RESOLUTION NO. 2021-07 OF THE TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR MONTEREY COUNTY (TAMC)

AUTHORIZING FEDERAL FUNDING UNDER THE FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION SECTION 5311 (f) PROGRAM (49 U.S.C. SECTION 5311 (f)) WITH THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Transportation is authorized to make grants to states through the Federal Transit Administration to support capital and operating assistance projects for non-urbanized public transportation systems under Section 5311 (f) Intercity Bus Program of the Federal Transit Act; and

WHEREAS, the California Department of Transportation (Department) has been designated by the Governor of the State of California to administer Section 5311 (f) Intercity Bus Program grants for public transportation projects; and

WHEREAS, Monterey-Salinas Transit (MST) desires to apply for said financial assistance, including operating and capital funding support for service between southern Monterey County with the cities of King City and Paso Robles, and connections to the intercity bus network; and

WHEREAS, MST is the Consolidated Transportation Services Agency for Monterey County and has, to the maximum extend feasible, coordinated with other transportation providers and users in the region including social service agencies capable of purchasing service, and

WHEREAS, the Transportation Improvement Program includes continued funding for operation of MST Line 84 service to South Monterey County; and

WHEREAS, MST has committed to provide some combination of state, local, or private funding sources for the required local share.

- 1. The Transportation Agency for Monterey County does hereby authorize the programming of \$209,820 Federal Transit Administration Section 5311(f) Intercity Bus Program funds to Monterey-Salinas Transit for continued operating assistance funding for MST Line 84: Soledad Paso Robles.
- 2. That Debra L. Hale, Executive Director is authorized to execute and file Certifications and Assurances of the Regional Agency, and
- 3. That Debra L. Hale, Executive Director is authorized to provide additional information as the Department may require in connection with the Program of Projects for the Section 5311 (f) projects.

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

AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSENT:	
EDWIN D. SMITH, CHAIR	
TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR	R MONTEREY COUNTY
ATTEST:	
DEBRA L. HALE, EXECUTIVE DIRE	ECTOR
TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR	