

**RESOLUTION 2024-RT-24**

**AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$8,680,778.44 TO THE FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA) FOR FY2024 SECTION 5307 URBANIZED AREA FORMULA AUTHORIZED UNDER THE BIPARTISAN INFRASTRUCTURE LAW. THE FTA GRANT SHARE IS \$4,789,395.00 WITH A LOCAL MATCH OF \$3,891,383.44, BROKEN DOWN AS FOLLOWS: \$3,592,046.25 FOR OPERATING EXPENSE (50/50) AND \$299,337.19 FOR CAPITAL PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE (80/20). THE GRANT FUNDING WILL BE USED FOR EL METRO'S OPERATING AND CAPITAL PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE ASSISTANCE. FUNDING WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE EL METRO OPERATIONS FUND.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Laredo, Texas, authorizes the City Manager to submit a grant application to the Federal Transit Administration Section 5307 Urbanized Area Formula; and

**WHEREAS**, the Federal Transit Administration, is prepared to award a grant to the City of Laredo, as authorized by the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2024. Section 5307 Urbanized Area Formula, in the amount of \$4,789,395.00 for Fiscal Year 2024.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND THE MAYOR OF CITY OF LAREDO THAT:**

**Section 1.** Authorizing the City Manager to submit all the necessary paperwork to obtain Operating Assistance funding in the amount of \$4,789,395.00 from the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Program; and

**Section 2.** Authorizing the City Managers to submit the Operating funds awarded from the grant application for Urbanized Area Formula Program under Section 5307 funds.

**PASSED BY THE MASS TRANSIT BOARD AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR ON THIS THE \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.**

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DR. VICTOR D. TREVIÑO  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

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MARIO I. MALDONADO  
CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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