

MEMO

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Maria D'Andrea, Director of Public Works

Subject: Consideration of Amendment to an Intergovernmental Agreement with CDOT for the RTD Station Improvements Project, Project No. 2014-06-PW

Date: January 22, 2018

CDOT has requested an amendment to the existing intergovernmental agreement (IGA) with the City. In December 2014 the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approved new regulations for the administration of federally funded projects, 2 CFR 200, known as the Uniform Guidance. This new regulation consolidated several prior OMB guidances that were established under various Circulars and established new requirements such as a requirement that all projects establish specific periods of performance. The new regulations applied to all grants awarded after December 2014.

Commerce City and CDOT executed an IGA in the Spring of 2016, after the Uniform Guidance had gone into effect. At that time, CDOT had not developed IGA language that incorporated the new requirements under the Uniform Guidance. Since then the State Controller and the Attorney General have developed a standard amendment to the IGA language to incorporate the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. CDOT has requested that the City execute the amendment before construction funds are authorized for this project. The amendment does not change the funding amount of the matching ratios.

Recommended Action:

Approve Resolution No. 2018-07 approving an amendment to the existing IGA with CDOT.

