Transportation Committee

Meeting date: November 23, 2009

Metropolitan Council Meeting: December 9, 2009

ADVISORY INFORMATION

Date: November 3, 2009

Subject: Maple Grove Opt-Out Service Agreement

District(s), Member(s): 1, Roger Scherer

Policy/Legal Reference: Income/Grants Policy 3-2-2

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Division/Department: Metro Transit/Finance

Proposed Action

That the Council authorize the Regional Administrator to execute a three-year service agreement with the City of Maple Grove for the service period January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2012.

Background

- Council Policy 3-2-2 requires Council approval of income agreements exceeding \$500,000.
- The Maple Grove service agreement covers three years for an estimated gross revenue per year of \$2,758,000 for 2010, \$2,813,000 for 2011 and \$2,869,000 for 2012 for a total estimated gross revenue of \$8,440,000.

Rationale

The city of Maple Grove has contracted service with Metro Transit since January 1990. This three-year agreement with the City of Maple Grove is for the service period of January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2012. The agreement is to operate service on routes 780, 781, 782, 783, 784 and 789. The agreement includes contracted rates for 40-foot, articulated and coach buses.

Funding

Operating funding of this service agreement will be included in each calendar year through Maple Grove's share of the State Transit Fund provided from Motor Vehicle Sales Taxes (MVST) as established by the Legislature.

Known Support / Opposition

No known opposition.