City of Greensboro



Agenda Report

File Number: 2024-592

Agenda Item# G.11.

Agenda Date:8/20/2024. Department: TransportationMeeting Type:Council Meeting Category: Consent Agenda

Title: 2024-592 Resolution Authorizing Agreement with North Carolina Department of Transportation for Metropolitan Planning Organization Responsibilities and Federal Funding

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

⊠Safest City	□Most Skilled Workforce
Easiest Place to Do Business	⊠Most Connected City
□Youth Sports Capital	□Hub of Recreation and Entertainment
□Abundance of Attainable Housing	Other/Admin Briefly Explain 3 word maximum

Council District: Citywide

Public Hearing: No **Advertising Date/By**: No

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PURPOSE:

A resolution is needed to authorize an agreement with North Carolina Department of Transportation to update Metropolitan Planning Organization responsibilities associated federal funding reimbursements.

BACKGROUND:

In its longstanding role as Lead Planning Agency, the City of Greensboro is responsible for conducting metropolitan transportation planning activities and managing federal funding for the Greensboro Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) in accordance with all federal and state legal and regulatory requirements. In this capacity, the City is a subgrantee of the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT), which supports and oversees the process. Under this Municipal Agreement with NCDOT, the City is responsible for overseeing the MPO program and fulfilling its statutory requirements, performing planning work as documented in the Unified Planning Work Program, and administering funds and procuring services in compliance with federal and state policies.

The Department's responsibilities under this agreement include overseeing compliance with relevant regulations, allocating federal and state funding to the City upon the completion and

approval of the UPWP, assisting with project costs and non-federal match amounts, and securing funding authorization from federal authorities.

The agreement also outlines the departmental and federal policies applicable to both parties.

BUDGET IMPACT:

No financial impact.

ACCOUNT NUMBER: NA

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

It is recommended that City Council approve the attached resolution authorizing an agreement with NC Department of Transportation to update Metropolitan Planning Organization responsibilities associated federal funding reimbursements.