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Finance Department Review: Rich Abbott, Finance Director RA	City Attorney's Office Review: Brian Running, City Attorney Click here to enter text.
Subject: Approval of Resolution Authorizing the Filing of a 2017 Federal Bus and Bus Facilities Grant	

Details:

This item is to approve the resolution that would authorize the Transit Manager to file the Transit Commission's Federal 2017 Bus and Bus Facilities Grant (5339) with the Federal Transit Administration. This grant will be used to fund the federal share (80%) of security upgrades at the Transit Center and the Transit Administration and Maintenance facility. The security upgrades to the Transit Center are to implement recommendations in Threat Assessment conducted by the Police Department and replace original security equipment that was installed at the Transit Center when it opened in 2004. The upgrades to the Administration and Maintenance facility will include installation of security cameras and other security improvements. The total cost for these upgrades is \$100,000 with \$80,000 coming from 5339 federal funds and remaining \$20,000 in matching City funds which was part of the Transit Commission 2017 operating budget.

Options & Alternatives:

There are no viable alternatives. The 80% federal funds are critical for these security upgrades.

Financial Remarks:

A total of \$80,000 of federal funds will be available for the projects from this grant and will require \$20,000.00 of matching City funds which was part of the Transit Commission 2017 operating budget. This will give the Transit Commission a total of \$100,000 for these projects.

Executive Recommendation:

Recommend approval.

