

Authorization to Accept Federal ARPA Capital Investments Grant (CIG) Assistance from the Federal Transit Administration for the East-West Bus Rapid Transit Project WT0083, by recommending adoption of the following:

A REVISED RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the East-West Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) capital project is currently under construction; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Transit Administration has awarded \$2,093,669 in American Rescue Plan Act Capital Investment Grant funds to Milwaukee County, to assist with the local share of the purchase of Battery Electric Buses (BEBs); and

WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation (DOT) requests to increase expenditure authority within BRT **Other Capital Outlays** by \$2,093,669, and transfer \$2,093,669 in bond proceeds from BEB purchases to **Vel Phillips Plaza and Couture amenities**; and

WHEREAS, the overall local contribution for the BRT project remains unchanged from what is currently approved; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Transportation and Transit, at its meeting of March 7, 2023, laid over File No. 23-350 to the Call of the Chairperson (vote 4-0); and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Finance (Finance) at its meeting of March 16, 2023, laid over File No. 23-350 to the Call of the Chairperson (vote 7-0); and

WHEREAS, Finance, at its meeting of May 18, 2023, recommended adoption of File No. 23-350 (vote 7-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Department of Transportation is hereby authorized to:

- Accept \$2,093,669 in Federal American Rescue Plan Act Capital Investment Grant revenue toward the purchase of Battery Electric Buses (BEBs)
- Increase expenditure authority in the Bus Rapid Transit **Other Capital Outlays** account by \$2,093,669
- Transfer \$2,093,669 in bond proceeds from BEB purchases to **Vel Phillips Plaza and Couture amenities**

; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Department of Administrative Services, and the Office of the Comptroller are hereby authorized to execute an administrative fund transfer to implement the changes contained herein.

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