COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM 6d

Metropolitan Transportation Commission **Programming and Allocations Committee**

October 9, 2019

Agenda Item 2c

MTC Resolution No. 4202, Revised

Subject:

Revision to the One Bay Area Grant 2 Program (OBAG 2) to redirect \$3 million within the Connected Bay Area regional program to establish the InterConnect Bay Area grant program.

Background:

The OBAG 2 program adopted by the Commission establishes commitments and policies for investing Surface Transportation Block Grant Program (STP) and Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) funds for regional and county programs from FY2017-18 through FY2021-22.

This month, staff recommends the following changes to the regional program:

Connected Bay Area

Within the Connected Bay Area sub-program (previously known as the Transportation Management Systems), redirect \$3 million from the Detection Technology Pilot project to establish the InterConnect Bay Area Program. This new grant program is intended to support and incentivize local agencies to build out communications infrastructure for projects identified in MTC's Regional Communications Infrastructure Strategic Plan. Today's proposed action establishes the program; specific program guidelines and call for projects/project selection would occur at a later time.

The strategic plan and new InterConnect Bay Area grant program will also be presented for information at the Operations Committee on October 11, 2019.

Issues:

None.

Recommendation: Refer MTC Resolution No. 4202, Revised to the Commission for approval. Because this resolution is proposed for revision under other agenda items, it is included once under Agenda Item 4a with all proposed revisions. Only items referred by the Committee will be forwarded to the Commission.

Attachments:

MTC Resolution No. 4202, Revised, can be found under Agenda Item 4a to this packet.

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