects by district; and

WHEREAS, Fresno Council of Governments has acquired a grant to develop a safety action plan for schools ; and

WHEREAS; the SRTS Subcommittee has advocated for safety for children as a priority of Measure C funding; and

WHEREAS, Fresno Council of Governments staff with guidance from Fresno County Transportation Authority has identified \$6 million in Measure C funding from the Senior Scrip, carpool/vanpool and agricultural vanpool programs into a new SRTS program for one-time funding of eligible projects on a formula, pro-rata basis; and

WHEREAS, Fresno Council of Governments Policy Board has approved this transfer to a new SRTS funding program; and

WHEREAS. Measure C funding is always leveraged whenever possible to ensure that revenues from other sources are captured; and

WHEREAS, engaging community resources in this effort will help ensure local ownership and commitment to the program, and provide flexibility to develop litter programs geared toward local needs; and

WHEREAS, it is proposed that: one-year Measure C Safe Routes to School (SRTS) be established, by means of Amendment No. 9 to the 2006 Measure C Extension Expenditure Plan, with funds from Measure C the Senior Scrip, carpool/vanpool and agricultural vanpool programs providing \$6 million for a competitive call for projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

The Urban and Rural Program description on Page 8 of the adopted 2006 Expenditure Plan is hereby amended to include the following paragraph:

“Commencing on June 11, 2025 funds from the Regional Public Transit program will include a one-time movement of funds from the Farmworker Van Pools, Ca/Van Pool, and Senior Scrip programs

to the Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Program with funding not to exceed \$6 million from the three programs. Said program funding will only be used to fund projects to improve the safe accessibility of school facilities. Further guidance for implementation of this program will be developed by Fresno COG and FCTA Staff. ”

MEASURE “C” SOURCE	SENIOR SCRIP	FARMWORKER VAN POOLS	CAR/VAN POOLS	TOTAL
REALLOCATION	2,500,000	2,500,000	1,000,000	6,000,000

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was passed and adopted by the Fresno Council of Governments this 29th day of May 2025.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

ATTEST:

Signed: _____
Alma Beltran, 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 dated above.

Signed: Robert Phipps, Executive Director