

## RESOLUTION NO. 2021-09 OF THE TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR MONTEREY COUNTY (TAMC)

## ADOPTING THE TITLE VI PROGRAM AND LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE PLAN

**WHEREAS**, the Transportation Agency for Monterey County (TAMC) is the designated Regional Transportation Planning Agency for Monterey County; and

**WHEREAS**, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits recipients of Federal financial assistance from discriminating on the basis of race, color, or national origin in their programs or activities; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Executive Order 13166: Improving Access to Service for Persons with Limited English Proficiency (LEP), individuals who do not speak English well and who have a limited ability to read, write, speak, or understand English are entitled to language assistance under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; and

**WHEREAS,** as a recipient of Federal financial assistance, TAMC is required to adhere to all provisions established in Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act; and

**WHEREAS**, TAMC is committed to a policy of nondiscrimination in the conduct of its business, including its Title VI responsibilities, and to the delivery of equitable and accessible transportation programs, projects and services; and

**WHEREAS**, any person who believes that he or she has been subjected to discrimination under Title VI on the basis of race, color, or national origin may file a Title VI complaint with TAMC within 180 days from the date of the alleged discrimination; and

**WHEREAS**, TAMC is required to update the Title VI Program and Language Assistance Plan every three years.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The Transportation Agency for Monterey County does hereby adopt the attached Title VI Program and Language Assistance Plan; and
- 2. TAMC Executive Director is authorized to make administrative modifications to the Program and Plan, and to execute and file all certifications of assurances, contracts and/or agreements, and any other documents required by the Federal Transit Administration in the execution and implementation of the Title VI Compliance Report on behalf of the Transportation Agency for Monterey County.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Transportation Agency for Monterey County, State of California this 23rd day of June 2021, by the following vote:

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