



## Staff Report

**TO:** City Council  
**FROM:** Robert Vestal, Public Works Director  
**DATE:** March 4, 2025  
**SUBJECT:** Cooperative Agreement for Potrero Interchange

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**Description** Cooperative Agreement between Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC), City of Beaumont, and Western Riverside Council of Governments (WRCOG) for the Construction of the Potrero Blvd Interchange Phase II (Project).

### **Background and Analysis:**

On March 5, 2024, City Council approved a Cooperative Agreement with RCTC and the City that authorized RCTC to act as the lead agency.

On tonight's agenda, City Council received an agenda item to increase Pass Zone TIP TUMF funding for the Project for a total construction amount of \$13,500,000.

The purpose of this Agreement is to identify the Project and to set forth the terms and conditions pursuant to which WRCOG will release TUMF Zone Program Funds for the Project and to outline the administration roles and responsibilities for each of the Parties.

The Agreement will allow WRCOG to distribute the funds directly to RCTC for reimbursement of construction expenses associated with the Project. RCTC will be responsible for paying the initial cost and submitting invoices to WRCOG for eligible construction costs.

### **Fiscal Impact:**

The cost to prepare this staff report is estimated to be \$350.

There is no impact to general funds associated with this agreement. The allocated Pass Zone TIP TUMF funds will still be used to construct the Project on behalf of the City of Beaumont.

**Recommended Action:**

Approve a Cooperative Agreement between Riverside County Transportation Commission, Western Riverside Council of Governments, and the City of Beaumont for Potrero Blvd Interchange Project and authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement on behalf of the City.

**Attachments:**

- A. Cooperative Agreement