

Thursday, January 15, 2009

Public Works RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 30

Subject: Approve a resolution adopting a prioritized list of transportation projects to submit to the Capital Area Metropolitan Planning Organization ("CAMPO") Board to be included in a future regional request by the CAMPO Board for funding from a national stimulus plan.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

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The requested action would approve a resolution adopting a prioritized list of transportation projects, in accordance with a December 2008 request from the Capital Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (CAMPO), recognizing that a federal economic stimulus effort is being considered that includes the possibility of federal funding for local transportation improvement public works projects. The proposed resolution also directs the City Manager to submit the list to the CAMPO Board for inclusion in any future request for funding related to a national stimulus plan.

Projects were prioritized for the list by using objective criteria developed by staff of the Public Works Department and the Transportation Department.

CAMPO has asked that the prioritized list be submitted in time for consideration at a meeting to be held by the CAMPO Board on January 27, 2009.