Metropolitan Transportation Commission Programming and Allocations Committee

March 12, 2025

Agenda Item 2c-25-0257

MTC Resolution Nos. 3989, Revised; 4202, Revised; 4505, Revised; and 4540, Revised

Subject:

Various revisions to the One Bay Area Grant (OBAG 2 and 3), Carbon Reduction Program (CRP), and MTC exchange programs, including programming \$40.7 million to local agencies for various Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) capital projects and \$20.8 million to MTC for various local TOC planning projects.

Background:

The OBAG 2 and 3 programs establish the policy and programming framework for investing federal Surface Transportation Block Grant Program (STP) and Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement program (CMAQ) funds for FY 2017-18 through FY 2025-26. MTC approved the policy and programming framework for investing federal Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) funds for FY 2021-22 through FY 2025-26 as part of the broader OBAG 3 regional investment strategy.

MTC's fund exchange program provides greater flexibility to deliver select priority projects within the broader OBAG framework. MTC Resolution No. 3989, Revised, describes the procedures governing MTC's exchange program and details the agreements and commitments that have been made to date. The program facilitates funding agreements with partner agencies to exchange federal STP/CMAQ funds with non-federal local funds. These exchanges do not increase the total amount of funds available to the region but enable MTC to support key investments within the OBAG policy framework that are ineligible for STP/CMAQ funds.

This month, staff recommend revisions to the OBAG 2 and 3, CRP, and MTC exchange programs as summarized in **Table 1** below and detailed in **Attachment A**.

Table 1: Programming Recommendations Summary

Program/Project	Amount \$1,000s	Funding Source(s)
Climate Initiatives Capital Implementation	\$40,740	Various
Charging Infrastructure Technical Assistance (16 projects)	\$20,250	CRP
Mobility Hubs Capital (4 projects)	\$14,178	CRP, OBAG 3
Parking Management Capital (4 projects)	\$3,500	OBAG 3
Active Transportation Technical Assistance (11 projects)*	\$2,740	MTC Exchange
Mobility Hubs Technical Assistance (1 project)	\$72	OBAG 3
Transit Oriented Community (TOC) Planning	\$20,800	Various
TOC Planning and Rezoning (19 projects)**	\$9,445	OBAG 3
TOC Station Access and Circulation Planning (14 projects)	\$4,130	OBAG 2/3
TOC Parking Management Planning (18 projects)	\$4,000	OBAG 2/3
TOC Housing Policy Development (7 projects)*	\$2,200	MTC Exchange
TOC/Regional Housing Technical Assistance (2 projects)**	\$1,025	MTC Exchange
Bay Bridge Forward	-	OBAG 2
MTC's East Bay Commuter Parking	-\$1,645	OBAG 2
MTC's Bay Bridge Forward Preliminary Engineering	\$1,645	OBAG 2
Priority Conservation Area (PCA) Grants	\$750	MTC Exchange
SFRPD's Visitacion Ave Bike/Ped Safety Improvements***	\$750	MTC Exchange
Regional Vision Zero/Safety Program	\$80	MTC Exchange
MTC's Bay Area Vision Zero Data System (BayViz)***	\$80	MTC Exchange
Total Net Programming Recommendation	\$61,540	Various

*Includes fund source change from OBAG 3 to MTC Exchange for new projects

Includes reprogramming to apply OBAG 2 savings to previously awarded OBAG 3 projects *Includes fund source change for previously awarded OBAG 3 projects

Issues:

None.

Recommendations:

Refer MTC Resolution Nos. 3989, Revised; 4202, Revised; 4505, Revised; and 4540, Revised to the Commission for approval.

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Attachments:

- Attachment A: Programming Recommendations Detail
- MTC Resolution No. 4505, Revised
 - Attachment B-1
- MTC Resolution No. 3989, Revised
 - o Attachment B
- MTC Resolution No. 4202, Revised
 - Attachment B-1
- MTC Resolution No. 4540, Revised
 - o Attachment B

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