

AN ACT

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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To amend, on a temporary basis, the Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002 to authorize the Director of the District Department of Transportation to issue grants to achieve transportation goals, including safety objectives, and to enter into agreements to support community-based transportation enhancement activities to include as a duty of the District Department of Transportation the management and construction of streetscape projects, to authorize the District Department of Transportation to review and revise the location of bus shelter locations, and to authorize the District Department of Transportation to develop and update the District of Columbia's various transportation improvement plans.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Department of Transportation Establishment Temporary Amendment Act of 2008".

Sec. 2. The Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002, effective May 21, 2002 (D.C. Law 14-137; D.C. Official Code § 50-921.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3 (D.C. Official Code § 50-921.02) is amended by adding new subsections (c) and (d) to read as follows:

Note,  
§ 50-921.02

"(c) The Director is authorized to issue grants to achieve the District's transportation goals, including safety objectives.

"(d)(1) The Director may enter into agreements with community-based organizations to support community-based transportation enhancement activities that are funded and approved by the Federal Highway Administration.

"(2) An agreement made pursuant to this subsection shall constitute an agreement making or receiving grants-in-aid and shall be exempt from the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Act of 1985, effective February 21, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-85; D.C. Official Code § 2-301.01 *et seq.*) ("PPA"), in accordance with section 104(b) of the PPA."

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(b) Section 5 (D.C. Official Code § 50-921.04) is amended as follows:

**Note,  
§ 50-921.04**

(1) Paragraph (1)(B) is amended to read as follows:

“(B) Manage and construct capital projects related to the design and installation of streets, alleys, curbs, gutters, bicycle lanes, sidewalks, streetscapes, and medians;”.

(2) Paragraph (2) is amended as follows:

(A) Subparagraph (D) is amended by striking the phrase “historic district”.

(B) Subparagraph (J) is amended by adding the phrase “review and revise the location of bus shelter locations,” after the phrase “review and revise bus routes,”.

(C) Subparagraph (K) is amended by striking the phrase “travel; and” and inserting the phrase “travel;” in its place.

(D) Subparagraph (L) is amended by striking the phrase “title III” and inserting the phrase “title III; and” in its place.

(E) A new subparagraph (M) is added to read as follows:

“(M) Develop and update the District’s various transportation improvement plans consistent with federal and local requirements.”.

**Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.**

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

**Sec. 4. Effective date.**

(a) This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved

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December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.

(b) This act shall expire after 225 days of its having taken effect.

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Chairman  
Council of the District of Columbia

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Mayor  
District of Columbia