

RESOLUTION NO. 3137

**RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT APPLICATIONS FOR METROPOLITAN
WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS REGIONAL ROADWAY SAFETY
PROGRAM FOR FY 2024**

WHEREAS, the Regional Roadway Safety Program (RRSP) is administered by the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWCOG); and

WHEREAS, RRSP is intended to fund short-term consultant services to member jurisdictions or agencies to assist with planning or preliminary engineering projects that address roadway safety issues; and

WHEREAS, RRSP provides up to \$80,000 in consultant assistance for planning and design projects that lead to a reduction in traffic fatalities and severe injuries; and

WHEREAS, the Alexandria City Council adopted the Vision Zero Policy and Action Plan in 2017, which include a goal to eliminate fatal and severe injury crashes by 2028; and

WHEREAS, approximately one quarter of fatal and severe crashes in Alexandria are pedestrian crashes, and approximately one quarter of pedestrian crashes that occur at night result in fatal or severe injury; and

WHEREAS, the Alexandria City Council desires to submit an application to the RRSP for up to \$80,000 for Fiscal Year 2024 for a Pedestrian Lighting Improvements Study; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Alexandria hereby supports the application for up to \$80,000 from RRSP from MWCOG for Fiscal Year 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Alexandria City Council hereby grants authority to the City Manager to apply for these grant funds and enter into any necessary agreements with MWCOG to accept this grant.

Adopted: February 14, 2023



JUSTIN M. WILSON **MAYOR**

ATTEST:



Gloria A. Sitton, CMC **City Clerk**