## METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS 777 North Capitol Street, NE Washington, DC 20002-4239

## RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO ISSUE A CONTRACT TO DEVELOP THE PANDEMIC INFLUENZA CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS PLAN FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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

**WHEREAS**, COG has been requested by the District of Columbia Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency (HSEMA) to issue a contract to develop the pandemic influenza concept of operations plan for the District of Columbia; and

WHEREAS, the contractor will support the District of Columbia HSEMA by reviewing documents, compiling information, and developing a inter-agency pandemic influenza concept of operations that will ensure a concerted, unified response to a pandemic influenza threat; and

**WHEREAS**, funding for the contract will be provided to COG by the State Administrative Agent 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 execute a contract to develop an inter-agency pandemic influenza concept of operations for the District of Columbia. The State Administrative Agent for the National Capital Region will provide COG with \$102,334 in State Homeland Security Program funding. No COG funds will be required.

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