

**A MODEL RESOLUTION
PROMOTING AND ENHANCING JOINT CAPITAL PLANNING
AND JOINT USE POLICY AND PROCESS**

WHEREAS, the cumulative projected capital needs for the community currently stand at \$(billion) through the year 2020; and

WHEREAS, the elected body/bodies provide funding through a combination of general obligation bonds and operating capital budgets to address these capital needs; and

WHEREAS, each public agency independently identifies its future capital needs; and

WHEREAS, each agency develops and updates its long-range facility master plan upon which capital needs are based; and

WHEREAS, there is a call for strengthening the focus on identifying joint use and collaboration opportunities among public agencies participating in capital facilities planning and programming; and

WHEREAS, governing bodies face mounting obstacles associated with meeting the capital needs of our community and the need to identify creative solutions; and

WHEREAS, joint development and occupancy of public capital investments is one means of reducing both capital and operating costs while improving the quality of the product and the service it provides to the community; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED that participating public bodies designate staff representatives from each agency with capital needs to work collaboratively on a goal to develop a strong program of joint facilities planning and facilities development, and joint use, including seeking means of overcoming obstacles associated with meeting this goal; and be it further

RESOLVED that (designate department or agency) be designated as the convener of this "joint use task force", and be it further

RESOLVED that a comprehensive and strategic area-wide facilities planning process be employed, and be it further

RESOLVED that these public bodies provide sufficient resources to staff representatives in meeting the joint use goal.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2011.