

Amendment 2 Version 1 to RES 32137 – LEG 2024 Transportation Levy RES

Sponsor: Councilmember Kettle

New Emergency Response Recital

Effect: This amendment would add a new recital related to ensuring that first responders can respond to emergencies as the City seeks to address the needs of Seattle’s transportation system.

Add a new recital, as follows:

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WHEREAS, the 2015 Levy to Move Seattle revenue accounts for over 30 percent of the Seattle Department of Transportation’s dedicated transportation revenue and serves as a critical resource for maintaining bridges, repairing roads, and filling potholes; and

WHEREAS, the City has urgent maintenance and modernization needs to make bridges and streets safer; improve maintenance of streets and sidewalks; ensure that first responders can aid residents experiencing medical, fire, and other emergencies; and accommodate safer travel across all modes; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to provide further direction regarding reporting and implementation of the programs to be funded by the 2024 Transportation Levy; NOW, THEREFORE,