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**GENERAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE
CENTRAL TEXAS REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY**

RESOLUTION NO. 05-56

WHEREAS, the Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority ("CTRMA") was created pursuant to the request of Travis and Williamson Counties (the "Counties") and in accordance with provisions of the Transportation Code and the petition and approval process established in 463Tex. Admin. Code § 26.01, *et. seq.* (the "RMA Rules"); and

WHEREAS, the CTRMA is charged with funding and developing transportation improvements throughout the region to help solve the current mobility crisis and improve the quality of life for residents of Central Texas; and

WHEREAS, on June 6, 2005, the Capital Area Metropolitan Planning Organization ("CAMPO") Transportation Policy Board voted to approve the *Mobility 2030 Plan*; and

WHEREAS, the *Mobility 2030 Plan* includes five projects commonly known as the "Phase 2" toll roads, which the CTRMA will develop and implement in conjunction with the Texas Department of Transportation ("TxDOT"); and

WHEREAS, the CAMPO Transportation Policy Board passed an amendment to the *Mobility 2030 Plan* referencing a twelve-month re-review of the Phase 2 plan through a study initiated by the City of Austin and input offered by other groups; and

WHEREAS, the CTRMA has been asked to participate in the cost and work associated with the City of Austin study; and

WHEREAS, the CTRMA has considered combining certain work under the study with the traffic and revenue engineering studies the CTRMA plans to undertake regarding Phase 2 toll projects; and

WHEREAS, the CTRMA Board of Directors has considered financial participation in the City of Austin study and has directed its staff and advisors to further evaluate and prepare a recommendation regarding the CTRMA's financial participation in the City of Austin study; and

WHEREAS, CTRMA staff and advisors have recommended that CTRMA participate in the City of Austin study in an amount not to exceed \$_____.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the CTRMA Board of Directors authorizes financial participation in the City of Austin study in an amount not to exceed \$_____, subject to certain terms and conditions deemed adequate to ensure the objectivity and fairness of the study.

Adopted by the Board of Directors of the Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority on the 27th day of July, 2005.

Submitted and reviewed by:

Approved:

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Chairman, Board of Directors
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