

## MURIEL BOWSER MAYOR

June 17, 2021

The Honorable Phil Mendelson Chairman Council of the District of Columbia 1350 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Suite 402 Washington, D.C. 20004

## Dear Chairman Mendelson:

Enclosed for consideration and approval by the Council of the District of Columbia is the "Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority Fiscal Year 2022 through Fiscal Year 2027 Local Capital Funding Agreement Emergency Act of 2021" ("Contract"). The emergency bill will authorize the Mayor to amend an existing local capital funding agreement with Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority ("WMATA") to use \$631,346,120 in additional funds paid by the District to finance WMATA's Fiscal Years 2022 to 2027 Annual Work Plans.

Council action is necessary to approve the Contract, which totals an amount of \$631,346,120 for the period from July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2027.

The agency Chief Financial Officer has certified that funding is available for FY 2022 to FY 2027.

As always, I am available to discuss any questions you may have regarding this Contract. In order to facilitate a response to any questions, please have your staff contact District Department of Transportation Acting Director Everett Lott at (202) 671-2317.

I urge you to take prompt and favorable action regarding the enclosed legislation.

Sincerely,

Muriel Bowser

Enclosures MEB/el