## MESILLA VALLEY METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION RESOLUTION NO. 19-10

## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MPO CHAIR TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH ROADRUNNER TRANSIT

The Mesilla Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Policy Committee is informed that:

WHEREAS, the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) promulgated regulations 23 CFR 450.314; and

WHEREAS, federal requirements stipulate that the MPO and RoadRUNNER

Transit/City of Las Cruces shall cooperatively determine their mutual responsibilities
in carrying out the metropolitan transportation planning process; and

WHEREAS, these responsibilities shall be clearly identified in written agreements between the MPO and RoadRUNNER Transit/City of Las Cruces, serving as the transit provider for a part of the MVMPO Metropolitan Planning area; and

WHEREAS, the federal regulations require the written agreement to include specific provisions for cooperatively developing and sharing information related to the development of financial plans that support the metropolitan transportation plan, the metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), and the development of the Annual Listing of Obligated Projects; and

WHEREAS, the federal regulations require that the MPO and RoadRUNNER/City of Las Cruces shall jointly agree upon and develop specific

written procedures for cooperatively developing and sharing information related to transportation performance data, the selection of performance targets, the reporting of performance to be used in tracking progress toward the attainment of critical outcomes for the region and the MPO, and the collection of data for the State Asset Management Plan for the National Highway System (NHS); and

WHEREAS, the Policy Committee has determined that it is in the best interest of the MPO for the Resolution Authorizing the MPO Chair to Sign a Memorandum of Understanding with RoadRUNNER Transit to be APPROVED.

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, be it resolved by the Policy Committee of the Mesilla Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization:

(I)

**THAT** the Memorandum of Understanding between the Mesilla Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization and RoadRUNNER Transit, A Section of the City of Las Cruces, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made part of this resolution, be APPROVED.

**(II)** 

**THAT** staff is directed to take appropriate and legal actions to implement this Resolution.

**DONE** and **APPROVED** this 11th day of December , 2019.

APPROVED:

Chair

Motion By:	Commissioner Gonzalez
Second By:	Commissioner Sanchez
VOTE:	
Chair Solis	Abs
Vice-Chair Johnson-Burick	Yes
Mayor Barraza	Abs
District Engineer Doolittle	Yes
Councilor Eakman	Yes
Trustee Garcia	Yes
Commissioner Gonzalez	Yes
Commissioner Sanchez	Yes
Councilor Sorg	Yes
Councilor Vasquez	Abs

ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Under Wray	
Recording Secretary	City Attorney