

T Transportation Committee

Executive Summary

Item: 2007-247

CONSENT

Meeting date: August 8, 2007

ADVISORY INFORMATION

Date:	July 24, 2007
Subject:	Interagency Agreement with MnDOT for Corridor Transitway Modeling
District(s), Member(s):	All
Policy/Legal Reference:	2030 Transportation Policy Plan
Staff Prepared/Presented:	Arlene McCarthy, Director MTS 651-602-1754 Amy Vennewitz, Dep. Dir. Finance and Planning, MTS 651-602-1058 Carol Becker, Planning Analyst MTS 651-602-1756
Division/Department:	Metropolitan Transportation Services

Proposed Action/Motion:

That the Regional Administrator be authorized to execute an interagency agreement with MnDOT for a \$25,000 contribution to the modeling for the 2030 Transit Master Plan.

Overview and Funding

The 2030 Transit Master Plan will be examining approximately 25 corridors for their potential for light rail, commuter rail, and dedicated transitways. Part of this effort will require travel forecast modeling to estimate potential ridership for these corridors. Some of the commuter rail corridors extend outside the seven county planning area of the Metropolitan Council. Because of this, MnDOT has agreed to partner with the Council in the travel forecast modeling and contribute \$25,000 towards this effort. This action provides the Regional Administrator authority to execute an interagency agreement to receive this \$25,000.

Issue(s)

- None