

ADOPTION OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

May 2023

A. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING COG TO PROCURE AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT TO CONTINUE A REGIONAL COMMUNICATIONS RESILIENCY STUDY

The board will be asked to adopt Resolution R17-2023 authorizing the Executive Director, or his designee, to receive and expend \$190,883 for a continuation of a study to characterize, assess the risk to, and identify gaps for addressing disruptions to the regional communications sector. As the Secretariat for the Urban Area Security Initiative for the National Capital Region, COG has been requested by the District of Columbia Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency to procure a contractor(s) and enter into a contract to continue previous work designed to provide a base knowledge about the nature and extent of communications infrastructure in the NCR, the relative risk to that infrastructure, and needs for strengthening regional capability to plan for and respond to communications disruptions. Funding for this effort will be provided through a subgrant from the State Administrative Agent (SAA) for the National Capital Region. No COG matching funds are required.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt Resolution R17-2023.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT this resolution was approved by the COG Board of Directors on May 10, 2023.

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