

AN ORDINANCE 2012-11-01-0855

APPROVING THE SAN ANTONIO DOWNTOWN TRANSPORTATION STUDY AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR USE AS GUIDELINES FOR REDEVELOPMENT AND IMPROVEMENT WITHIN THE DOWNTOWN AREA.

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WHEREAS, this study and its recommendations will provide guidance for future transportation and land use projects within the Downtown area; and

WHEREAS, on September 15, 2011 City Council approved a professional services contract with Pape-Dawson Engineers, Inc., to perform a Downtown Transportation Study for the Central Business District of San Antonio; and

WHEREAS, the San Antonio Downtown Transportation Study is a response to the SA 2020 challenge; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the study is to identify potential transportation solutions, to enhance accessibility for residents and visitors, improve marketability for businesses downtown through a balanced system of transportation modes which supports economic development, improves vehicular mobility, expands transportation options, promotes healthy living, and improves air quality; and

WHEREAS, an evaluation on existing downtown transportation infrastructure, potential land uses, and the identification of areas of potential improvement was included as part of the study; and

WHEREAS, focus is made on one-way and two-way streets, street lighting, street and sidewalk paving, on-street parking, bike routes, pedestrian access, ADA accessibility, downtown and surrounding neighborhood connectivity, traffic mobility improvements, transit stop and traffic signal location; and

WHEREAS, the initial set of Downtown roadway improvement projects selected for inclusion in the 2012 Bond Program include: Market Street Realignment (Bowie to Interstate 37), Frio Street (Cesar Chavez to Houston), Commerce Street (Santa Rosa to St. Mary's), Main Avenue and Soledad (Commerce to Martin) and San Pedro, Main, Navarro and Soledad Intersections; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance approves the San Antonio Downtown Transportation Study and Recommendations for the redevelopment and improvement within San Antonio Downtown area;

NOW THEREFORE,

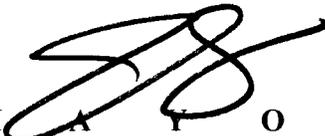
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The San Antonio Downtown Transportation Study and Recommendations are approved and shall be used as guidelines for the redevelopment and improvement within the Downtown Area.

SECTION 2. There is no financial impact with this Ordinance

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage by eight or more affirmative votes; otherwise, it shall be effective on the tenth day after passage.

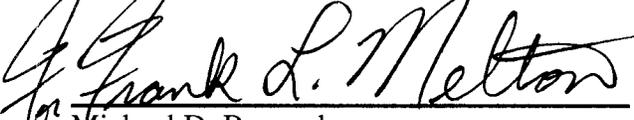
PASSED AND APPROVED this 1st day of **November, 2012.**


M A Y O R
Julián Castro

ATTEST:


Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

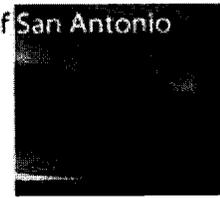
APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Michael D. Bernard



Request for
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ACTION

City of San Antonio



Agenda Voting Results - 14

| Name: | 4, 5, 6, 7A, 7B, 7C, 7D, 7E, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, , 16, 17, 18 | | | | | | |
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| Date: | 11/01/2012 | | | | | | |
| Time: | 09:34:05 AM | | | | | | |
| Vote Type: | Motion to Approve | | | | | | |
| Description: | An Ordinance approving the adoption of San Antonio Downtown Transportation Study and Recommendations to be used as guidelines for the redevelopment and improvement within Downtown area. [Peter Zanoni, Assistant City Manager; Mike Frisbie, Director, Capital Improvements Management Services] | | | | | | |
| Result: | Passed | | | | | | |
| Voter | Group | Not Present | Yea | Nay | Abstain | Motion | Second |
| Julián Castro | Mayor | | x | | | | |
| Diego Bernal | District 1 | | x | | | | |
| Ivy R. Taylor | District 2 | | x | | | x | |
| Leticia Ozuna | District 3 | | x | | | | |
| Rey Saldaña | District 4 | | x | | | | |
| David Medina Jr. | District 5 | | x | | | | |
| Ray Lopez | District 6 | | x | | | | x |
| Cris Medina | District 7 | | x | | | | |
| W. Reed Williams | District 8 | | x | | | | |
| Elisa Chan | District 9 | | x | | | | |
| Carlton Soules | District 10 | | x | | | | |