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<b>Committee:</b> Transit Commission	<b>Date:</b> 5/19/2016
<b>Common Council Item Number:</b> 16-0809	<b>Date:</b> 6/7/2016
<b>Submitted By:</b> Fred Abadi- Public Works	<b>City Administrator Approval:</b> Kevin Lahner, City Administrator KL
<b>Finance Department Review:</b> Rich Abbott, Finance Director RA	<b>City Attorney's Office Review:</b> Brian Running, City Attorney BER
<b>Subject:</b> Approval of Resolution Authorizing the Filing of the 2016 Surface Transportation Program Grant	

**Details:**  
This item is to approve the resolution that would authorize the Transit Manager to file the Transit Commission's Federal 2016 Surface Transportation Program (STP) Grant with the Federal Transit Administration. This grant will be used to purchase a replacement bus with delivery in 2017 and provide partial funding for another bus in a future year. A total of \$392,000 of federal STP funds was awarded to the City through a competitive process and provides 80% funding for a replacement bus.

**Options & Alternatives:**  
There are no viable alternatives. The federal funds are critical for capital projects as it provides 80% funding for the vehicles.

**Financial Remarks:**  
As stated above, the City will receive \$392,000 of federal funds to be used for bus purchases including one full bus which will be ordered in 2016 with delivery in 2017. (The bus purchase was authorized in the 2015 CIP). The federal funds cover 80% of the cost of the new vehicle. The balance of federal funds will be used for a future year bus purchase.

**Executive Recommendation:**  
Recommend approval.

