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Legislation Text

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Fiscal Note

Metro Fare Revenues: Decrease\$682,000Metro Reserves Generated\$(235,329)Metro Fare Revenues: (Increase)\$(40,000)Metro Transit Point Security\$(25,000)Fund Balance Applied (Increase)\$(100,000)Misc. Approp.: Transit for Jobs\$(40,000)

Total \$241,671 \$(40,000) Levy Impact: \$241,671 \$(40,000)

Title

AMENDED OPERATING BUDGET AMENDMENT # 30 - Metro Transit; Funding Sources / Fund Balance Applied; Miscellaneous Appropriations / Other Direct Appropriations / Transit for Jobs, p. 118, 12, 10 **Body**

Eliminate revenues derived from fare increases (\$682,000). Eliminate funding for Reserves (\$235,329). Eliminate funding for Clean Air Action Days (this will increase fare revenues by \$40,000) and appropriate the \$40,000 to Metro Reserves. Reallocate \$100,000 of the Fleet Services fuel savings from Fund Balance Applied (as approved by a BOE amendment) toward support of Metro. Reduce funding for Transit Point Security by \$25,000. Reduce funding for the Transit for Jobs program by \$40,000 and move the program to the budget of the Office of Community Services. Add a budget highlight to require that Metro Transit create a report on the impacts of fare increases on:

- 1) the long-term health of Metro:
- 2) business growth in Madison; and
- 3) low-income ridership.

Metro should also develop a series of recommendations to provide fare relief to low income riders in order to prepare for future fare increase recommendations should economic and budget conditions warrant.