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Subject: RE: EXTERNAL EMAIL : ARPA Funding for Vehicle Wash Facility
Date: Monday, December 20, 2021 8:28:19 AM

Taylor,

Thank you for the information you have clarified regarding the cost of the wash facility and for the summary of the proposal below- FTA concurs with this proposal and look forward to working with the City of Norman to complete this project.

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From: Taylor S. Johnson <Taylor.Johnson@NormanOK.gov>
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Marcos,

I am emailing to summarize what was discussed on Tuesday, December 14, with you and other FTA Region VI staff. This discussion revolved around the City's desire to utilize ARPA funding to assist in constructing a City Vehicle Wash Facility.

The City created a spreadsheet with the number of washes that would be expected to be used by every City department/division. Through that spreadsheet, it was determined that transit would use 32% of the washes annually. Thus, the City proposes that transit's share of the construction would be 32%. The remaining funding would be funded through local funds.

In addition, once the Vehicle Wash Facility is complete, each department/division would pay a fee per wash. This fee would fund the ongoing maintenance and operations of the facility. So transit would only pay for the washes it uses and subsequently its share of the ongoing maintenance and operations.

With that, the City seeks FTA's concurrence that we can move forward with the intent of utilizing ARPA funding to assist in the construction of the City's Vehicle Wash Facility.

Thanks,