

**BEFORE THE
FRESNO COUNTY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY
RESOLUTION No. 2021-02**

IN THE MATTER OF)
AMENDMENT NO. 6)
TO THE MEASURE C)
EXTENSION)
EXPENDITURE PLAN)
_____)

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE
AMENDMENT NO. 6 TO THE
MEASURE C EXTENSION
EXPENDITURE PLAN TO
ADD SR41 EXCELSIOR
SAFETY WIDENING
PROJECT TO THE
REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION
PROGRAM TIER 1 LIST OF
PROJECTS

WHEREAS, widening SR 41 through Fresno County from the City of Fresno to the Kings County line was a candidate for Measure C funding in the Original Measure C passed by the voters in 1986; and

WHEREAS, working with the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), the Fresno County Transportation Authority (FCTA) constructed 16 miles of 4-lane freeway and expressway along this corridor; and

WHEREAS, working with Caltrans, Kings County widened SR 41 on their end out to Lemoore Air Force Base; and

WHEREAS, a 6-mile gap of SR 41 remains un-widened along this corridor within Fresno County; and

WHEREAS, increasing vehicle traffic along this corridor has created unsafe driving conditions, resulting in increased serious accidents along the un-widened gap; and

WHEREAS, the California State Transportation Agency (CALSTA), the California Transportation Commission (CTC), Caltrans, FCTA, and the Fresno Council of Governments (FCOG) have entered into discussions to develop a funding plan for the SR 41 Excelsior safety widening project to address the unimproved gap; and

WHEREAS, any commitment by the state is predicated on a significant regional commitment; and

WHEREAS, any significant regional commitments of local funding must be included in the Measure C Regional Transportation Program Tier I list; and

WHEREAS, amending the Measure C Regional Transportation Program to include the SR 41 Excelsior project requires concurrence of the FCOG and FCTA boards; and

WHEREAS, the FCTA board has requested FCOG amend the Measure C Regional Transportation Program Rural Tier I list to include the SR 41 Excelsior safety widening project and forward to them for action.

Resolution 2021-02
Measure C Expenditure Plan Amendment No. 6

WHEREAS, on May 27th, 2021, the FCOG Policy Board approved Amendment No. 6 to the Expenditure Plan,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

The Fresno County Transportation Authority Board adopts Amendment No. 6 to the Measure C Regional Transportation Program, adding the SR 41 Excelsior safety widening project to the Rural Tier 1 list of eligible projects

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was passed and adopted by the Fresno County Transportation Authority Board this 9th day of June, 2021


AYES: (8) Mendes, Ashbeck, Brandau, Cardenas, Castro, Dyer, Sihota, Soria

NOES: (0)

ABSTAIN: ()

ABSENT: ()

VACANT: ()

SIGNED: 
Ernest "Buddy" Mendes, Chairman
Fresno County Transportation Authority

ATTEST:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution of the Fresno County Transportation Authority duly adopted at a regular meeting thereof held on June 9, 2021.

SIGNED: 
Mike Leonardo, Executive Director
Fresno County Transportation Authority