

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-RT-12

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION COMPETITIVE FY2023 SECTION 5339(b) BUSES AND BUS FACILITIES GRANT PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20,000,000.00 WITH A LOCAL MATCH OF 20% TO 50% OF THE TOTAL GRANT AMOUNT OF \$25,000,000.00. MATCH WILL BE FROM CO BOND AND LAND AS IN-KIND FOR \$2,372,229.00 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF PHASE I AND PHASE II OF THE NEW EL METRO TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION, OPERATIONS, AND FLEET MAINTENANCE FACILITY.

WHEREAS, the City of Laredo, Texas, authorizes the City Manager and staff to submit a competitive grant application in the amount of \$25,000,000.00 to the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) FY2023 discretionary grant Section 5339 (b) Buses and Bus Facilities Program, and

WHEREAS, the City of Laredo, Texas, is requesting discretionary federal funding for the construction and completion of Phase I and Phase II for the El Metro Transit Administration, Operations, and Fleet Maintenance Facility, and

WHEREAS, the City of Laredo, Texas, will use the local match requirement of a bond and land as In-Kind for \$2,372,229.00.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY MASS TRANSIT BOARD OF THE CITY OF LAREDO THAT:

Section 1. the City Manager and staff are authorized to submit a competitive grant application to the Federal Transit Administration FY2023 Section 5339 (b) Buses and Bus Facilities Competitive Grant Program in the amount of \$25,000,000.00 and

Section 2. the City Manager and staff are authorized to execute all necessary documents relating the said Grant; and

Section 3. the bond and land as In-Kind for \$2,372,229.00 will be used for local match.

**PASSED BY THE LAREDO MASS TRANSIT BOARD AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR
ON THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 2024.**

DR. VICTOR D. TREVIÑO
MAYOR

ATTESTED:

JOSE A. VALDEZ, JR.
CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DOAHN “ZONE” T. NGUYEN
CITY ATTORNEY

BY:_____
ANA SOPHIA GARCIA
ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY

