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**AN ORDINANCE**

**AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH VIA METROPOLITAN TRANSIT, FOR \$3,750,000.00 TO FUND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CITY'S STRATEGIC MULTI-MODAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN AND AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE FUNDS, UPON AWARD.**

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**WHEREAS,** the Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER) Discretionary Grant Program was created as part of the Recovery Act of 2009; and

**WHEREAS,** in 2014, \$35 Million was appropriated to the TIGER Program for planning grants which included "planning, preparation, or design of a single surface transportation project, or activities related to regional transportation investment planning"; and

**WHEREAS,** this grant funding will leverage the initial funding investments by the City and MPO for the Strategic Multi-Modal Transportation Plan and allow for detailed corridor implementation plans that focus on specific improvements and will be coordinated with the Department of Planning and Community Development, the Office of Sustainability, and VIA Metropolitan Transit; and

**WHEREAS,** this Ordinance authorizes the submission of an application to the US Department of Transportation in partnership with VIA Metropolitan Transit for \$3,750,000 to fund the implementation of the City's Strategic Multi-Modal Transportation Plan; and

**WHEREAS,** the US Department of Transportation grant application is consistent with City policy to apply for grants to enhance transportation planning by supplementing local funds;  
**NOW THEREFORE;**

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

**SECTION 1.** The City Manager or her designee is hereby authorized to submit a grant application to the U.S. Department of Transportation in partnership with VIA Metropolitan Transit for an amount up to \$3,750,000.00 to fund the implementation of the City's Strategic Multi Modal Transportation Plan and to accept the funds upon award. The City will be providing a match of \$750,000.00 from the FY2014 budget, \$500,000.00 will come from the

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Strategic Multi-Modal Transportation Plan and \$250,000.00 will come from the Department of Planning and Community Development Comprehensive Plan.

**SECTION 2.** The following financial adjustments are hereby approved:

- a) Upon acceptance of this award, new funds and internal order numbers will be created, upon which the award amount will be appropriated from the U.S. Department of Transportation. Formal budgets will be provided upon acceptance of the award.
- b) 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 3.** 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 \_\_\_\_, 2014.

**M A Y O R**  
Julián Castro

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

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Robert F. Greenblum, City Attorney