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RESOLUTION

by the Policy Board of the Roanoke Valley Transportation Planning Organization Approving the <u>Surface Transportation Block Grant Program: Roanoke Valley Urbanized Area</u> <u>Suballocation Funding Project Development and Selection Procedures</u>

WHEREAS, the Roanoke Valley Transportation Planning Organization (RVTPO) is a Transportation Management Area (TMA) as classified by the Federal Government; and

WHEREAS, the RVTPO Policy Board has the opportunity and responsibility to prioritize the Surface Transportation Block Grant – Urbanized Areas with Population over 200,000 (STBG) funds, formerly referred to as Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds, allocated by the federal government to the Roanoke region for eligible transportation projects within the Roanoke Valley Study Area Boundary; and

WHEREAS, the STBG Project Development and Selection Procedures document serves as a guide to applicants, staff, and stakeholders regarding opportunities to apply for funding, financial adjustments to previously approved projects, policies related to the allocation and use of funds, the scheduling of related activities, and the process for the Policy Board's selection of projects; and

WHEREAS, the RVTPO Policy Board members have reviewed the updated STBG Project Development and Selection Procedures and will use the Procedures to guide transportation investment decisions using STBG funds.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Roanoke Valley Transportation Planning Organization Policy Board does hereby approve the Surface Transportation Block Grant Program: Roanoke Valley Urbanized Area Suballocation Funding Project Development and Selection Procedures, as presented.

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Wayne G. Strickland Secretary to the Roanoke Valley Transportation Planning Organization

TPO POLICY BOARD: Cities of Roanoke and Salem; Counties of Bedford, Botetourt, Montgomery and Roanoke; Town of Vinton; Greater Roanoke Transit Company (*Valley Metro*); Roanoke-Blacksburg Regional Airport; Virginia Department of Rail & Public Transportation; Virginia Department of Transportation

Roanoke Valley Area Metropolitan Planning Organization