

BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING THE 2006-) RESOLUTION NO. 06-3712
09 METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION)
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (MTIP) TO ADD) Introduced by Councilor Rex Burkholder
THE 172ND AVENUE: FOSTER ROAD TO)
SUNNYSIDE ROAD PROJECT AND TRANSFER)
FUNDS FROM THE 172ND AVENUE:)
SUNNYSIDE ROAD TO HIGHWAY 212)
PROJECT)

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program (MTIP) prioritizes projects from the Regional Transportation Plan to receive transportation related funding; and

WHEREAS, the Joint Policy Advisory Committee on Transportation (JPACT) and the Metro Council must approve any subsequent amendments to add new projects to the MTIP; and

WHEREAS, the JPACT and the Metro Council approved the 2006-09 MTIP on August 18, 2005; and

WHEREAS, Clackamas County has requested the transfer of \$2,549,000 of transportation funding from the 172nd Avenue: Sunnyside Road to Highway 212 project to a new project to widen 172nd Avenue between Foster Road and Sunnyside Road; and

WHEREAS, this is a new transportation project requiring amendment into the Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program prior to these funds being made available to the project; and

WHEREAS, the project has been determined in conformity with the State Implementation Plan for air quality per federal regulations; and

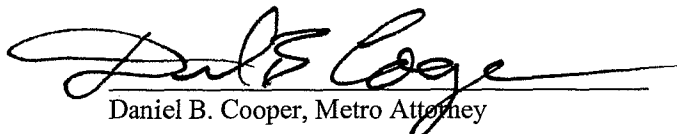
WHEREAS, these projects are consistent with the Regional Transportation Plan; now therefore

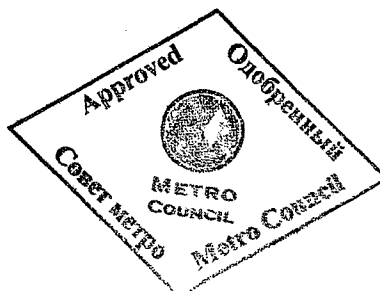
BE IT RESOLVED that the Metro Council hereby adopts the recommendation of JPACT to add the SE 172nd Avenue: Foster Road – Sunnyside Road project into the 2006-09 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program with \$2,549,000 of funding transferred from the 172nd Avenue: Sunnyside Road – Highway 212 project.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 16th day of November 2006.


David Bragdon, Council President

Approved as to Form:


Daniel B. Cooper, Metro Attorney



STAFF REPORT

IN CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 06-3712, FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING THE 2006-09 METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (MTIP) TO ADD THE 172ND AVENUE: FOSTER ROAD TO SUNNYSIDE ROAD PROJECT AND TRANSFER FUNDS FROM THE 172ND AVENUE: SUNNYSIDE ROAD TO HIGHWAY 212 PROJECT

Date: September 20, 2006

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BACKGROUND

Clackamas County has requested a transfer of funding authority from the SE 172nd Avenue: Sunnyside Road to Highway 212 project to the SE 172nd Avenue: Foster Road to Sunnyside Road project. The available fund authority is \$2,549,000 and is proposed to be used for environmental assessment and engineering work on the project.

The County has stated that it will use local funds to complete the existing project. This will allow the project to proceed more quickly, meeting their desired construction schedule to serve pending development in the project area.

The County has submitted the required project information to request transfer of funds to a new project. The new project would widen a two-lane rural road to a five-lane facility with urban infrastructure and design treatments. The facility will serve as the primary north/south arterial connecting the Pleasant Valley area with Sunnyside Road and the Clackamas Industrial area and regional center. It has been evaluated relative to other road capacity project in the Transportation Priorities process and ranks near the middle of the other road capacity projects in the quantitative evaluation. It also has qualitative attributes, including serving an urban growth boundary expansion area that has completed concept planning.

Air quality conformity analysis will be submitted to the air quality agencies and TPAC for consultation and forwarded to FHWA for approval.

This resolution would approve amending the 2006-09 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program to transfer programming of \$2,549,000 from the SE 172nd Avenue: Sunnyside Road to Highway 212 project to the SE 172nd Avenue: Foster Road to Sunnyside Road project.

ANALYSIS/INFORMATION

1. **Known Opposition** None known at this time.
2. **Legal Antecedents** Amends the 2006-09 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program adopted by Metro Council Resolution 05-3606 on August 18, 2005 (For the Purpose of Approving the 2006-09 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program for the Portland Metropolitan Area).
3. **Anticipated Effects** Adoption of this resolution will make available transportation funding to Clackamas County for the SE 172nd Avenue: Foster Road to Sunnyside Road project and remove availability of that funding for the SE 172nd Avenue: Sunnyside Road to Highway 212 project.
4. **Budget Impacts** None.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the adoption of Resolution No. 06-3712.