

RESOLUTION 2023-05

**Adoption of Targets for Safety Targets
Established by the Texas Department of Transportation**

WHEREAS, Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act and the subsequent Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), signed into law November 15, 2021, require the implementation of Performance Measures to assist in the transportation planning process; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) has adopted its Strategic Highway Safety Plan, a data-driven statewide-coordinated safety plan to help reduce fatalities and serious injuries on all public roads; and

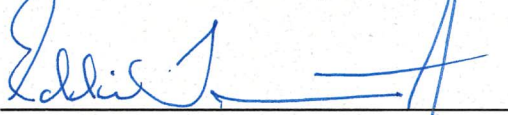
WHEREAS, the State of Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) has established target for 5 Safety Performance measures based on five-year rolling averages for:

1. Number of Fatalities
2. Rate of Fatalities per 100 million Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT),
3. Number of Serious Injuries,
4. Rate of Serious Injuries per 100 million VMT, and
5. Number of Non-Motorized Fatalities and Serious Injuries, and

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) has officially established safety targets in the Highway Safety Improvement Program annual report and has adopted identical safety target for number of fatalities, rate of fatalities, and number of serious injuries as set forth in the Strategic Highway Safety Plan, and as shown in APPENDIX A, Attached hereto.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Policy Board of the Rio Grande Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization has chosen to support all the State's safety performance targets for 2019 through 2023 and agrees to plan and program projects in support of these targets.,

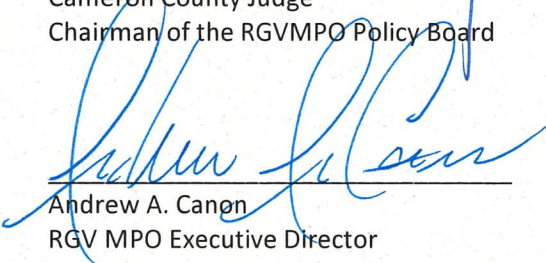
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