

AN ORDINANCE **2010-02-18-0149**

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TXDOT), AND AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF REIMBURSEMENT FROM TXDOT FOR ELIGIBLE EXPENDITURES FOR FIVE INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS LOCATED IN COUNCIL DISTRICTS 6, 7, 9, AND 10.**

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**WHEREAS**, the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) was signed into law on August 10, 2005 with guaranteed funding totaling \$244.1 billion; and

**WHEREAS**, a FY 2005 Appropriations Request was submitted to fund the Citywide Intelligent Transportation System Operational Improvement Project through SAFETEA-LU, but did not receive complete funding; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2007, the City of San Antonio, the San Antonio-Bexar County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) fully funded the Citywide Intelligent Transportation System Operational Improvement Project by adding \$4,600,000.00 in Category 7 - Surface Transportation Program - Metropolitan Mobility (STP-MM) funds to the project; and

**WHEREAS**, the following five intersection improvement projects were selected to receive funding through the STP-MM:

1. **Babcock Road and Prue Road**– provides for the lengthening of the eastbound left-turn lane on Prue Road to provide needed storage for vehicles turning left at this intersection,
2. **Grissom Road and Old Grissom Road** –provides for the construction of an exclusive right-turn lane on Old Grissom Road and necessary signage and pavement markings,
3. **West Avenue and West Silver Sands** – provides for the implementation of a southbound right-turn lane on West Avenue and will include the installation of Vehicle Imaging Video Detection System, internally lighted street name signs and necessary signage, pavement markings and signal head modifications,
4. **O'Connor Road and Larkdale Drive** - provides for the implementation of a southbound left-turn lane on O'Conner Road and necessary signage and pavement markings,
5. **New Guilbeau Road and Old Tezel Road** - provides for the construction of a left-turn lane on southbound Old Tezel Road, the striping of a westbound left-turn lane on New Guilbeau Road to include traffic signal infrastructure improvements such as Vehicle Imaging Video Detection System, signal head modifications, and internally lighted street name signs; and

**WHEREAS**, the grant is administered by TxDOT and the City needs to enter into an Advanced Funding Agreement with TxDOT in order to access the STP-MM funds necessary to complete the five projects; and

**WHEREAS**, this Ordinance authorizes the execution of an Advance Funding Agreement with TxDOT which will provide an avenue for TxDOT to reimburse the City of San Antonio for eighty percent (80%) of eligible expenses from STP-MM funds; and

**WHEREAS**, approval of this Ordinance will be a continuation of City Council policy to collaborate with other governmental agencies in supporting the City's commitment to maintaining and improving existing infrastructure; **NOW THEREFORE**,

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

**SECTION 1.** The City Manager or her designee is hereby authorized to enter into an Advance Funding Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation which will allow five intersection improvement projects to qualify for eighty percent (80%) of eligible expenses from STP-MM funds.

**SECTION 2.** The following financial adjustments are hereby authorized:

- a) Funds are authorized to be received from TxDOT to SAP Fund 40099000, Other Capital Projects, SAP Project Definition 23-00990, ATD-Intersection Improvements, shall be revised by increasing WBS element 23-01196-90-08, entitled TxDOT Contributions, SAP GL Account 4502280 – Contribution from other Agencies, by the amount of \$952,000.00.
- b) The amount of \$250,000.00 is appropriated in SAP Fund 29084000, Advanced Transportation District, SAP Internal Order # 390000000756, SAP GL account 6102100 – Interfund Transfer out entitled From 29084000 TO 23-00990-90-01. The amount of \$250,000.00 is authorized to be transferred to SAP Fund 40099000.
- c) The budget in SAP Fund 40099000, Other Capital Projects, SAP Project Definition 23-00990, ATD-Intersection Improvements, shall be revised by increasing WBS element 23-01196-90-08, entitled Transfer from I/O# 390000000756, SAP GL Account 6101100 – Interfund Transfer In, by the amount \$250,000.00.
- d) The amount of \$1,202,000.00 is appropriated in SAP Fund 40099000, Other Capital Projects, SAP Project Definition 23-00990, ATD-Intersection Improvements, WBS Element 23-00990-05-02-01, entitled City Construction, SAP GL Account 5201140

**SECTION 3.** The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Chief Financial Officer may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager, or the City Manager's designee, correct allocation to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

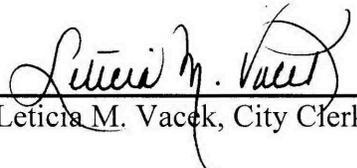
**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage by eight or more affirmative votes; otherwise, it shall be effective on the tenth day after passage.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 18th day of February, 2010.



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Julián Castro

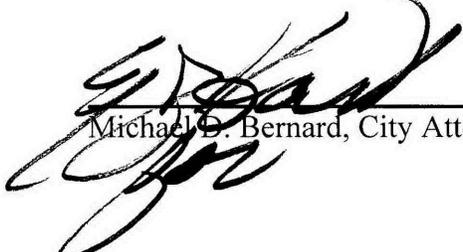
**ATTEST:**



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Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**



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Michael D. Bernard, City Attorney