## METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS 777 North Capitol Street NE Washington, D.C. 20002-4290

## RESOLUTION ADOPTING BYLAWS FOR HUMAN SERVICES AND PUBLIC SAFETY POLICY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, on November 12, 2008, the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) adopted Resolution 63-08 authorizing and directing the merger of two of its policy committees, the Human Services Policy Committee and the Public Safety Policy Committee, into a Human Services and Public Safety Policy Committee (HSPSPC); and

**WHEREAS**, Resolution 63-08 called for proposed Bylaws for the HSPSPC, including Purpose and Mission, to be prepared and presented to the Board for consideration; and

WHEREAS, the Human Services areas of responsibility shall include, but may not be limited to: aging; education; family issues (including child care and foster care); affordable housing; human relations; substance abuse; and health issues, other than those relating to the epidemiology, prevention, or treatment of pandemics, regional epidemics, or bioterrorism; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Safety areas of responsibility shall include, but may not be limited to: criminal justice, corrections, emergency medical services, fire safety, hazardous materials control, and law enforcement.

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

The Bylaws for the Human Services and Public Safety Policy Committee of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments are approved as proposed.

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Nicole Hange, Board Clerk