Resolution R40-03 ADOPTED September 10, 2003

METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS 777 North Capitol Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20002

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE POTOMAC REGIONAL EDUCATION PARTNERSHIP SEEKING GRANT FROM HARRY AND JEANETTE WEINBERG FOUNDATION (BALTIMORE)

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) has continuing interest in supporting regional collaborations for educational reform and economic development; and

WHEREAS, the Potomac Regional Education Partnership (PREP) is working with the region's school districts, Local Education Administrations (LEAs), and colleges, Institution of Higher Education (IHEs), to support that mission; and

WHEREAS, PREP's regional collaborative activities include training teachers in the use of technology, recruiting new teachers and school to career programs for students; and

WHEREAS, the Harry and Jeanette Weinberg foundation invited PREP to submit a grant application;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS THAT:

The Executive Director or his designee is authorized to accept a grant for \$120,000 (\$40,000 per year for three years) for PREP from the Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation for operating funds for public schools/community technology center partnerships. The grant will be for a period of up to three years and will require no local funds.
