

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO SUPPORT A JOINT GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE CENTRAL OKLAHOMA TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING AUTHORITY DBA EMBARK AND THE CITY OF EDMOND TO THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S FFY2026 INNOVATIVE COORDINATED ACCESS AND MOBILITY (ICAM) PILOT PROGRAM FOR PLANNING FOR REGIONAL PARATRANSIT SERVICE; AND EXPRESSING ITS COMMITMENT TO SEEK FUNDING FOR THE LOCAL MATCH (\$10,000) IF SUCH A GRANT IS AWARDED AND PROJECT APPROVED.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the City of Norman is a designated recipient for USDOT federal grants under 49 U.S.C. § 5307, Public Transit Systems in Urbanized Areas, and 49 U.S.C. § 5339, Bus and Bus Facilities; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, on July 9, 2026, the FTA announced approximately \$12 million in available funding for the ICAM Pilot Program for federal fiscal year 2025-2026 (FFY26) (10/1/2025-9/30/2026) as authorized under the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, Pub. L. 117-58, 135 Stat. 429; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, a requirement of the ICAM Pilot Program is to identify the source of local match to the federal funds and to provide commitment of those funds with the entity's application; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, The ICAM Program allows for a cost share of 80% federal and 20% local match. The proposed cost share for this application is \$200,000 federal (80%) and \$40,000 local match (20%). The local match amount of \$40,000 would be shared between the three participating entities as follows: \$10,000 from the City of Norman, \$10,000 from the City of Edmond, and \$20,000 from EMBARK.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- § 5. The City Manager or his designee(s) is hereby authorized to coordinate with EMBARK and the City of Edmond for the submission of a joint grant application for the U.S. Department of Transportation's FFY2026 ICAM Pilot Program for planning for regional paratransit service; and
- § 6. Upon award of the grant and project approval, funding in the amount of \$10,000 will be identified to meet the local match requirements.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 25th day of August 2026.

Mayor, Stephen T. Holman

ATTEST:

City Clerk

