

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-0082

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

March 24, 2020

Sacramento Transportation Authority (STA) Transportation Expenditure Plan

BACKGROUND

- A. The Sacramento Transportation Authority (STA) administers the countywide dedicated transportation sales tax approved by voters. These revenues are allocated for transportation/transit capital improvements and ongoing traffic/transit operational programs.
- B. On May 14, 2020, or an alternate date, STA will consider the adoption of an ordinance that will impose an additional countywide 40-year half-cent sales tax for "fix-it-first" priority infrastructure repairs, transportation/transit capital improvements and ongoing roadway, traffic, and transit maintenance and operational programs. If adopted by the STA Board, the sales tax ordinance would also need to be approved by a two-thirds vote of the electorate in the November 2020 General Election.
- C. As part of the sales tax ordinance, STA must also adopt a Transportation Expenditure Plan (Expenditure Plan) that governs the expenditure of revenues from the sales tax. The Expenditure Plan establishes revenue allocation percentages, expenditure categories and particular capital projects that will receive funding from the sales tax measure. The Expenditure Plan was tentatively adopted by the STA on March 18, 2020.
- D. State Law requires that, before the STA Board may adopt the sales tax ordinance and Expenditure Plan, the Expenditure Plan must first be approved by "the board of supervisors and the city councils representing both a majority of the cities in the county and a majority of the population residing in the incorporated areas of the county." (Cal. Public Utilities Code, § 180206.)
- E. Once STA obtains the necessary County and City approvals of the Expenditure Plan, it will consider final adoption of the sales tax ordinance and Expenditure Plan and forward the Measure to the Board of Supervisors for placement on the November ballot.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Sacramento Transportation Authority (STA) Transportation Expenditure Plan, as tentatively adopted by the STA Board, is hereby approved for inclusion in a supplemental ½ cent sales tax ballot measure for voter consideration.

Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on March 24, 2020, by the following vote:

Ayes: Members Ashby, Carr, Guerra, Hansen, Harris, Jennings, Schenirer, Warren and Mayor Steinberg

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: None

Attest: **Mindy Cuppy** Digitally signed by Mindy Cuppy
Date: 2020.04.01 10:52:01 -07'00'
Mindy Cuppy, City Clerk

The presence of an electronic signature certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy as approved by the Sacramento City Council.