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ABSTRACT

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This resolution approves the Agency's Operating and Capital Budget for FY 2026-27.

Further discussion of the agency budget is contained in the Summary Sheets dated June 24, 2026. A budget is attached as Attachments A through H.

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Re: Metropolitan Transportation Commission's Operating and Capital Budget for FY 2026-27

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
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WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC or the Commission) is the regional transportation planning agency for the San Francisco Bay Area pursuant to Government Code Section 66500 *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, MTC is also the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Bay Area and is charged with carrying out the metropolitan transportation planning and programming process required to maintain the region's eligibility for federal funds for transportation planning, capital improvements, and operations; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2026 the Commission approved MTC's Overall Work Program (OWP) for Fiscal Year 2026-27 with the adoption of MTC Resolution No. 4755; and

WHEREAS, the OWP identifies MTC's Overall Work Program for FY 2026-27; and

WHEREAS, the MTC Agency Budget for FY 2026-27 is consistent with the OWP as adopted pursuant to MTC Resolution No. 4755; and

RESOLVED, that MTC's Agency Budget for FY 2026-27, attached hereto as Attachment A, and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, is approved; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Executive Director or designee may approve adjustments among line items in the MTC operating budget for FY 2026-27, provided that there shall be no increase in the overall MTC operating budget without prior approval of the Commission; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that MTC delegates to its Administration or Operations Committees the authority to approve all contracts and expenditures in MTC's Agency Budget for FY 2026-27, providing that there shall be no increase in the overall budget without prior approval of the Commission; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that MTC's Executive Director, or the responsible MTC staff person designated by the Executive Director, shall submit written requests to the Administration or Operations Committees for approval of consultants, professional services, and expenditures authorized in the MTC Agency Budget for FY 2026-27; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that MTC's Executive Director and the Chief Financial Officer are authorized to carry over and re-budget all grants, contracts and funds properly budgeted in the prior year for which expenditures were budgeted and encumbered and which will take place in FY 2026-27; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commission authorizes the use of MTC funds for cash flow purposes, as an advance on authorized expenditures until the expenditures have been reimbursed; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that, consistent with the MTC Operating Reserve Policy (MTC Resolution No. 4751), the Commission authorizes the designation of certain reserves for FY 2026–27, Benefits, Liability, Compensated Absences, Encumbrances, Building, Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB), and Capital and Fixed Asset Replacement. The Chief Financial Officer is authorized to set aside \$1,000,000 for computer capital and replacement. The Chief Financial Officer is authorized to utilize the funds in the Benefits Reserve to meet any obligations resulting from the requirements of or changes in the employee labor agreements or for the purpose of prepaying or retiring unfunded pension or OPEB Liability. No additional expenditures shall be authorized from any designated reserves authorized by MTC's Agency Budget for FY 2026-27 without prior authorization of the Administration Committee; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commission affirms the Operating Reserve shall be maintained in accordance with the provisions, requirements, and guidelines established under MTC Resolution No. 4751; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the total of full time regular and project term limited employees is established at 431 and will not be increased without approved increase to the appropriate FY 2026-27 budget and that the Executive Director or Designee is authorized to manage all contract, hourly or agency employees within the authorized FY 2026-27 budget; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that MTC's Executive Director, or the responsible MTC staff person designated by the Executive Director, shall furnish the Administration Committee with a quarterly financial report to reflect budgeted and actual income, expenditures, obligations for professional and consultant services and such other information and data as may be requested by the Administration Committee.

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Sue Noack, Chair

The above resolution was entered into by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission at a regular meeting of the Commission held in San Francisco, California and at other remote locations on June 24, 2026.

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Attachments A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H
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METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
AGENCY'S OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGET
FY 2026-27

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