## RESOLUTION NO. OF THE TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR MONTEREY COUNTY (TAMC)

## **DETERMINING THAT THE**

## SEASIDE AND MARINA SAFE WALKING AND BIKING TO SCHOOL: COMPLETE STREETS PLAN

## IS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE 2018 MONTEREY COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN WHICH WAS ANALYZED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT CERTIFIED BY THE ASSOCIATION OF MONTEREY BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS AND CONSIDERED BY TAMC IN ADOPTING RESOLUTION NO. 2018-12, AND ADOPTING THE SEASIDE AND MARINA SAFE WALKING AND BIKING TO SCHOOL: COMPLETE STREETS PLAN

**WHEREAS**, the Transportation Agency for Monterey County is the state-designated Regional Transportation Planning Agency ("RTPA") for Monterey County; and

WHEREAS, on June 27, 2018, the Monterey County Regional Transportation Plan was approved by TAMC after review, consideration of, and adoption of findings for the program Environmental Impact Report ("EIR") (SCH# 2015121080) for the 2040 MTP/SCS, certified by the Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments ("AMBAG") on June 13, 2018, which EIR incorporates the Monterey County RTP, in compliance with CEQA; and

**WHEREAS**, TAMC acknowledged in Resolution No. 2018-12 that implementation of the RTP would result in significant environmental impacts, as identified in the Final EIR; and

**WHEREAS**, CEQA Findings were prepared in compliance with Public Resources Code §§21081 and CEQA Guidelines Section §15091 for every significant impact of the 2018 Monterey County RTP identified in the EIR and for each alternative evaluated in the EIR, including an explanation of the rationale for each finding; and

WHEREAS, a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program was prepared in compliance with Public Resources Code §21081.6 and CEQA Guidelines §15097 to ensure implementation of the mitigation measures identified in the Final EIR; and

**WHEREAS**, the Seaside and Marina Safe Walking and Biking to School: Complete Streets Plan is an example of the Safe Routes To School Program, which was specifically identified and analyzed in the EIR as part of the Project List (Appendix C) which was the subject of TAMC Resolution 2018-12, including the Plan's associated roadway widening projects; and

**WHEREAS**, the Seaside and Marina Safe Walking and Biking to School: Complete Streets Plan contains recommendations for both program/educational activities and infrastructure improvements, the implementation of which is dependent upon the identification of funding for individual projects; and

**WHEREAS**, the Seaside and Marina Safe Walking and Biking to School: Complete Streets Plan acknowledges that further environmental review will be needed by the appropriate jurisdictions at the project-level to develop appropriate mitigation for individual projects.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:** the Transportation Agency for Monterey County finds that the foregoing recitals are true and correct and incorporated by this reference; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** the Transportation Agency for Monterey County Board of Directors finds that the matters contained in the Seaside and Marina Safe Walking and Biking to School: Complete Streets Plan are within the scope of, and have already been analyzed in, the Final EIR for the 2040 MTP/SCS, certified by AMBAG and approved by TAMC on June 27, 2018; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** the Transportation Agency for Monterey County Board of Directors finds that, pursuant to CEQA Guidelines § 15162, no new effects could occur and no new mitigation measures would be required by reason of the adoption of the Seaside and Marina Safe Walking and Biking to School: Complete Streets Plan; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** no new environmental documentation is required for adoption of the Seaside and Marina Safe Walking and Biking to School: Complete Streets Plan.

**ACCORDINGLY,** the Seaside and Marina Safe Walking and Biking to School: Complete Streets Plan is hereby adopted.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Transportation Agency for Monterey County, State of California this 26 day of February 2020, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR MONTEREY COUNTY

ATTEST:

DEBRA L. HALE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR MONTEREY COUNTY