



City of Needles, California Request for City Council Action

☒ CITY COUNCIL ☐ NPUA

☒ Regular ☐ Special

Meeting Date: March 25, 2025

Title: Resolution No. 2025-15 authorizing the City Manager or his designee, the Community Services Manager, to purchase one (1) Nine Passenger Transit Vehicle for use by the Dial-a-Ride (Specialized Transportation) Transit Services

Background: \$180,857 has been budgeted in the 2025-2026 fiscal year for the purchase of a new DAR vehicle, funding which will come from State Transit Assistance (STA) Capital through the San Bernardino County Transportation Authority (SBCTA). This resolution will allow the city to purchase through the California Association for Coordinated Transportation (CalACT)/Morongo Basin Transit Authority (MBTA) Vehicle Purchasing Cooperative which reduces the cost and saves staff time in going through a formal bidding process (the Cooperative has already done it).

Fiscal Impact: \$180,857 has been budgeted in the current fiscal year and will be reimbursed by SBCTA after the purchase is complete

Environmental Impact: N/A

Recommended Action: Waive the reading and adopt Resolution No. 2025-15 authorizing the City Manager or his designee, the Community Services Manager, to purchase one Nine Passenger Transit Vehicle for use by the Dial-a-Ride (Specialized Transportation) Transit Services.

Submitted By: Cheryl Sallis, Community Services Manager

City Manager Approval: Patrick J. Martinez

Date: 3/19/2025

Other Department Approval (when required): Barbara DiLeo

Date: 03/18/25

Approved: ☐

Not Approved: ☐

Tabled: ☐

Other: ☐