



# Orange County Transportation Authority

## Legislation Text

---

File #: 19-1524, Version: 1

---

### **Approval of the 2018 Measure M2 Plan of Finance, Issuance of Measure M2 Bonds, Selection of Underwriting Team, and Bond Counsel Services Amendment**

Staff has completed an update to the Measure M2 Plan of Finance that identifies the program requirements over the next few years for the Measure M2 Program. The updated Measure M2 Plan of Finance highlights the need for the issuance of Measure M2 bonds to fund future expenditures. If a financing is approved, the selection of an underwriting team is recommended, along with additional funds required for bond counsel services.

- A. Authorize the selection of Bank of America Merrill Lynch; Barclays Capital, Inc.; Citigroup Global Markets, Inc.; Goldman Sachs & Co.; J.P. Morgan Securities LLC; and Stifel, Nicolaus & Company, Inc., from the Orange County Transportation Authority's underwriting pool, to assist with the next Measure M2 bond offering.
- B. Authorize the selection of Bank of America Merrill Lynch and Citigroup Global Markets, Inc., from the Orange County Transportation Authority's underwriting pool, to serve as the senior underwriting manager and co-senior underwriting manager, respectively, for the next Measure M2 bond transaction.
- C. Authorize the Chief Executive Officer to execute Amendment No. 5 to Agreement No. C-5-3099 between the Orange County Transportation Authority and Nossaman LLP, in the amount of \$200,000, to provide bond counsel services for the Orange County Transportation Authority Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2019 transaction. The total contract amount will be \$527,250.
- D. Adopt the 2018 Measure M2 Plan of Finance, which identifies the Measure M2 project requirements over the next several years.
- E. Direct staff to pursue financing opportunities through the Transportation Infrastructure Innovation Act for Measure M2 projects.