

## **RESOLUTION NO. 39096**

A RESOLUTION relating to public works projects; authorizing the acceptance of seven grants, in the total amount of \$13,010,976, for deposit into Transportation Capital Fund 1060 and Paths and Trails Fund 1140, to fund various Public Works projects, including roadways, bridges, trails, bikeways, and a public promenade.

WHEREAS the City has aggressively applied for grants for numerous infrastructure projects, and in the past two months, seven Public Works projects ("Projects") have been selected to receive approximately \$13,010,976 in grant funds, and

WHEREAS these Projects will improve the safety and well-being of citizens by rehabilitating roadways and bridges; adding or upgrading ADA components; providing trails, bikeways, and a new public promenade; and upgrading traffic signals and pedestrian crossings, and

WHEREAS the Projects identified in the attached Exhibit "A" have been selected to receive grant funds, and

WHEREAS the Projects will require City matching funds, as follows: (1) Port of Tacoma Road, in the amount of \$797,489, funded through Heavy Haul Corridor Fund; (2) Pedestrian Improvements in Hilltop and South Downtown, in the amount of \$150,000, funded through the General Fund; (3) Historic Water Ditch Trail Phase IV Construction, in the amount of \$324,724, funded through the Real Estate Excise Tax ("REET") Capital Project Fund; (4) South 48th Street and Tacoma Mall Boulevard, in the amount of \$132,353, funded through the REET Fund; (5) Schuster Parkway Promenade, in the amount of \$182,628, with \$91,314 funded through the Surface Water Utility Fund and \$91,314 funded through the Open



Space Fund; (6) Traffic Model Update/Mode Choice/Pavement Management
Integration Phase 2, in the amount of \$75,000, funded through the REET Fund; and
(7) 56th Street and Cirque Drive, Phase I, in the amount of \$360,000, funded through the REET Fund; Now, Therefore,

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to accept \$13,010,976 in federal fund grants, \$10,000,700 for deposit into Transportation Capital Fund 1060, and \$3,010,276 for deposit into Paths and Trails Fund 1140, to fund various Public Works projects, including roadways, bridges, trails, bikeways and a public promenade, as set forth in the attached Exhibit "A."

Section 2. That the various programs and projects referred to in the attached Exhibit "A" shall not be implemented or carried into effect until such time as the same have been further reviewed by the appropriate officers and employees of the City and the making of such technical adjustments as may be required to carry out such programs and projects.

Adopted		
Attest:	Mayor	
City Clerk Approved as to form:		

Deputy City Attorney



**EXHIBIT "A"** 

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2	Project	Grantor/Amount	Description	City Match
3	Port of Tacoma Road	Transportation Improvement Board Grant	Replace existing pavement from curb-to-curb with new concrete pavement; install two new traffic signals; and add sidewalk to provide	\$797,489 Funded
4			continuous pedestrian access for the length of the project. The \$5,940,700 granted by	through the Heavy Haul
5		\$5,940,700	TIB is to conduct the construction phase. A City match of \$797,489 is required and will	Corridor Fund
6			be funded via the Heavy Haul Fund. Other funding partners for construction are the Port	
7			of Tacoma (\$832,489), FMSIB (\$1,000,000), and Tacoma Rail (\$52,000).	
8	Pedestrian	Federal	Construction of pedestrian improvements	\$150,000
9	Improvements in Hilltop and	Highways Administration	within and/or connecting, the Hilltop and South Downtown areas of the City.	Funded
10	South Downtown	Grant	Improvements may include curb ramps,	through the General
11	Downtown	<b>\$950,000</b>	striped crosswalks, median refuge islands, signage, accessible pedestrian systems,	Fund
12		\$850,000	vehicle detection, or similar treatments to improve pedestrian visibility, accessibility and	
13			safety. Improvements may be constructed along the South 11th, South 19th, and South	
14			21st Street pedestrian corridors, and/or in these general vicinities. Improvements will be	
15			supported with a pedestrian safety education and encouragement component. This FHWA	
16			grant was distributed by Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC) under the	
17			Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Program (CMAQ). A City match of \$150,000	
18			is required and will be funded via the General Fund.	
19	Historic Water	Federal	Construction of a 12-foot wide concrete multi-	\$324,724
20	Ditch Trail Phase IV	Highways Administration	use trail with 2-foot gravel shoulder, curb and gutter and transit stop/amenities. The project	Funded
21	Construction	Grant	will also include ADA compliant curb, ramps, and sidewalks, new storm drains, pedestrian	through the REET Fund
22		\$1,840,104	crossing markers, a traffic signal upgrade for pedestrian safety, and trail user amenities	
23			including pedestrian level lighting, benches, sign, and bike racks. This FHWA grant was	
24			distributed by PSRC under the CMAQ Program. A City match of \$324,724 is	
25			required and will be funded via the REET Fund.	
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	Project	Grantor/Amount	Description	City Match
1	South 48th Street and	Federal Highways	Complete a grind and overlay (HMA) across the intersection, including extending	\$132,353
2	Tacoma Mall Boulevard	Administration Grant	approximately 150' on the north, south, and east legs, and approximately 320' on the west	Funded through the
3			leg (to within the vicinity of the Pierce Transit bus stop). Pedestrian ADA improvements will	REET Fund
4		\$750,000	be addressed where needed. This FHWA grant was distributed by PSRC under the	
5			STP. A City match of \$132,353 is required and will be funded via the REET Fund.	
6	Schuster	Federal	Design of a shared-use promenade along	\$182,628
7	Parkway Promenade	Highways Administration	Schuster Parkway connecting the Thea Foss Waterway esplanade and Downtown Tacoma	Funded
8		Grant	with Old Town and the Ruston Way shoreline promenade. This FHWA grant was	through the Surface
9		\$1,170,172	distributed by PSRC under the STP. A City match of \$182,628 is required and will be	Water Utility Fund
10			funded with \$91,314 from the Surface Water Utility Fund and \$91,314 from the Open	and Open Space
11	To Contact the	Entrod	Space Fund.	Fund
12	Traffic Model Update/	Federal Highways	Update and further integrate (mode choice and freight elements) the City's base year	\$75,000
13	Mode Choice/ Pavement	Administration Grant	and forecast year travel demand models consistent with PSRC's upcoming 4K zone	Funded through the
14	Management Integration Phase 2	\$420,000	model. It has several enhancements including a refined Urban Center mode	REET Fund
15	Filase 2	\$420,000	choice/trip generation component, an air quality post processor, and the inclusion of	
16			new trip surveys. The project also includes data collection (counts and roadway attributes, transit ridership information),	
17 18			comprehensive field survey for pavement condition, documentation of the models, and	
19			associated staff training. Another element of the project is the assemblage of several	
20			subarea micro SYNCHRO models into a complete network to help assess	
21			development projects. This FHWA/STP grant was awarded by PSRC by 2014. A City	
22			match of \$75,000 is required and will be funded via the REET Fund.	
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Project	Grantor/Amount	Description	City Match
56th Street and Cirque Drive Phase I	Puget Sound Regional Council	Phase I will consist of constructing new pavement, upgrading signals, and improving curb ramps and sidewalks to current ADA	\$360,000 Funded
	\$2,040,000	standards. This FHWA grant was distributed to the City of University Place (UP) by PSRC	through the REET Fund
		under the STP to fund this joint project between UP and Tacoma. Improvements extend from 67th Avenue to UP City Limits	
		(Orchard Street) along Cirque Drive West in UP where the street name changes to	
		South 56th Street and continues from Orchard Street to Washington Street in Tacoma. A City of Tacoma match of	
		\$360,000, to be funded via the REET Fund, is required to match \$2,040,000 in grant	
		funds that will be used for improvements in the Tacoma portion of the project.	