

**METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
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APPROVAL OF CONTRACT FOR STORAGE AREA NETWORK REPLACEMENT

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) requires data storage for servers in its data center; and

WHEREAS, COG's current Storage Area Network (SAN) is approaching the end of its useful life and warranty; and

WHEREAS, COG requires a reliable SAN to support COG's daily operations; and

WHEREAS, COG issued a request for proposals and followed a competitive procurement process; and

WHEREAS, COG appropriately budgeted for a replacement SAN in its FY 2009 Work Program and Budget and indirect cost allocation plan.

**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 enter into a contract not to exceed \$175,000 with Accelera Solutions for the installation and configuration of a new SAN.

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Nicole Hange, Board Clerk