METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS 777 NORTH CAPITOL STREET, NE WASHINGTON, DC 20002-4239

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING COG TO PROCURE AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT TO DEVELOP AND CONDUCT AN EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COUNCIL SENIOR LEADER SEMINAR FOR 2015

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) serves as the Secretariat for the Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) for the National Capital Region; and

WHEREAS, the NCR Emergency Preparedness Council Annual Work Focus includes a request for the Emergency Manager's Committee and the Exercise Training Operations Panel (ETOP) to work with COG to procure a contractor to develop and conduct an Emergency Preparedness Council Senior Leader Seminar to improve emergency preparedness in the National Capital Region; and

WHEREAS, the Exercise and Training Operations Panel has developed a Project Management Plan and requested COG obtain the services of a consulting firm to support a Project Management Team in the development and conduct the Emergency Preparedness Council Senior Leader Seminar for 2015; and

WHEREAS, funding for the procurement and contract has been provided to COG by State Administrative Agent (SAA) for the National Capital Region.

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 receive and expend up to \$100,000 for a contract to develop and conduct an Emergency Preparedness Council Senior Leader Seminar in 2015.

Funding for this effort will be provided through a subgrant from the SAA for the National Capital Region. No COG matching funds are required.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT the foregoing resolution was approved and adopted by the COG Board of Directors at its regular meeting held on November 12, 2014.

Monica Beyrouti Clerk to the Board of Directors