

RESOLUTION NO. R-2024-1

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION GRANT FUNDS FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE FOR TYLER TRANSIT; AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA) GRANT TX-5339 FOR VEHICLE PURCHASES TOTALING \$201,174 ALONG WITH ANY GRANT AMENDMENTS TO INCREASE THE GRANT FUNDING LEVELS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on May 5, 2021, the City of Tyler was notified by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) to make an application requesting \$201,174 for public transportation assistance for vehicle purchases for Tyler Transit; and

WHEREAS, the FTA has stated that a grant offer totaling \$201,174 should be made; and

WHEREAS, the City Council must authorize submission of the application for FTA funds, as well as acceptance of FTA Grant TX-5339 and any grant amendments to increase the grant funding levels along with; and

WHEREAS, this grant supplies reimbursement for a portion of Transit Department operating costs. The remaining funds come from the adopted budget, departmental revenue, and State grant funds. If the City of Tyler did not receive this grant, the City would be responsible for all operating expenses; and

WHEREAS, it is considered to be in the public interest to obtain and use grant funds for the above public purposes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS:

PART 1: That the FTA Grant Application for Federal Assistance for Grant TX-5339 requesting \$201,174 for Tyler Transit vehicle purchases including all understandings and assurances contained therein is hereby authorized and approved.

PART 2: That the City Manager's filing of the grant application, and all actions taken in connection therewith, are hereby affirmed.

PART 3: That the City Council hereby resolves and affirms to the FTA that the City of Tyler has the legal authority to apply for the grant and to finance and carry out the proposed project.

PART 4: That the City Council hereby resolves and affirms to the FTA the City of Tyler's intent to comply with all of the assurances outlined in the grant agreement and all laws, regulations, and circulars incorporated by reference in the grant agreement.

PART 5: That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to accept the FTA Grant TX-5339 for Tyler Transit vehicle purchases and any grant amendments to increase the funding levels.

PART 6: That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to take all actions necessary to accept and use the grant to fulfill the purposes described above.

PART 7: That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to provide such additional information as may be required by the FTA.

PART 8: That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 10th day of January 2024.



DONALD P. WARREN, MAYOR OF
THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS

ATTEST:

APPROVED:



CASSANDRA BRAGER, CITY CLERK



DEBORAH G. PULLUM, CITY ATTORNEY

