

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, PROGRAMMING FEDERAL
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM
URBANIZED AREA (STBG-UZA) FUNDS FOR
ENHANCEMENTS TO THE CITY'S PUBLIC TRANSIT
VEHICLE FLEET**

- § 1. WHEREAS, Federal Surface Transportation Block Grant for Urbanized Areas (STBG-UZA) funds have been made available for transportation improvements within the Oklahoma City Urbanized Area; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Norman has selected a transit improvement project described as follows:

One (1) New 35-Foot CNG Transit Bus Replacement

- § 3. WHEREAS, the project preliminary estimate of cost is \$706,526 and Federal participation under the terms of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) relating to Surface Transportation Block Grant Program - Urbanized Area (STBG UZA) funds is hereby requested for funding 80% of the project cost, which is estimated at \$1,130,442; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, the City of Norman proposes to use funds from the General Fund, Public Transit Sales Tax, or Capital Fund as the source of funds for the local match, which is estimated at \$141,305.20; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, no City of Norman funds are committed by this action; and
- § 6. WHEREAS, the City of Norman has the required matching funds available and further agrees to deposit matching funds by separate agreement with the Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT) prior to advertising of the project for bid by ODOT; and
- § 7. WHEREAS, the City of Norman can arrange for a qualified engineer to furnish engineering services in the preparation of detailed plans, specifications and estimates if necessary; and
- § 8. WHEREAS, the City of Norman agrees to provide for satisfactory maintenance after completion, and to furnish the necessary right-of-way clear and unobstructed if necessary; and
- § 9. WHEREAS, the City of Norman agrees, as a condition to receiving any Federal financial assistance from the Oklahoma Department of Transportation, that it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42. U.S.C. 2000d et seq., and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, "Nondiscrimination of Federally-Assisted Programs of the Oklahoma Department of Transportation-Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964"; and
- § 10. WHEREAS, the City of Norman assures that no qualified person with a disability shall, solely by reasons of their disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity administered by the City of Norman Transit Service; and

- § 11. WHEREAS, the City of Norman further understands that acceptance of this resolution by the Association of Central Oklahoma Governments (ACOG) and the Oklahoma Department of Transportation is not a commitment to Federal funding, but only registers the City of Norman's interest and intent in participating in the program application process.

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

- § 12. That ACOG is hereby requested to consider this project as a candidate for Federal funding, and to submit the same to the Oklahoma Department of Transportation for its approval

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 25th day of July, 2023.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk