

## RESOLUTION SUPPORTING TARGETS FOR FIVE SAFETY PERFORMANCE MEASURES ESTABLISHED BY CTDOT

**WHEREAS**, the Capitol Region Council of Governments (CRCOG) has been designated by the Governor of the State of Connecticut as the Metropolitan Planning Organization responsible, together with the State, for the comprehensive, continuing, and cooperative transportation planning process for the Capitol Region; and

WHEREAS, the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) final rule (23 CFR Part 490) requires States to set targets for five safety performance measures by August 31, 2019, and

**WHEREAS**, the Connecticut Department of Transportation (CTDOT) has established targets for five safety performance measures for:

- (1) Number of fatalities
- (2) Rate of fatalities per 100 million vehicle miles traveled (VMT)
- (3) Number of serious injuries
- (4) Rate of serious injuries per 100 million VMT
- (5) Number of non-motorized fatalities and non-motorized serious injuries, and

WHEREAS, the CTDOT coordinated the establishment of safety targets with the eight Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs) in Connecticut at the June 4, 2019 COG Coordination meeting, and

**WHEREAS**, the CRCOG may establish performance targets by agreeing to plan and program projects that contribute toward the accomplishment of the State's targets, or establish its own target within 180 days of the State establishing and reporting its performance targets, and

WHEREAS, the CRCOG wishes to maintain and enhance its focus on transportation safety in the region, and

WHEREAS, the CRCOG Transportation Committee has previously discussed and endorsed CTDOT's 2020 targets for the five safety performance targets,

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the CRCOG Policy Board has agreed to support CTDOT's 2020 targets for the five safety performance measures.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the CRCOG Policy Board will plan and program projects that contribute to the accomplishment of said targets.

CERTIFICATE: The undersigned duly qualified CRCOG Board Member certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the voting members of the CRCOG Policy Board on December 18, 2019.

Lori L. Spielman, Secretary Capitol Region Council of Governments

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Date