R-2122-72

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, APPROPRIATING \$346,703 FROM THE CAPITAL FUND BALANCE TO BE USED TO PURCHASE FIVE (5) 3500 DODGE PROMASTER VANS FOR THE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION FLEET.

- § 1. WHEREAS, The City of Norman took over the operations of the City public transportation system on June 1, 2019, from the University of Oklahoma and staff has been working diligently to pursue federal grant opportunities to maximize local funding to replace the aged vehicles that were inherited as a part of the transition of service; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, the Federal Transit Administration's Grants for Buses and Bus Facilities Formula Program provides funding to states and transit agencies through a statutory formula to replace, rehabilitate and purchase buses and related equipment to construct bus-related facilities; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, when the City took over the service, there were funds that had not been programmed available and fourteen of the paratransit vehicles are eligible to be retired based on the grant requirements; and
- WHEREAS, Staff has received a quote of \$469,515 for five 3500 Dodge Promaster paratransit vans and the available funding of \$346,703 from the Federal Transportation Administration and adding funding from the City in the amount \$122,812 which is the local match requirement, these van can be purchased and ordered; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, once the new vehicles are received, staff will submit a request for reimbursement to the Federal Transportation Administration for the federal share of the project.

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

§ 6. That the following appropriation be made for the reason as stated above.

Account Name	Losing Account	Gaining Account	Amount
Service Equipment/Bus	50-29000	27550276-45007	\$346,703

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of December, 2021

ATTEST:	Mayor	
City Clerk		

