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ABSTRACT

Resolution No. 3844

The Resolution authorizes the Executive Director or his designated representative to accept funds from the State of California for a Caltrans Environmental Justice Planning Grant, should the Safe Routes to Schools Community Walk Audit Program grant application be awarded a grant.

Further discussion of this action is contained in the MTC Executive Director's Memorandum dated January 2, 2008.

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RE: Acceptance of Funds from the State of California for Safe Routes to Schools Community Walk Audit Program

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
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WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) is the regional transportation planning agency for the San Francisco Bay Area pursuant to Government Code Section 66500 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the State of California, through the State Department of Transportation (Caltrans), administers an Environmental Justice grant program; and

WHEREAS, the Transportation and Land Use Coalition (TALC), a non-profit organization, is proposing funding a Safe Routes to Schools Program that will use a multi-pronged approach to increase the safety and number of children biking and walking to school; and

WHEREAS, MTC, TALC, and Caltrans are undertaking a cooperative effort to improve the walking and biking conditions for school children in low-income neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, authorization is now being requested by MTC staff to accept and administer State funds in the amount of \$77,095.90 for the TALC project should the grant be awarded by Caltrans; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that MTC Executive Director or his designee, is authorized to secure State funds for the project in the amount specified above or as awarded by Caltrans.

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Bill Dodd, Chair

The above resolution was entered into by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission at a regular meeting of the Commission held in Oakland, California, on January 23, 2008.