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ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL.**

AN ORDINANCE

**AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR FUNDING CONSIDERATION
UNDER THE TRAFFIC SAFETY GRANT PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING
THE ACCEPTANCE OF \$45,000.00 IN FEDERAL FUNDS IF AWARDED.**

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WHEREAS, the City of San Antonio is developing a Strategic Multi-Modal Transportation Plan (SMMTP) to begin planning for the major population growth expected by the year 2040 and an effort to emphasize multi-modal transportation, walking and biking safety, especially around schools, has become a national focus due to the increased number of pedestrian and bicycle accidents each year, it is imperative that our community find a way to minimize pedestrian and bicycle fatalities; and

WHEREAS, the first portion of this grant is to prepare a school safety kit for local schools to educate their students walking and biking safety by providing a variety of items such as educational curriculum, informational handouts, web resources, safety facts, giveaway items and surveys; and

WHEREAS, this approach is intended to target education in a local neighborhood, in order to reach the students where they live and travel; and

WHEREAS, the second approach to promoting walking and biking safety is to address safety in adult populations through distribution of materials in the community which will be used to educate citizens on the importance of using designated crosswalks as well as to motorists to drive attentively; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance authorizes the City Manager or her designee, to submit an application to the Texas Department of Transportation for funding consideration under the Traffic Safety Grant Program and authorizes the acceptance of \$45,000.00 in federal funds if awarded; **NOW THEREFORE**;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The grant application submitted to the Texas Department of Transportation for an amount up to \$45,000.00 for funding consideration under the Traffic Safety Grant Program is hereby authorized.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or her designee is hereby authorized to accept the funds upon award.

SECTION 3. The following financial adjustments are hereby approved:

- a) The City Manager or her designee, or the Director of the Transportation and Capital Improvements Department or his designee is hereby authorized to apply for and accept grant funds in the amount up to \$45,000.00 from the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT).
- b) Fund 2605940001 entitled "TXDOT - STRATEGIC MULTI-MODAL" and internal order 140000000186 are hereby designated for use in the accounting for the fiscal transaction in the ratification of this grant.

- c) Funds are authorized to be received from TXDOT to SAP Fund 46099000, Grants Other Projects, SAP Project Definition 40-00459, Strategic Transportation Multi-Modal Plan, and the budget shall be revised by increasing WBS element 40-00459-90-06-01 entitled Transfer from I/O# 14000000186 TXDot Grant (TXDot), SAP GL Account 6101100 - Interfund Transfer In, by the amount \$35,992.96.
- d) The amount of \$35,992.96 is appropriated in SAP Fund 46099000, Grants Other Projects, SAP Project Definition 40-00459, Strategic Transportation Multi-Modal Plan, and the budget shall be revised by increasing SAP WBS Elements as follows:

WBS NO.	WBS NAME	G/L	G/L NAME	PLAN VERSION 0 REVISION/ Appropriation
40-00459-05-02-09	TXDot	5201245	Construction Costs	35,992.96
			Totals	35,992.96

- e) Payment in the amount not to exceed \$8,998.24 in SAP Fund 46099000, Grants Other Projects, SAP Project Definition 40-00459, Strategic Transportation Multi-Modal Plan, is authorized to be encumbered and made payable to Texas Department of Transportation, for consultant services. Payment is limited to the amounts budgeted in the Operating and/or Capital Budget funding sources identified. All expenditures will comply with approved operating and/or capital budgets for current and future fiscal years.

SECTION 4. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director of Finance may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage by eight or more affirmative votes; otherwise, it shall be effective on the tenth day after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this ____ day of _____, 2015.

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Ivy R. Taylor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Martha G. Sepeda, Acting City Attorney