

## **BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST**

- 1. Title:** Approves a Grant Acceptance in the amount of \$1,155,872 and the Cooperative Agreement and Provisions between the City and County of Denver and the United States Department of Transportation-Federal Transit Administration National Infrastructure Investments Discretionary Grant Program (TIGERII Planning) for the City of Denver Community Challenge Planning Grant Program – “Denver TOD Strategic Implementation Program”.
- 2. Requesting Agency:** Community Planning\Development
- 3. Contact Person *with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance***  
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- 4. Contact Person *with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance who will present the item at Mayor Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary***  
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- 5. Describe the proposed ordinance, including what the proposed ordinance is intended to accomplish, who’s involved**
  - a. Scope of Work**

Community Planning and Development applied for and was awarded \$1,155,872 from USDOT-FTA as part of the competitive Tiger II Planning Grant Program. This funding will allow Denver to leverage partnerships and opportunities along the west light rail corridor to transform Denver’s west side into livable, transit-oriented neighborhoods. Best practices learned from this can then be applied to other corridors in Denver, in the region and nationwide.
  - b. Duration**

Per DOT-FTA, 36 months from effective date of award
  - c. Location**

CCD – West Side Corridor and Citywide strategic TOD planning
  - d. Affected Council District**

D1, D3, D7, D9
  - e. Benefits**

The Denver TOD Strategic Implementation Program will expand permanent affordable housing, improve access to jobs and create better multi-modal connectivity along Denver’s transit corridors.
  - f. Costs**

**\$2,675,573.24 (Federal/Decatur Station Area Bond Project - \$2,000,000; cash match from partners; contributions from partners, CPD toward consultant work)**

**6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain.**

No.

**Bill Request Number: BR11-0080**

**Date: 1/28/2011**