U.S. Department of Transportation

**Federal Transit Administration** 

# **Application**

**Federal Award Identification Number** 2016-2023-8 (FAIN)

2016-2023-8 Temporary Application Number

FY2023 5339 Bus and Bus Facilities Formula Capital **Award Name** 

Transmitted / Ready for FTA Review **Application Status** 

**Application Budget Number** 

N/A **Period of Performance Start Date** 

3/30/2028 Original Period of Performance End Date

Revision #: N/A N/A **Current Period of Performance End Date** 

# **Part 1: Recipient Information**

# Name: AUGUSTA-RICHMOND COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Recipient ID	Recipient OST Type	Recipient Alias	UEI	DUNS
2016	City	AUGUSTA RICHMOND COUNTY GEORGIA	ZH93N1J4TBE8	073438418

Location Type	Address	City	State	Zip
Headquarters	535 TELFAIR ST	AUGUSTA	GA	30901
Physical Address	535 TELFAIR ST	AUGUSTA	GA	30901
Mailing Address	DONNA WILLIAMS	AUGUSTA	GA	30901

### **Union Information**

Union Name	NONE	
Address 1		
Address 2		

City	
State	
Zipcode	
Contact Name	NONE
Telephone	
Fax	
E-mail	
Website	

# **Part 2: Application Information**

# Title: FY2023 5339 Bus and Bus Facilities Formula Capital Grant

FAIN	Application Status	Award Type	Application Cost Center	Date Created	Last Updated Date	From TEAM?
2016- 2023-8	Transmitted / Ready	Grant	Region 4	9/15/2023	9/15/2023	No

### **Application Executive Summary**

This FY2023 application is to request 5339 funds apportioned to the UZA(s) 130000 and 13950 in the amount of \$224,812, Nonfederal share is 56,203 from Local funds. This application utilizes funding for capital expenses, i.e., support vehicles. The application scope of work includes support vehicles to assist staff in the Maintenance Division and Office Staff.

Augusta Transit will ensure that all vehicles purchased are accessible, purchased from an FTA approved TVM, and reported to FTA within 30 days after contract is signed.

Augusta Transit will check the current listing of Transit Vehicle Manufacturers (TVM) (https://www. transit.dot.gov/regulations-and-guidance/civil-rights-ada/eligible-tvms-list)to ensure each is listen as a certified TVM in compliance with FTA regulations.

Augusta Transit or Sub-recipient (when applicable) will follow all 3rd party procurement policies as defined in C4220.1F (Third Party Contracting Guidance).

Augusta Transit or Sub-recipient (when applicable) will ensure contractors procured will not be on the FTA Suspension and Debarment list.

In addition to FTAs Buy America Act, which requires that the steel, iron, and manufactured goods used in an FTA-funded project are produced in the United States (49 U.S.C 5323(j)(1)), the Build America, Buy America Act (BABA) (Public Law 117-58, div. G 70914(a)) now requires that construction materials used in infrastructure projects are also produced in the United States. Refer to terms and conditions in FTAs Master Agreement Section 15. The BABA requirement applies to this grant, in addition to the Buy America Act, except to the extent a waiver of either requirements may

### Frequency of Milestone Progress Reports (MPR)

No Selection Made

### Frequency of Federal Financial Reports (FFR)

No Selection Made

# Does this application include funds for research and/or development activities?

This award does not include research and development activities.

#### **Pre-Award Authority**

This award is using Pre-Award Authority.

### Does this application include suballocation funds?

Recipient organization is the Designated Recipient and can apply for and receive these apportioned funds.

### Will this Grant be using Lapsing Funds?

No Selection Made

### Will indirect costs be applied to this application?

This award does not include an indirect cost rate.

Indirect Rate Details: N/A

### Requires E.O. 12372 Review

No, this application does not require E.O. 12372 Review.

### **Delinquent Federal Debt**

No, my organization does not have delinquent federal debt.

# **Award Description**

### **Purpose**

The purpose of this grant for support vehicles is to support administrative staff, maintenance staff and supervisors with reliable transportation to perform their duties addressing issues that occur along the bus routes. Traveling between facilities, checking bus stops, and for educational travel when necessary.

### Activities to be performed:

Funds will be used to purchase new replacement Support Vehicles to check facilities, check and maintain bus stops, and travel. One vehicle will not be a replacement.

#### **Expected outcomes:**

These improvements will help transits efficiency in taking care of the facilities and amenities, while also maintaining staff education.

#### Intended beneficiaries:

Transit staff, and Transit ridership and future transit riders.

### **Subrecipient Activities:**

N/A.

# **Application Point of Contact Information**

First Name	Last Name	Title	E-mail Address	Phone
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	gabrielle.gusmerotti@dot.gov	General Engineer		
	nicole.t.finley@dot.gov	Community Planner		

# **Application Budget Control Totals**

Funding Source	ource Section of Statute CFDA Nu		Amount
5339 – Buses and Bus Facilities Formula	5339-1	20526	\$224,821
Local			\$56,203

Total Eligible Cost	\$281,024
Adjustment	\$0
Transportation Development Credit	\$0
Other Federal	\$0
State/In-Kind	\$0
State	\$0
Local/In-Kind	\$0

### **Application Budget**

Project Number		Budget Item	FTA Amount	Non-FTA Amount	Total Eligible Amount	Quantity
2016-2023-8- P1	114-00 (114-)	BUS: SUPPORT EQUIP AND FACILITIES	\$224,821.00	\$56,203.00	\$281,024.00	4
2016-2023-8- P1		ACQUIRE - 11.42.11 SUPPORT VEHICLES	\$224,821.00	\$56,203.00	\$281,024.00	4

### **Discretionary Allocations**

This application does not contain discretionary allocations.

### Sources of Federal Financial Assistance

This application does not contain any sources of federal financial assistance.

# **Part 3: Project Information**

# Project Title: FY2023 5339 Bus and Bus Facilities Formula Capital Grant

<b>Project Number</b>	<b>Temporary Project Number</b>	<b>Date Created</b>	Start Date	End Date
2016-2023-8-P1	2016-2023-8-P1	9/15/2023	1/1/2024	12/31/2025

#### **Project Description**

This project contains one (1)ALI to aid and assist Augusta Transit in its operations. The funds will be used for purchase of support vehicles.

### **Project Benefits**

These improvements to replace end of life vehicles for the staff, maintenance and supervisors will improve transit's efficiency and safety while responding to situations along the routes and the education of the staff.

#### **Additional Information**

Augusta Transit strives to enhance its image in the community and provide safe, efficient, and reliable transportation service. By working to improve the correlation between service levels and current demand, service should increase.

### **Location Description**

Augusta Transit is located at 2844 Regency Boulevard, Augusta GA 30904. The Operations and Maintenance facility has forty parking spaces for buses with potential future expansion. The facility holds 2 buildings (Building A &B) designed for all buses maintenance services, operations, and administration functions.

Building A has two areas. Area A-A is dedicated to maintenance containing work areas, storage, shop, and a chassis wash/gas bay. Area A-B is dedicated to support the administrative functions. It has 20 office spaces which includes management offices, human resources, dispatch room, training room, flex offices and two large meeting rooms.

Building B is dedicated for the buses wash with a storage room, lube room, mechanical/electrical room and a 76-foot wash bay.Building Square Footage: Building A: 25,160 SF; Building B: 6,796 SF; Building B – Canopy area: 2,220 SF; TOTAL: 34,176 SF. There are 80 employee parking spaces,4 visitor parking spaces and 6 handicap parking spaces for a total of 90 parking stalls and the lot is 4.9 acres in size.

# **Project Location (Urbanized Areas)**

UZA Code	Area Name
130000	Georgia
139540	Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC

# **Congressional District Information**

State	District	Representative
Georgia	12	Rick W. Allen

# **Program Plan Information**

### STIP/TIP

Date: 5/18/2023

Description: The current TIP was adopted by the Policy Committee and amended May 18, 2023.

Augusta Transit starts on page 150 - 172.

#### **UPWP**

Date: N/A

Description: N/A

### Long Range Plan

Date: N/A

Description: N/A

# **Project Control Totals**

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		\$0
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# **Project Budget Activity Line Items**

Budget Activity Line Item: 11.42.11 - ACQUIRE - SUPPORT VEHICLES				
Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
BUS: SUPPORT EQUIP AND FACILITIES (114- 00)	11.42.11	ACQUIRE - SUPPORT VEHICLES	ACQUISITION OF BUS SUPPORT EQUIP/FACILITIES	4

### **Extended Budget Description**

This line activity will be used to purchase replacement support vehicles that have met their useful life. Useful life for the new vehicles is at least 5 years. One vehicle will not be a replacement.

Vehicle # Make Model Year Mileage Tag# VIN# Useful Life

2000 Ford Crown Victoria 2000 129,573 GV32393 2FAFP71W9YX119069 End of Life

1004 Chev Express Van 2010 245,507 GV32377 1GNUGBD43A1176095 End of Life

1005 Ford Expedition 2011 163,533 GV32387 1FMJU1F56BEF04541 End of Life

### Will 3rd Party contractors be used to fulfill this activity line item?

Yes, 3rd Party Contractors will be used for this line item.

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Local			\$56,203
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0

Transportation Development Credit	\$0
Adjustment	\$0
Total Eligible Cost	\$281,024

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description	
RFP/ITB	1/1/2024	Preparation of documents for review.	
Start Date	3/30/2024	Contract awarded.	
End Date	12/31/2025	All vehicles received,inspected. Project closeout.	

# **Project Environmental Findings**

### Finding: Class II(c) - Categorical Exclusions (C-List)

### **Class Level Description**

Class II(c) consists of projects that do not have a significant environmental impact on the human or natural environment and are therefore categorically excluded from the requirement to prepare an environmental assessment or an environmental impact statement. FTA requires a sufficient project description to support a CE determination. The project may require additional documentation to comply with other environmental laws.

#### **Categorical Exclusion Description**

Type 07: Acquisition, installation, rehabilitation, replacement, and maintenance of vehicles or equipment, within or accommodated by existing facilities, that does not result in a change in functional use of the facilities, such as: equipment to be located within existing facilities and with no substantial off-site impacts; and vehicles, including buses, rail cars, trolley cars, ferry boats and people movers that can be accommodated by existing facilities or by new facilities that qualify for a categorical exclusion.

Date Description	Date
Class IIc CE Approved	

Scope Name / Code	Line Item Number	Line Item Name	Quantity	FTA Amount	Total Eligible Cost
BUS: SUPPORT EQUIP AND FACILITIES (114-	11.42.11	ACQUIRE - SUPPORT VEHICLES	4	\$224,821.00	\$281,024.00

# Part 4: Fleet Details

No fleet data exists for this application.

# **Part 5: FTA Review Comments**

There are no review comments to display at this time.