

AN ORDINANCE 2011-12-08-1006

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF THREE PROJECTS FOR FUNDING CONSIDERATION THROUGH THE FY 2013-2016 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM BY THE BEXAR COUNTY – METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO).

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WHEREAS, the MPO has issued a "call for projects" to all local agencies requesting a list of projects for funding consideration through the FY 2013-2016 Transportation Improvement Program which is a process by which federal transportation funds are allocated for the completion of major road, street, highway and public transportation projects within the San Antonio-Bexar County Metropolitan Area; and

WHEREAS, the following projects are being recommended, in priority order, for consideration of funding through the FY 2013-2016 Transportation Improvement Program:

<u>Project</u>	<u>Estimated Costs</u>	<u>Description</u>
Callaghan (Evers to Clearview)	\$10,884,745.00	This project will widen the existing roadway to a four-lane roadway and will include left turn lanes and sidewalks. This project will improve pedestrian walk ability and reduce traffic congestion along this corridor.
Presa Ramps at Hwy 90	\$36,300,000.00	This project will add an entrance ramp on westbound US 90 and an exit ramp on eastbound US 90 at Presa Street that will result in improved connectivity to the area and is needed in order to address the lack of access points to Hwy. 90 from this area of town. Provides direct access between US 90 and Presa and promotes economic development.
UTSA (Babcock to Edward Ximenez)	\$12,833,739.00	This project that will widen the existing roadway on UTSA from a two-lane roadway to a four-lane roadway and include 14' medians, left turn lanes, sidewalks, bike lanes and drainage which is needed to address increasing traffic volume resulting from growth at UTSA. This project will tie in with the TXDOT's project on UTSA from Edward Ximenes to IH 10. This project will help reduce traffic congestion along this corridor and provide for other multi-modal (bike lane and sidewalk) facilities needed in this area.

TOTAL COST \$60,018,484.00; and

WHEREAS, approval of this Ordinance will demonstrate Council's support for Metropolitan Planning Organization Planning Organization funding of these projects; **NOW THEREFORE**,

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

SECTION 1. The submittal of the Callaghan, Presa Ramps at Hwy 90 and UTSA Projects for funding consideration through the FY 2013-2016 Transportation Improvement Program is hereby authorized.

SECTION 2. There is no current fiscal impact to the City of San Antonio.

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 8th day of December, 2011.

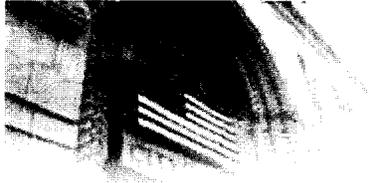

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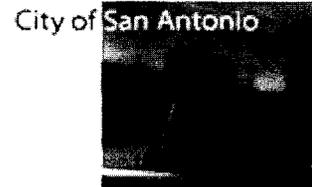

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Michael D. Bernal



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 ACTION



Agenda Voting Results - 6

Name:	6						
Date:	12/08/2011						
Time:	02:31:50 PM						
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve						
Description:	An Ordinance authorizing the submittal of three projects for funding consideration through the FY 2013-2016 Transportation Improvement Program by the Bexar County – Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO). [Ed Belmares, Assistant City Manager; Majed A. Al-Ghafry, Director, Public Works]						
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				
Jennifer V. Ramos	District 3		x			x	
Rey Saldaña	District 4		x				x
David Medina Jr.	District 5		x				
Ray Lopez	District 6		x				
Cris Medina	District 7		x				
W. Reed Williams	District 8		x				
Elisa Chan	District 9		x				
Carlton Soules	District 10		x				