

LYNX Board Agenda

Meeting Date: 5/25/2023
Meeting Time: 1:00 PM

Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority
455 N. Garland Ave.
2nd Floor Board Room
Orlando, FL 32801

As a courtesy to others, please silence all electronic devices during the meeting.

1. Call to Order

2. Approval of Minutes

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3. Public Comments


- Citizens who would like to speak under Public Comments shall submit a request form to the Assistant Secretary prior to the meeting. Forms are available at the door.

4. Chief Executive Officer's Report

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11. Other Business

12. Adjourned

Section 286.0105, Florida Statutes states that if a person decides to appeal any decision made by a board, agency, or commission with respect to any matter considered at a meeting or hearing, he will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purposes, he may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, persons needing a special accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact Benjamin Gonzalez at 455 N. Garland Ave, Orlando, FL 32801 (407) 254-6038, not later than three business days prior to the meeting. If hearing impaired, contact LYNX at (407) 423-0787(TDD).

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Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority
Board of Directors' Meeting Minutes

PLACE: **LYNX Central Station**
 455 N. Garland Avenue
 Virtual and Board Room, 2nd Floor
 Orlando, FL 32801

DATE: **April 27, 2023**

TIME: **1:00 p.m.**

Members in Attendance:

Viviana Janer, Commissioner, Osceola County BoCC, Vice-Chair

Buddy Dyer, Mayor, City of Orlando

Andria Herr, Commissioner, Seminole County BoCC

John Tyler, Secretary, Florida Department of Transportation – District 5, Secretary

1. Call to Order

Vice-Chair Janer called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Vice-Chair Janer asked Secretary Tyler to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Approval of Minutes

Mayor Dyer moved to approve the Board of Directors meeting minutes of March 23, 2023. Seconded by Secretary Tyler. The minutes were unanimously approved as presented.

3. Public Comments

Trini Quiroz – Orlando, FL

Ms. Quiroz expressed concerns about transportation needs for seniors in Orange County.

Vicki Vargo – Orlando, FL

Ms. Vargo stated that more work needs to be done on the Rosemont SuperStop.

Carmen Talavera – Orlando, FL

Ms. Talavera has concerns over ACCESS LYNX arriving late.

4. Chief Executive Officer's Report

Tiffany Homler Hawkins, Chief Executive Officer, reminded everyone that there is new audio in the Board Room and the kinks are still being worked out.

The funding partners softball tournament was on March 25. The first pitch was thrown out by Secretary Tyler. The LYNX team came in fourth place.

The state Roadeo was held on April 1, the LYNX maintenance team came in second overall in the state.

Service changes went into effect on Sunday, and everything has gone well with minimum feedback.

Ridership continues to hover around 55,000, and was at 60,000 a couple of weeks ago. The Planning team will be working with the funding partners to determine what the new normal looks like.

A partnership with the City of Orlando has resulted in an extension of the Lymmo Lime line on March 28.

5. Oversight Committee Report

Commissioner Janer, Chair of the Oversight Committee provided her report on the Oversight Committee meeting that met earlier. She stated that the committee approved the minutes from the March 23, 2023, Oversight meeting.

Amanda Clavijo, Chair of the Finance & Audit Committee, gave a report on the April 20, 2023 Finance & Audit Committee. The Finance Committee recommends approval of all Consent Agenda items.

The Oversight Committee recommends approval of all Consent Agenda and Action items.

The Committee received presentations on the Reserve Analysis, the FY2024 Preliminary Operating Budget, an Amendment to the FY2023 Operating Budget, and the transition of the Paratransit contract to Transdev.

6. Consent Agenda:

Vice-Chair Janer asked if there were any changes to the Consent Agenda before there is a motion to approve consent agenda items 6.A.i. through 6.E.vi. Ms. Homler Hawkins stated that she recommends the entire Consent Agenda for approval.

A. Request for Proposal

- i. Authorization to Release a Request for Proposal (RFP) for Pre-Employment Background Screening & Related Services

- ii. Authorization to Release a Request for Proposal (RFP) for Architecture and Engineering Service for Window Replacement at LYNX Central Station Building and Passenger Terminal
- B. Invitation for Bid (IFB)
 - i. Authorization to Release an Invitation for Bid (IFB) for Construction of a Bus Bay and Associated Amenities at the Saint Cloud Walmart
- C. Award Contracts
 - i. Authorization to Negotiate and Award a Contract to McCree General Contractors, Inc. for the Construction of the Pine Hills Transfer Center
 - ii. Authorization to Negotiate and Award a Contract to JC KC Construction, LLC for Renovation of the Tool Crib at LOC A and the Wellness Center at LOC B
 - iii. Authorization to Negotiate and Award a Contract to Universal Protection Service, LLC dba Allied Universal Security Services
- D. Extension of Contracts
 - i. Authorization to Extend and Increase the Not to Exceed Amount of Contract #22-C38 with Susan Black for Organizational Development Consulting Services
 - ii. Authorization to Exercise the First Option Year of Contract #21-C35 with American Facilities Services, Inc., for Janitorial Services for LYNX Central Station and the LYNX Operations Center
- E. Miscellaneous
 - i. Ratification of the Inclusion of the Orlando Science Center as a Partner for Workforce Development on the FY2022 Low or No Emission Grant Program and the Bus and Bus Facilities Competitive Program
 - ii. Authorization to Negotiate and Enter into Agreements Related to the Pine Hills Bus Transfer Center
 - iii. Authorization to Purchase Vanpool Vehicles
 - iv. Authorization to Purchase Seven (7) 2023 Dodge Durango Vehicles as Replacement Vehicles for Transportation Supervisors
 - v. Authorization to Dispose of Items Accumulated Through the Lost and Found Process
 - vi. Authorization to Auction Surplus Capital Items

Commissioner Herr made a motion to approve Consent Agenda items 6.A.i. through 6.E.vi. Seconded by Mayor Dyer. Motion passed unanimously.

7. Action Agenda

- A. Authorization to Submit a Grant Application to the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) for the Rural Transportation Program, Off-Cycle Section 5311 in the Total Amount of Approximately \$1,767,743 and Execution of Resolution #23-002

Mayor Dyer made a motion for Authorization to Submit a Grant Application to the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) for the Rural Transportation Program, Off-Cycle Section 5311 in the Total Amount of Approximately \$1,767,743 and

Execution of Resolution #23-002. Second by Commissioner Herr. Motion passed unanimously with Secretary Tyler abstaining.

- B. Authorization to Submit a Grant Application to the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) for a Public Transit Grant Agreement (PTGA) for FY2024 Commuter Assistance Program in the Amount of \$300,000 and Execution of Resolution #23-003

Mayor Dyer made a motion for Authorization to Submit a Grant Application to the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) for a Public Transit Grant Agreement (PTGA) for FY2024 Commuter Assistance Program in the Amount of \$300,000 and Execution of Resolution #23-003. Second by Commissioner Herr. Motion passed unanimously with Secretary Tyler abstaining.

- C. Approval to Amend the FY2023 Operating Budget

Commissioner Janer recognized Lenny Antmann, Chief Financial Officer, to make the presentation. Mr. Antmann stated that the \$5.3 million adjustment included increases in Interest and Other income, Federal revenue, and an increase in salaries and wages due to NeighborLink services provided “in-house” by LYNX staff.

Motion for Approval to Amend the FY2023 Operating Budget made by Mayor Dyer, second by Commissioner Herr. Motion passed unanimously.

- D. Authorization to Execute a Contract with Transdev Services, Inc., for LYNX Paratransit Services

Commissioner Janer recognized Norm Hickling, Director of Mobility Services, to make the presentation. Mr. Hickling described the new contract as a three-year term with two, one-year renewal options. The contract includes separate agreements for fuel delivery, facility lease and vehicle lease.

Transdev has completed thirteen transitions within the last twelve months, and has staff on-site daily to ensure clear and accurate communication with all employees.

Employee recruitment has started with open houses scheduled for May 4-6.

Fleet status inspection and inventory, software review and set-up, and financial compliance procedures have begun to ensure a smooth transition. Transdev will begin transporting clients on June 1, 2023.

Commissioner Janer would like a status as to why this process is being “fast-tracked”. Ms. Homler Hawkins stated that after three weeks of negotiations with the current vendor, a mutual agreement could not be made. LYNX staff decided to move forward with the Transdev contract. Transdev staff was quick to respond, and are phasing in services currently.

Commissioner Janer asked if there was an automatic six-month extension written into the Transdev contract, so that if the same scenario happens again, there will not be a rush to transition. Pat Christiansen stated that there is such a provision in this contract.

Commissioner Herr asked for the milestones for getting staff hired for these positions. W.C. Pihl, Senior Vice-President of Business Development with Transdev, stated that the Transdev staff met with the Union this week. Transdev staff also set-up the open houses and is hoping that one hundred percent of the current Paratransit staff attends to learn about payroll, uniforms and get set up in the system. Community outreach and communication with sub-contracted partners has started, to get everything in place.

Commissioner Herr inquired about the phone system handling all of the calls on June 1, so that clients are not sitting on hold. Mr. Hickling stated that the call center will be business as usual. There has already been community outreach regarding the transition. Commissioner Herr would like to see adequate staffing on June 1, so that the wait times are kept to a minimum. Mr. Hickling stated that he is committed to the process and clients will not feel any differences with this transition. Commissioner Janer is hoping for some improvements.

Commissioner Herr made a motion for Authorization to Negotiate a Contract with Transdev Services, Inc., for Paratransit Services. Mayor Dyer seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

8. Information Items

There were two items for review purposes only, no action was requested.

- A. Notification of Settlement Agreements Pursuant to Administrative Rule 6
- B. Notification of Sole Source Procurements Pursuant to Administrative Rule 4

9. Monthly Reports: (For review purposes only)

There were three reports in the packets for review purposes only. No action was required.

- A. Communications Report – March 2023
- B. Monthly Financial Report – January 2023
- C. Ridership Report – February 2023

10. Other Business

Ms. Homler Hawkins stated that weekly updates will be provided on this transition.

11. Adjourned:

The meeting adjourned at 2:21 p.m.

Certification of Minutes:

I certify that the foregoing minutes of the April 27, 2023 LYNX Board of Director's meeting are true and correct, approved by the Board of Directors.

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Assistant

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Consent Agenda Item #6.A. i

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer
Jeffrey Reine
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6125

Item Name: Authorization to Release a Request for Proposal for Construction Engineering and Inspection for HVAC Systems Replacement & Enhancement at LYNX Central Station and LYNX Operations Center

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to release a Request for Proposal (RFP) for Construction Engineering and Inspection (CEI) Services for the HVAC Systems Replacement & Enhancement at the LYNX Central Station and the LYNX Operations Center.

BACKGROUND:

LYNX operates out of two owned main facilities: the LYNX Central Station (LCS) and the LYNX Operations Center (LOC). The facilities have HVAC systems of different manufacturers and types that have met their useful life. The units are between 16 to 19 years old and have become failure prone and increasingly costly and difficult to maintain. The typical life expectancy on these types of systems averages 15 to 20 years. In the past three years, LYNX has spent approximately \$240,000 repairing or replacing items related to ensure that the equipment has been able to function.

LYNX is seeking to replace the HVAC systems at both locations. The intent is to have the new systems be of the same name brand manufacturer. In addition, the systems will reflect the latest high efficiency and sustainable specifications currently available.

In September 2021, LYNX authorized the Chief Executive Officer or designee to execute Contract #21-C45 to AECOM Technical Services, Inc. for Architecture and Engineering Services. The Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act (CCNA) as provided in Fla. Stat. 287.055 states that any construction project that exceeds the established threshold of \$4 million

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must be procured separately from a continuing services contract. This is the reason that this request cannot be accomplished using the existing contract that is currently in place.

In March 2023, LYNX authorized the Chief Executive Officer or designee to issue a Request for Proposal for the overall Architecture and Engineering Services for this project. Typically, LYNX has used the same firm for both design and CEI under this umbrella of services. In accordance with the general direction provided by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA), typically the local agency is responsible for determining if this methodology creates a conflict.

LYNX may have an opportunity on this project to leverage Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) funding. In the past, this funding was typically limited to Service Development Grants. Recent projects such as the LYNX Operations Center Expansion and the Pine Hills Bus Transfer Center have seen the ability to leverage FDOT funding different ways than previously done. In consideration of this funding possibility, FDOT procurement rules are more restrictive with respect to separating out CEI from design services to avoid a conflict of interest. FDOT explicitly states that the designer and CEI engineers must not be the same company.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

No DBE Goal has been established for this contract. LYNX encourages the Contractor to make every attempt to obtain the participation of certified DBEs and other small businesses in the completion of this contract (Race Neutral).

FISCAL IMPACT:

The FY2023 Amended Capital Budget includes \$3,207,000 for Construction Engineering and Inspection (CEI) Services for the HVAC Systems Replacement & Enhancement at the LYNX Central Station and the LYNX Operations Center. This project is 100% Federally funded.

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Consent Agenda Item #6.A. ii

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Maurice Jones
Director Of Procurement
Maurice Jones
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6057

Item Name: Authorization to Release a Request for Proposal for Legal Services -
General Counsel

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to release a Request for Proposal (RFP) for General Counsel legal services.

BACKGROUND:

At the December 5, 2019 Board of Director's meeting, staff received authorization to negotiate and execute a contract with Akeman, LLP for General Counsel legal services. The recommended term of the agreement was for two (2) years with three (3) one (1) year renewal options. At the time of award, the Board of Director's approved the term of the agreement for two (2) years with a one (1) year renewal option.

At the October 28, 2021 Board of Director's meeting, staff received authorization to exercise option year one (1) with Akerman, LLP for General Counsel legal services. Due to the unexpected passing of the LYNX CEO, staff requested authorization at the September 22, 2022 Board of Director's meeting to extend the contract for an additional one (1) year period.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE goal is not applicable to this activity.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The FY2023 Amended Operating Budget includes \$1,030,000 for general legal services.

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Consent Agenda Item #6.B. i

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer
Lismar Matos Hernandez
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6125

Item Name: Authorization to Negotiate and Award a Contract to Kiewit Infrastructure South Co. for the Construction Phase of the Concrete and Drainage Improvement Project at LCS

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to negotiate and award a contract to Kiewit Infrastructure South Co. for the Construction Phase of the Concrete and Drainage Improvement Project at LYNX Central Station (LCS) in the amount not to exceed \$432,000.

BACKGROUND:

LCS Bus Facility Concrete Improvement: The concrete pavement at the LCS bus entrance from Amelia St. to the edge of the bus bays has experienced significant concrete failure over time. The scope of this project will correct the deficient state of the concrete curbs at the entrance and exit of LCS, improve the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) non-compliant ramps, installation of new reinforced concrete pavement and associated pavement markings.

An invitation for bid (IFB) was performed on September 14, 2022 and LYNX received one (1) bid. After evaluation, LYNX decided to perform a second bid for these projects on March 2, 2023. The following two (2) submissions were returned by the return deadline of April 18, 2023:

Vendors
Kiewit Infrastructure South Co.
McCree Design Builders, Inc.

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LYNX Staff is recommending the contract be awarded to Kiewit Infrastructure South Co., as the lowest, responsive, and responsible bidder for this project.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

No DBE Goal has been established for this contract. LYNX encourages the Contractor to make every attempt to obtain participation of certified DBEs and other small businesses in the completion of this contract (Race Neutral).

FISCAL IMPACT:

The FY2023 Amended Capital Budget includes \$432,000 for the Construction Phase of the Concrete and Drainage Improvement Projects at LCS & LOC. This project is 100% Federally funded.

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Consent Agenda Item #6.B. ii

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer
Lismar Matos Hernandez
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6125

Item Name: Authorization to Negotiate and Award a Contract to Atlantic Civil Constructors Corp. for the Construction Phase of the Concrete and Drainage Improvement Project at LOC

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to negotiate and award a contract to Atlantic Civil Constructors Corp. for the Construction Phase of the Concrete and Drainage Improvement Project at LYNX Operations Center (LOC) in the amount not to exceed \$1,076,000.

BACKGROUND:

LOC Bus Wash Exit Concrete & Drainage Improvements: The concrete located at the exit to the bus wash at LOC has experienced major failures. This project will correct the deficient state of concrete at the bus wash exit area by improving this area to include concrete demolition, new base/sub-base, new steel reinforcement, high early strength concrete, and surface water drainage improvement.

LOC Fuel Island Drain Improvement: The LOC fuel island has been experiencing significant drainage issues over the years, resulting in the drain line being grouted full where it connects to the main sanitary line. The goal of this project is to install a new drainage system to serve the fuel island and maintain environmental protection. The project will include concrete demolition, new sanitary drain, and new oil/water separator.

An invitation for bid (IFB) was performed on September 14, 2022 and LYNX received one (1) bid. After evaluation, LYNX decided to perform a second bid for these projects on March 2, 2023. The following three (3) submissions were returned by the return deadline of April 18, 2023:

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Vendors
Atlantic Civil Constructors Corp.
Kiewit Infrastructure South Co.
McCree Design Builders, Inc.

LYNX Staff is recommending the contract be awarded to Atlantic Civil Constructors Corp., as the lowest, responsive, and responsible bidder for these projects.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

No DBE Goal has been established for this contract. LYNX encourages the Contractor to make every attempt to obtain participation of certified DBEs and other small businesses in the completion of this contract (Race Neutral).

FISCAL IMPACT:

The FY2023 Amended Capital Budget includes \$1,076,000 for the Construction Phase of the Concrete and Drainage Improvement Projects at LOC. This project is 100% Federally funded.

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Consent Agenda Item #6.C. i

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: James Boyle
Director Of Planning And Development
Bruce Detweiler
(Technical Contact)
Myles O'Keefe
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6036

Item Name: Authorization to Exercise First Option Year of Contract #20-C49 with Urban Transportation Associates, Inc., for Maintenance and Support of the Automatic Passenger Counter Backend Reporting System

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to exercise the first option year of Contract# 20-C49 with Urban Transportation Associates (UTA), Inc., for maintenance and support of the automatic passenger counters (APCs) backend reporting system and increase the not to exceed by \$35,000.

BACKGROUND:

On April 23, 2020 the LYNX Board of Directors approved the award of Contract #20-C49 to Urban Transportation Associates, Inc. for three (3) years with two (2) one (1) year options for a total not to exceed amount of \$1,150,000. Contract #20-C49 expires on May 31, 2023 and option year one (1) will extend the contract from June 1, 2023 to May 31, 2024.

Under the initial contract term, APCs were installed across the entire fixed route bus fleet. Maintenance and support of the hardware and backend reporting system was also part of the initial term and will continue as part of exercising this first option year.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A goal of 11% was assessed for this solicitation. The firm Urban Transportation Associates, Inc. submitted the required documentation to meet the 11% DBE participation goal.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The FY2023 Amended Operating Budget includes \$35,521 for the provision of the automatic passenger counters (APCs) backend reporting system project.

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Consent Agenda Item #6.C. ii

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer
Michelle Daley
(Technical Contact)
Christopher Plummer
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6125

Item Name: Authorization to Exercise First Option Year of Contract #20-C80 with MSL, PA, for Audit Services

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to exercise the first option year of Contract# 20-C80 with MSL, PA, for audit services.

BACKGROUND:

At the September 30, 2019 LYNX Board of Directors meeting, staff received authorization to issue a Request for Proposal (RFP) for Audit Services. The RFP was released January 10, 2020 and vendor responses were due February 28, 2020.

The SEC conducted extensive due diligence and scored the participating firm submissions. MSL, PA was selected as the SEC's first choice and the Board of Directors awarded a three (3) year contract with two (2) one (1) year options on September 24, 2020. After performing LYNX's external audits during the three (3) year term, MSL's remaining contractual proposed fee schedule is as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending	Total Maximum Fee
9/30/2023	\$97,000
9/30/2024	\$99,000

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DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The FY2023 Amended Operating Budget includes \$118,000 for audit services.

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Consent Agenda Item #6.D. i

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Norman Hickling
Director Of Mobility Services
Norman Hickling
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6169

Item Name: Authorization to Submit a Trip and Equipment Grant Application to the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged and Adoption of Resolution #23-005

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to submit a grant application to the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged (FLCTD) in the Overall Amount of \$3,782,394 for the Fiscal Year 2023/2024 and adoption of Resolution #23-005.

BACKGROUND:

The Florida State Fiscal Year is July 1 thru June 30 and grantees are required to submit applications prior to the upcoming funding cycle. The Trip and Equipment Grant allocations are formula based derived from TD population, centerline miles within county, and number of previously invoiced trips. This funding is provided to the CTCs to support either operational and/or capital equipment expenditures, which LYNX utilizes to assist in the procurement of transportation services in support of the TD program throughout the tri-county service area.

LYNX serves as the Community Transportation Coordinator (CTC) for Orange, Osceola, and Seminole Counties. The overall funding allocation is \$3,782,394, which includes a 10% local match \$378,239, for the purchase of Transportation Disadvantaged (TD) trips.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The Approved Amended FY2023 Operating Budget includes \$978,075 for the last three months of the fiscal year (July-Sept) of the anticipated award. The FY2024 Proposed Operating Budget includes \$3,912,213 for the entire year which is the 90% value of the Trips and Equipment Grant.

CFRTA RESOLUTION NO. # 23-005

A RESOLUTION OF THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (d/b/a/ LYNX) AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER (CEO) TO EXECUTE AND SUBMIT GRANT APPLICATIONS WITH THE FLORIDA COMMISSION FOR THE TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGE (CTD) FOR THE FY2023-2024 TRIP AND EQUIPMENT GRANT PROGRAM, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,904,235 DOLLARS.

WHEREAS, the LYNX Board of Directors (BOARD) has the authority and believes it is in the best interest of LYNX to authorize the CEO, or designee, to file and execute this grant application and all supporting documents, agreements and assurances which may be required in connection with the application as authorized by Chapter 341, Florida Statutes and/or by the Federal Transit Administration Act of 1964, as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The LYNX BOARD has the authority to authorize the submission of grant applications to the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantage.
2. The BOARD has the authority to authorize the execution of Public Transportation Grant Agreements to be issued by CTD in FY2023-2024.
3. The BOARD authorizes Tiffany Homler Hawkins, Chief Executive Officer, or designee, to submit grant applications to the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantage for fiscal year 2023-2024 in the amount of \$3,782,394 dollars on behalf of LYNX and the ability for the CEO to execute the application, amendments, warranties, certifications, assurances, reimbursement invoices and any other documents in connection with the grant application.
4. The BOARD authorizes Tiffany Homler Hawkins, Chief Executive Officer, or designee, to sign any and all agreements or contracts, which may be required in connection with the application, and subsequent agreements, with the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantage.
5. The BOARD authorizes Tiffany Homler Hawkins, Chief Executive Officer, or designee, to make purchases and/or expend funds pursuant to grant awards made by the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantage authorized by Chapter 341, Florida Statutes and/or by the Federal Transit Administration Act of 1964, as amended.
6. The above authorization shall be continuing in nature until revoked by the Chairman of the Governing Board.

CERTIFICATION OF THE ADOPTION OF THE PROPOSED RESOLUTION OF THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (d/b/a/ LYNX) AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER (CEO) TO EXECUTE AND SUBMIT GRANT APPLICATIONS WITH THE FLORIDA COMMISSION FOR THE TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGE (CTD) FOR THE FY2022-2023 TRIP AND EQUIPMENT GRANT PROGRAM, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,904,235 DOLLARS.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 25th day of May 2023 by the Governing Board of the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority.

CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

By: Governing Board

Chairman

ATTEST:

Assistant Secretary

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Consent Agenda Item #6.D. ii

To: LYNX Board of Directors

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Item Name: Authorization to Execute MetroPlan Orlando's FY2023-2024 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) Pass-Thru Funding Agreement

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Authorization to execute MetroPlan Orlando's FY2023-2024 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) Pass-Thru Funding Agreement for Transit Planning Projects and the Florida Commission for Transportation Disadvantaged Funding in the Amount of \$430,000.

BACKGROUND:

MetroPlan Orlando is the metropolitan planning organization (MPO) for Orange, Osceola and Seminole Counties and is responsible for preparing and maintaining the Long-Range Transportation Plan and all other related transportation plans required for the region to receive federal and state funding. LYNX is an active member of MetroPlan's transportation planning processes and committees, and receives funds passed through to MetroPlan Orlando for transit planning projects and studies.

Annually, the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) and the Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged (CTD) appropriate planning funds to MetroPlan Orlando. A portion of the Federal Metropolitan Planning Program (Section 5305 (d)) grant funds and Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) funds are passed through to LYNX to conduct transit planning tasks as set forth in the FY2023/2024 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) task 200. This agreement includes the FY 2023/2024 planning funds in the amount \$350,000. Also, The Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged appropriated planning funds in the amount of \$80,000. LYNX will utilize passed through funds to specifically address planning activities identified according to the three (3) major sections of the MetroPlan Orlando Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP), which include: (1) MPO Plans and Administration; (2) Regional Planning /Public Participation and; (3) Transportation Planning. Additionally, state planning

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funds for transportation disadvantaged services managed by MetroPlan Orlando are passed through to LYNX.

LYNX staff has coordinated with MetroPlan Orlando to define certain transit planning tasks and their funding levels which have been incorporated into the 2023/2024 fiscal year UPWP. The UPWP has been adopted by the MetroPlan Orlando Board and is the regional document defining various transportation planning activities programmed annually by federal, state and local governments.

Attached to this Consent Agenda Item is a copy of the FY2023/2024 draft agreement with MetroPlan Orlando for transit planning activities. The proposed agreement is a recurring agreement with terms based on the annual funding allocations included in the regionally adopted Unified Planning Work Program.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

FISCAL IMPACT:

LYNX staff will include the award of this program in the appropriate LYNX fiscal year budget upon confirmation of award.

THIS AGREEMENT, beginning on the last signature date set forth below (the "Effective Date"), by and between the Orlando Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization, the metropolitan planning organization for the Orlando and Kissimmee Urbanized Areas (d/b/a MetroPlan Orlando, A Transportation Partnership), organized under the laws of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the "ORGANIZATION" and the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority, d/b/a LYNX, located at 455 N Garland Ave, Orlando, FL 32801, hereinafter referred to as the "CONTRACTOR" or "CONSULTANT", for the term specified herein, upon a mutual agreement of the parties, agree as follows:

WITNESSETH:

I. TERM OF AGREEMENT

The period of this Agreement shall begin on July 1, 2023, and shall terminate on June 30, 2024. No funds, however, shall be expended until a Notice to Proceed is issued by METROPLAN ORLANDO. Notwithstanding any other provision of this "AGREEMENT", either party may terminate this AGREEMENT for convenience by providing thirty (30) days written notice to the other party.

II. PROJECT ADMINISTRATION

The ORGANIZATION Representatives will be:

- 1) **Administrative Management/Project Manager:**
Alex Trauger
Director of Transportation Planning
MetroPlan Orlando
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Orlando, Florida 32801
(407) 481-5672 x313
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- 2) **Finance Department:**
Jason S. Loschiavo, Director of Finance & Administration
MetroPlan Orlando
250 S Orange Ave Ste 200
Orlando, Florida 32801
(407) 481-5672 x310
jloschiavo@metroplanorlando.org

Invoices may be submitted via email to Finance@metroplanorlando.org or via MetroPlan Orlando's online invoice portal.

The CONTRACTOR Representatives will be:

- 1) **Project Management**
- 2) **Administrative Management**
- 3) **Billing/Invoicing:**

All deliverable/invoices submitted by the CONTRACTOR must be approved in writing to the ORGANIZATION's Project Director prior to payment by the ORGANIZATION to the CONTRACTOR.

III. **COMPENSATION**

The CONTRACTOR hereby covenants and agrees to render professional services in carrying out and completing certain elements of the FY 2023/2024 Orlando Urban Area Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) as outlined in UPWP Task 200, provided, however, that the total amount of the reimbursable costs to the CONTRACTOR shall not exceed Four Hundred Thirty-Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$430,000.00). Of this amount, Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000) shall be provided from the Consolidated Planning Grant (CPG) for FY 2023/2024.

Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$80,000) shall be provided from the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged FY 2023/2024 planning grant.

In addition, MetroPlan Orlando may utilize its General Planning Consultant (GPC) to provide assistance to the CONTRACTOR for mutually agreed upon projects within the budget provided in the UPWP.

All travel must be approved in advance by MetroPlan Orlando and follow the guidelines and reimbursement schedule set in the MetroPlan Orlando travel policies and procedures document. Invoices that include travel must include a State of Florida Voucher for Reimbursement of Travel Expenses form properly completed along with appropriate receipts attached.

IV. **PAYMENT**

All invoices received by the ORGANIZATION are payable within thirty (30) days from receipt, provided they have first been approved by the ORGANIZATION, and the ORGANIZATION's representatives have accepted the Work. Invoicing shall be submitted monthly within 21 days of month end.

Final invoices for the MetroPlan Orlando Fiscal Year (June 30, 2024) must be received and approved by MetroPlan Orlando on or before July 31, 2024. Work completed and/or costs incurred by the CONTRACTOR, or its consultants/subconsultants/contractors, must be invoiced to MetroPlan Orlando for the Fiscal Year in which the work occurred. Failure to invoice in a timely manner may result in refusal of payment as funds may no longer be available from the grants from which the funds are paid.

The ORGANIZATION reserves the right, with justification, to partially pay any invoice submitted by the CONTRACTOR when requested to do so by the using department. All invoices must clearly indicate the funding source and fiscal year as stated herein. All invoices shall contain an original signature of an authorized official of the CONTRACTOR along with a progress report and shall be directed to the Department of Finance, MetroPlan Orlando, 250 S Orange Ave, Ste 200, Orlando, Florida 32801.

Prompt Payment

A. MetroPlan Orlando requires that the prime Contractor or Consultant shall, before receipt of any progress payment under the provisions of this contract, certify that the prime Contractor or Consultant has disbursed to all subcontractors and suppliers having an interest in the contract their pro rata shares of the payment out of previous progress payments received by the prime Contractor or Consultant for all work completed and materials furnished in the previous period, less any retainage withheld

by the prime Contractor or Consultant pursuant to an agreement with a subcontractor, as approved by MetroPlan Orlando for payment. MetroPlan Orlando shall not make any such progress payment before receipt of such certification, unless the Contractor demonstrates good cause for not making any such required payment and furnishes written notification of any such good cause to both MetroPlan Orlando and the affected subcontractors and suppliers.

- B. MetroPlan Orlando requires the prime Contractor or Consultant shall, within 30 days of receipt of the final progress payment or any other payments received thereafter, to pay all subcontractors and suppliers having an interest in the contract their pro rata shares of the payment for all work completed and materials furnished, unless the contractor demonstrates good cause for not making any such required payment and furnishes written notification of any such good cause to both MetroPlan Orlando and the affected subcontractors or suppliers within such 30-day period.

V. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- A. **Patents** The CONTRACTOR shall pay all royalties and assume all costs arising from the use of any invention, design, process, materials, equipment, product or device in performance of the Work, which is the subject of patent rights or copyrights. CONTRACTOR shall, at its own expense, hold harmless and defend the ORGANIZATION against any claim, suit or proceeding brought against the ORGANIZATION which is based upon a claim, whether rightful or otherwise, that the Work, or any part thereof, furnished under this Agreement, constitutes an infringement of any patent or copyright of the United States. The CONTRACTOR shall pay all damages and costs awarded against the ORGANIZATION.

B. **Termination for Default**

1. The performance of Work under this Agreement may be terminated by the ORGANIZATION, in whole or in part, in writing, whenever it shall determine that the CONTRACTOR has failed to meet the performance requirements of this Agreement.
2. The ORGANIZATION has a right to terminate for default if the CONTRACTOR fails to make delivery of the supplies or perform the Work, or if the CONTRACTOR fails to perform the Work within the time specified in the Agreement, or if the CONTRACTOR fails to perform any other provisions of the Agreement.

C. **Termination for Convenience**

The ORGANIZATION may terminate this Agreement at its convenience with advance written notice to the CONTRACTOR. In the event of such a termination by the ORGANIZATION, the ORGANIZATION shall be liable for the payment of all Work properly performed prior to the effective date of termination. This Agreement may be canceled by the ORGANIZATION or the CONTRACTOR upon no less than thirty (30) days notice, with or without cause. Notice shall be delivered by certified mail, return receipt requested, or in person with proof of delivery. In case of cancellation, only the percent of satisfactory progress actually achieved through the date of cancellation and any irrevocable commitments will be due and payable to the CONTRACTOR.

In the event that the CONTRACTOR's project director becomes unable or unwilling to continue the project activities hereunder, and a mutually acceptable substitute is not available, the ORGANIZATION shall have the option to cancel this Agreement.

D. **Warranty**

The CONTRACTOR warrants that the Work including equipment and materials provided shall conform to professional standards of care and practice in effect at the time the Work is performed, and be free from all faults, defects or errors. Whenever required by

the specifications of the Request for Proposal, the CONTRACTOR warrants that all equipment and materials provided shall be new. If the CONTRACTOR is notified in writing of a fault, deficiency or error in the Work provided within one (1) year from completion of the Work, the CONTRACTOR shall, at the ORGANIZATION's option, either re-perform such portions of the Work to correct such fault, defect or error, at no additional cost to the ORGANIZATION, or refund to the ORGANIZATION, the charge paid by the ORGANIZATION, which is attributable to such portions of the faulty, defective or erroneous Work, including the costs for re-performance of the work provided by other Contractors.

E. Time of Completion

The parties understand and agree that time is of the essence in the performance of this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR or ORGANIZATION, respectively, shall not be liable for any loss or damage, resulting from any delay or failure to perform its contractual obligations within the time specified, due to acts of God, actions or regulations by any governmental entity or representative, strikes or other labor trouble, fire, or any other causes, contingencies or circumstances not subject to the CONTRACTOR's or ORGANIZATION's control, respectively, whether of a similar or dissimilar nature, which prevent or hinder the performance of the CONTRACTOR's or ORGANIZATION's contractual obligations, respectively. Any such causes of delay, even though existing on the date of the Agreement or on the date of the start of Work, shall extend the time of the CONTRACTOR's or ORGANIZATION's performance respectively, by the length of the delays occasioned thereby, including delays reasonably incident to the resumption of normal Work schedules. However, under such circumstances as described herein, the Director of Finance may at his/her discretion cancel this Agreement for the convenience of the ORGANIZATION.

F. Indemnification and Insurance

1. Indemnity

The CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the ORGANIZATION, its officers, agents, and employees, from and against any and all liability, claims, damages, demands, expenses, fees, fines, penalties, suits, proceedings, actions, and costs of actions, including attorneys' fees for trial and on appeal, and for the preparation of same to the extent caused by the CONTRACTOR's, its officers', agents', and employees' negligent acts, or omissions associated with this Agreement.

2. Insurance Requirements

The CONTRACTOR, at its own expense, shall keep in force and at all times maintain during the term of this Agreement:

(a.) **Commercial General Liability Insurance:**

Commercial General Liability Insurance, issued by responsible insurance companies and in a form acceptable to the ORGANIZATION, protecting and insuring against all the foregoing with coverage limits of not less than Five-Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) for Bodily Injury and Property Damage.

(b.) **Automobile Liability Insurance:**

Automobile Liability coverage shall be in the minimum amount of Three-Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000) combined single limits for Bodily Injury and Property Damage.

(c.) **Workers' Compensation Coverage:**

Full and complete Workers' Compensation Coverage, as required by State of Florida law, shall be provided.

(d.) **Insurance Certificates:**

The CONTRACTOR shall provide the ORGANIZATION with Certificate(s) of Insurance on all the policies of insurance and renewals thereof in a form(s) acceptable to the ORGANIZATION.

Said Commercial General Liability policy shall provide that the ORGANIZATION be an additional named insured. The ORGANIZATION shall be notified in writing of any reduction, cancellation or substantial change of policy or policies at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of said action.

All insurance policies shall be issued by responsible companies who are acceptable to the ORGANIZATION and licensed and authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida.

G. Acceptance

The ORGANIZATION will be deemed to have accepted the Work after the ORGANIZATION is notified by the Executive Director of the ORGANIZATION, or his designee, of his satisfaction that the work has been completed.

H. Correction of Work

The CONTRACTOR shall promptly correct all Work rejected by the ORGANIZATION as failing to conform to this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR shall bear all costs of correcting such rejected Work.

I. Right to Audit Records

The ORGANIZATION shall be entitled to audit the books and records of the CONTRACTOR or any sub-contractor to the extent that such books and records relate to the performance of this Agreement or any sub-contract to this Agreement.

Such books and records shall be maintained by the CONTRACTOR for a period of five (5) years from the date of final payment under this Agreement and by the sub-contractor for a period of five (5) years from the date of final payment under the sub-contract unless a shorter period is otherwise authorized in writing.

J. Time is of the Essence

The parties agree that time is of the essence in the completion of the Work called for under this Agreement.

The CONTRACTOR agrees that all Work shall be prosecuted regularly, diligently, and uninterrupted at such a rate of progress as will ensure full completion thereof within the time specified.

K. Information

All information and data furnished to or developed for the ORGANIZATION by the CONTRACTOR or its employees, pursuant to this Agreement, excluding previously copywritten materials, shall be the sole property of the ORGANIZATION and all rights therein are reserved by the ORGANIZATION, except that the CONTRACTOR may disclose any such information to its corporate affiliates and their agents.

L. Extra Work

The ORGANIZATION, without invalidating this Agreement, may order changes in the Work within the general scope of this Agreement consisting of additions, deletions, or other revisions, the Agreement price and time being adjusted accordingly. All such changes in the Work shall be authorized by written Addendum to this Agreement, and shall be executed under the applicable conditions of the Agreement.

If the CONTRACTOR plans to make a claim for an increase in the Agreement price or an extension in the Agreement Schedule/Term, he shall first give the ORGANIZATION written notice thereof, such notice shall be given within ten (10) calendar days after the occurrence of the event giving rise to such a claim. This written notice shall be given by the CONTRACTOR to the ORGANIZATION, and a written approval secured from the ORGANIZATION shall be required, before proceeding to execute the Work. No claim

for extra work will be considered valid by the ORGANIZATION unless first submitted in writing.

M. Familiarity with the Work

The CONTRACTOR by executing this Agreement, acknowledges full understanding of the extent and character of the Work required and the conditions surrounding the performance thereof. The ORGANIZATION will not be responsible for any alleged misunderstanding of the Work to be furnished or completed, or any misunderstanding of conditions surrounding the performance thereof.

It is understood that the execution of this Agreement by the CONTRACTOR serves as his stated commitment to fulfill all the conditions referred to in this Agreement.

N. Title and Risk of Loss

The title and risk of loss to the Work shall pass from the CONTRACTOR to the ORGANIZATION upon the ORGANIZATION's final acceptance of the Work.

VI. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

By this Agreement, the parties intend to establish between them the relationship of mutually independent contractors. Each party and the officers, employees, agents, subcontractors, or other contractors thereof shall not be deemed by virtue of the Agreement to be the officers, agents, or employees of the other party. To the extent required by law, each party assumes the risk of all liability arising from its respective activities pursuant to this Agreement and from the acts or omissions of its respective officers, agents and employees, provided however, that such assumption of risk and liability is expressly limited by section 768.28, Florida Statutes.

VII. AUDIT AND INSPECTION

The services provided herein involve the expenditure of federal funds. In the event federal funds administered by a federal agency are involved, it is understood and agreed that all rights of MetroPlan Orlando relating to inspection, review, approval and audit of the work, tracings, plans, specifications, maps, data, and cost records relating to this Agreement shall also be reserved and held by authorized representatives of the State of Florida Department of Transportation and the U.S. Department of Transportation.

The CONTRACTOR shall permit, upon prior written notice and during normal business hours, and require its subcontractors to permit the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Federal Transit Administration (FTA), Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), or their authorized representatives to inspect all work, materials, payrolls, invoices of materials, and other relevant data and records pertaining to the Project; and to audit the books, records, and account of the CONTRACTOR, pertaining to the development of the Project. Records of costs incurred under terms of this Agreement shall be maintained and made available upon request to FTA, FDOT or their authorized representatives at all times during the period of a specific Unified Planning Work Program and for five (5) years after final payment is made on a specific Unified Planning Program. Copies of these documents and records shall be furnished to FHWA, FTA, FDOT or their authorized representatives upon request.

VIII. ACCOUNTING RECORDS

A. Costs Incurred for the Project. The CONTRACTOR shall charge to the Project account all eligible costs of the Project. Costs in excess of the latest approved budget or attributable to actions which have not received the required approval of the Organizations shall not be considered eligible costs. Determination of eligible costs shall meet all requirements of Federal Procurement Regulations Part 1 15 and 2 CFR 200.

- B. Documentation of Project Costs.** All costs charged to the Project including any approved services contributed by the CONTRACTOR or others, shall be supported as required by records, invoices, or vouchers evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. A work progress report shall be submitted with the invoices, or under separate cover, by the CONTRACTOR and shall be an indication of that work performed by the CONTRACTOR for that time period.

IX. SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENTS

It is understood and agreed that, in order to permit federal participation, no supplemental agreement of any nature may be entered into by the parties hereto with regard to the work to be performed hereunder without the approval of the U.S. Department of Transportation, anything to the contrary in this Agreement notwithstanding. This Agreement shall not be amended or modified except by a writing signed by both parties. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes and replaces all prior written or oral agreements relating to the matters set forth.

A "Third Party Subcontractor" letter (Exhibit B) shall be completed as appropriate and forwarded to all subcontractors providing goods or services funded by Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund monies. Distribution of the letters should coincide with the execution date of the grant or contract. A copy of each letter shall be provided to METROPLAN ORLANDO and to the Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged.

X. RESTRICTIONS, PROHIBITIONS, CONTROLS AND LABOR PROVISIONS

- A. Prohibitions.** During the performance of this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR agrees as follows:
- 1) A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.
 - 2) In accordance with Section 287.134, Florida Statutes, an entity or affiliate who has been placed on the Discriminatory Vendor List, kept by the Florida Department of Management Services, may not submit a bid on a contract to provide goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and may not transact business with any public entity.
 - 3) An entity or affiliate who has had its Certificate of Qualification suspended, revoked, denied or have further been determined by the Department to be a non-responsible contractor may not submit a bid or perform work for the construction or repair of a public building or public work on a contract with the MPO.
 - 4) Neither MetroPlan Orlando nor any of its contractors and consultants or their subcontractors and subconsultants shall enter into any contract, subcontract or arrangement in connection with the Project or any property included or planned to be included in the Project in which any member, officer or employee of MetroPlan

Orlando or the entities that are part of MetroPlan Orlando during tenure or for 2 years thereafter has any interest, direct or indirect. If any such present or former member, officer or employee involuntarily acquires or had acquired prior to the beginning of tenure any such interest, and if such interest is immediately disclosed to MetroPlan Orlando, MetroPlan Orlando, with prior approval of the Florida Department of Transportation, may waive the prohibition contained in this paragraph provided that any such present member, officer or employee shall not participate in any action by MetroPlan Orlando or the locality relating to such contract, subcontract or arrangement. MetroPlan Orlando shall insert in all contracts entered into in connection with the Project or any property included or planned to be included in any Project, and shall require its contractors and consultants to insert in each of their subcontracts, the following provision:

- 5) "No member, officer or employee of MetroPlan Orlando or of the locality during his or her tenure or for 2 years thereafter shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in this contract or the proceeds thereof."
- 6) The provisions of this paragraph shall not be applicable to any agreement between MetroPlan Orlando and its fiscal depositories or to any agreement for utility services the rates for which are fixed or controlled by a governmental agency.
- 7) No member or delegate to the Congress of the United States shall be admitted to any share or part of this Agreement or any benefit arising therefrom.

- B. Equal Employment Opportunity.** There shall be no discrimination against any employee who is employed in the work covered by this Agreement, or against any applicant for such employment, because of race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin. This provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, advertising, layoff or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation or selection for training, including apprenticeship. The CONTRACTOR shall insert a similar provision in all subcontracts for services covered by this Contract.
- C. Disadvantaged Business Enterprises.** Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) shall have the maximum opportunity to participate in the performance of contracts financed in whole or in part with federal funds.

Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE): The CONTRACTOR shall agree to abide by the statements in Paragraph (1) and (2) which follow. These statements shall be included in all subsequent agreements between the CONTRACTOR and any subconsultant or contractor.

1. **Policy:** It is the policy of MetroPlan Orlando that disadvantaged businesses, as defined by *49 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26*, shall have an opportunity to participate in the performance of Organization contracts in a non-discriminatory environment. The objectives of the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program are to ensure non-discrimination in the award and administration of contracts, ensure firms fully meet eligibility standards, help remove barriers to participation, create a level playing field, assist in development of a firm so it can compete successfully outside of the program, provide flexibility, and ensure narrow tailoring of the program.
2. MetroPlan Orlando and its contractors and consultants agree to ensure that DBE's have the opportunity to participate in the performance of this Agreement. In this regard, the CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and reasonable steps in accordance with applicable federal and state laws and regulations to ensure that the DBE's have the opportunity to compete for and perform contracts. The MPO and its contractors, consultants, subcontractors

and subconsultants shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in the award and performance of contracts, entered pursuant to this Agreement.

This policy covers in part the applicable federal regulations and the applicable statutory references contained therein for the *Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program Plan, Chapters 33 7 and 339, Florida Statutes, and Rule Chapter 14-78, Florida Administrative Code.*

It is understood and agreed that if the CONTRACTOR at any time learns that the certification it provided MetroPlan Orlando in compliance with 49 CFR, Section 23.51, was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances, the CONTRACTOR shall provide immediate written notice to MetroPlan Orlando's Administrative Management as defined in Article II. It is further agreed that the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion – Lower Tier Covered Transaction" as set forth in 49 CFR, Section 29.510, shall be included by the CONTRACTOR in all lower tier covered transactions and in all aforementioned federal regulation.

- D. Incorporation of Provisions.** The CONTRACTOR will include the provision of paragraphs (A) through (C) in every subcontract, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, order, or instructions issued pursuant thereto. The CONTRACTOR will take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as necessary as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance, provided, however, that in the event the CONTRACTOR becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the CONTRACTOR may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

Contract Assurance

The contractor or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR part 26 in the award and administration of USDOT assisted contracts. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the recipient deems appropriate.

- E. Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) DBE Policy.** For contracts using Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) planning funds, the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) DBE policy must be followed.
1. All proposals with PL (or other FHWA) funds as the payment source will not have DBE as part of the evaluation scoring process, i.e. evaluation and award will be race and revenue neutral. The evaluation scoring sheets should not have points on it.
 2. The DBE goal is 10.65% for FHWA funds. This goal changes annually in October as set by FDOT.

- F. **E-Verify.** Vendor/Consultant shall utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system, in accordance with the terms governing use of the system, to confirm the employment eligibility of:
1. all persons employed by the Vendor/Consultant during the term of the Contract to perform employment duties within Florida; and
 2. all persons, including subcontractors, assigned by the Vendor/Consultant to perform work pursuant to the contract with the MetroPlan Orlando.
- G. **Section 339.135(6)(a), Florida Statutes**

In the event this Agreement, and/or Task Work Orders assigned from this Agreement, is in excess of \$25,000 and has a term for a period of more than one year, the provisions of Section 339.135(6)(a), Florida Statutes, are hereby incorporated:

"The Florida Department of Transportation (The Department), during any fiscal year, shall not expend money, incur any liability, or enter into any contract which, by its terms, involves the expenditure of money in excess of the amounts budgeted as available for expenditure during such fiscal year. Any contract, verbal or written, made in violation of this subsection is null and void, and no money may be paid on such contract. The Department shall require a statement from the comptroller of the Department that funds are available prior to entering into any such contract or other binding commitment of funds. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the making of contracts for periods exceeding 1 year, but any contract so made shall be executory only for the value of the services to be rendered or agreed to be paid for in succeeding fiscal years, and this paragraph shall be incorporated verbatim in all contracts of the Department which are for an amount in excess of \$25,000 and which have a term for a period of more than 1 year."

XI. **COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL CONDITIONS AND LAWS**

- A. The CONSULTANT shall comply and require its subconsultants to comply with all terms and conditions of this Agreement and all federal, state, and local laws and regulations applicable to this Project. Execution of this Agreement constitutes a certification that the CONSULTANT is in compliance with, and will require its subconsultants to comply with, all requirements imposed by applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
- B. The CONSULTANT shall comply with the "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion – Lower Tier Covered Transactions," in 49 C.F.R. Part 29, and 2 C.F.R. Part 200 when applicable and include applicable required provisions in all contracts and subcontracts entered into pursuant to this Agreement.
- C. **Title VI Assurances:** The CONSULTANT will comply with all the requirements imposed by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation issued thereunder, and the assurance by the CONSULTANT pursuant thereto, including but not limited to the requirements set forth in Exhibit "C", Title VI Assurances. The CONSULTANT shall include the attached Exhibit "C", Title VI Assurances, in all contracts with subconsultants and subcontractors performing work

on the Project that ensure compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 49 C.F.R. Part 21, and related statutes and regulations.

XII. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Intellectual property that is created and/or developed under this Agreement by CONTRACTOR employees shall be in the public domain. Intellectual property that is created and/or developed under this Agreement by ORGANIZATION employees shall also be in the public domain. Likewise, intellectual property that is created and/or developed under this Agreement jointly by CONTRACTOR and ORGANIZATION employees shall be in the public domain. Any intellectual property that is conceived and/or reduced to practice during the term of this agreement by CONTRACTOR and/or ORGANIZATION employees working on this project and that relates to this project shall be presumed to have been created and/or developed under this Agreement and any use of such intellectual property shall provide appropriate credit be given to the CONTRACTOR and/or Company for such use.

With respect to any invention developed with the use of Federal funding in which the CONTRACTOR retains or is assigned title hereunder, the Federal Government shall have a nonexclusive, nontransferable, irrevocable, paid-up license to practice or have practiced for or on behalf of the United States the subject invention throughout the world.

XIII. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

- A. The CONTRACTOR shall not employ subcontractors without the advance written permission of the ORGANIZATION.
- B. Assignment of this Agreement: The CONTRACTOR shall not assign any interest in this Agreement, and shall not transfer any interest in the same (whether by assignment or novation), without the prior written consent of ORGANIZATION; provided, however, that claims for money due or to become due to the CONTRACTOR from ORGANIZATION under this Agreement may be assigned to a bank, trust company or other financial institution without such approval. Notice of any such assignment or transfer shall be furnished.
- C. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations pertaining to the performance of Work under this Agreement.
- D. No waiver, alterations, consent or modification of any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the Executive Director or his designee.
- E. The CONTRACTOR is to procure all permits, licenses, and certificates, or any such approvals of plans or specifications as may be required by federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations, for the proper execution and completion of the Work under this Agreement.
- F. All disputes between the parties shall be resolved in accordance with the ORGANIZATION's Purchasing Policy.
- G. This Agreement is considered a non-exclusive Agreement between the parties.
- H. This Agreement is deemed to be under and shall be governed by, and construed according to, the laws of the State of Florida.
- I. Any litigation arising out of this Agreement shall be had in the Courts of Orange County, Florida.
- J. The undersigned hereby certify that this Agreement is made without prior understanding, agreement or connection with any corporation, firm or person who submitted bids for the Work covered by this Agreement and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud.

As to CONTRACTOR, the undersigned hereby warrants and certifies that he/she is authorized to enter into this Agreement and to execute same on behalf of the CONTRACTOR as the act of the said CONTRACTOR.

This Agreement, including any Exhibits hereto, contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. No other agreements, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement shall be deemed to exist or to bind either party hereto.

- K. This Agreement is valid and enforceable only upon being signed by persons authorized to bind the ORGANIZATION and the CONTRACTOR hereto.
- L. It is expressly understood and agreed to that the ORGANIZATION shall be bound by the terms of this Agreement only to the extent that there are Funds available in the fiscal year budgets to perform its obligations hereunder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their undersigned officials as duly authorized, effective on the date last signed below.

MetroPlan Orlando

Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority

By: _____
Signature

By: _____
Signature

Gary Huttman, Executive Director

Tiffany Homler Hawkins, Chief Executive Officer

Date: _____

Date: _____

Exhibit A - Project Scope & Budget
Original Budget

Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority Participation
FY 2023/2024 Orlando Urban Area Unified Planning Work Program
PL & TD Funded Tasks for FY 2023/2024

Element	Element Description	PL	TD	Total
200	LYNX Planning Activities	\$ 350,000.00	\$ 80,000.00	\$ 430,000.00

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**Exhibit B
Form Letter**

July 1, 2022
Third Party Subcontractor
Address
City, State, Zip

Dear Subcontractor:

As a contracted operator in the Central Florida Regional Transportation System, you are entitled to prompt payment for services funded by the Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund as outlined in the Planning Grant executed between the Commission and the DOPA as follows:

21.20 Payment to Subcontractors: Payment by the Grantee to all subcontractors with approved third party contracts shall be in compliance with Section 287.0585, Florida Statutes. Each third party contract from the Grantee to a subcontractor for goods or services to be performed in whole or in part with Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund moneys, must contain the following statement:

When a contractor receives from a state agency any payment for contractual services, commodities, supplies or construction contracts, except those construction contracts subject to the provisions of Chapter 339, the contractor shall pay such moneys received to each subcontractor and supplier in proportion to the percentage of work completed by each subcontractor and supplier at the time of receipt of the payment. If the contractor receives less than full payment, then the contractor shall be required to disburse only the funds received on a pro rata basis with the contractor, subcontractors, and suppliers, each receiving a prorated portion based on the amount due on the payment. If the contractor, without reasonable cause, fails to make payments required by this section to subcontractors and suppliers within 7 working days after the receipt by the contractor of full or partial payment, the contractor shall pay to the subcontractors and suppliers a penalty in the amount of one-half of 1 percent of the amount due, per day, from the expiration of the period allowed herein for payment. Such penalty shall be in addition to actual payments owed and shall not exceed 15 percent of the outstanding balance due. In addition to other fines or penalties, a person found not in compliance with any provision of this subsection may be ordered by the court to make restitution for attorney's fees and all related costs to the aggrieved party or the Department of Legal Affairs when it provides legal assistance pursuant to this section. The Department of Legal Affairs may provide legal assistance to subcontractors or vendors in proceedings brought against contractors under the provisions of this section.

If you feel that the Designated Official Planning Agency is not fulfilling the obligations as outlined in the above paragraph, you can seek assistance through the Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged Ombudsman Program Helpline at 1-800-983-2435 (TTY 1-800-648-6084). In addition, a Vendor Ombudsman at the Department of Financial Services may be contacted at (850) 413-5516 or toll free (800) 342-2762 for assistance.

Sincerely,

Johnny L. Planner
Super Florida Planning Agency
Designated Official Planning Agency

Cc: Steve Holmes, Executive Director
Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged

EXHIBIT C

TITLE VI ASSURANCES

During the performance of this Agreement, the MPO, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "contractor") agrees as follows:

- (1.) **Compliance with REGULATIONS:** The contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in federally-assisted programs of the U.S. Department of Transportation (hereinafter, "USDOT) *Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21*, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the **REGULATIONS**), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.
- (2.) **Nondiscrimination:** The contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the selection and retention of sub-contractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by **Section 21.5** of the **REGULATIONS**, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in **Appendix B** of the **REGULATIONS**.
- (3.) **Solicitations for Sub-contractors, including Procurements of Materials and Equipment:** In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the contractor for work to be performed under sub-contract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment, each potential sub-contractor or supplier shall be notified by the contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the **REGULATIONS** relative to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex.
- (4.) **Information and Reports:** The contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the **REGULATIONS** or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the *Florida Department of Transportation* or the *Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration* to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such **REGULATIONS**, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the contractor shall so certify to the *Florida Department of Transportation, or the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, or Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration* as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
- (5.) **Sanctions for Noncompliance:** In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the Florida Department of Transportation shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, or Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - a. withholding of payments to the contractor under the contract until the contractor complies, and/or
 - b. cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.
- (6.) **Incorporation of Provisions:** The contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every sub-contract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the **REGULATIONS**, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any sub-contract or procurement as the *Florida Department of Transportation* or the *Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, or Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration* may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for

noncompliance, provided, however, that, in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a sub-contractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the contractor may request the *Florida Department of Transportation* to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the *Florida Department of Transportation*, and, in addition, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

- (7.) **Compliance with Nondiscrimination Statutes and Authorities:** Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., 78 stat. 252), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin); and 49 CFR Part 21; The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 U.S.C. § 4601), (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects); Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973, (23 U.S.C. § 324 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex); Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, (29 U.S.C. § 794 et seq.), as amended, (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR Part 27; The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age); Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982, (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended, (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex); The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, (PL 100-209), (Broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, The Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms “programs or activities” to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal-aid recipients, sub-recipients and contractors, whether such programs or activities are Federally funded or not); Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing entities (42 U.S.C. §§ 12131 – 12189) as implemented by Department of Transportation regulations at 49 C.F.R. parts 37 and 38; The Federal Aviation Administration’s Non-discrimination statute (49 U.S.C. § 47123) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex); Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, which ensures non-discrimination against minority populations by discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations; Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination because of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, you must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to your programs (70 Fed. Reg. at 74087 to 74100); Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq).

EXHIBIT D

STATE AGENCY: Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged

CSFA #: 55.002

TITLE: Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged Planning Grant Pass-Through Funds

AMOUNT: \$70,000

COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Allowed Activities: The TD Planning Grant is to provide financial assistance to accomplish the duties and responsibilities of the Official Planning Agency (MPO) as set forth in Chapter 427, Florida Statutes, Rule 41-2, Florida Administrative Code, Commission policies, and the Application and Policy Manual for Transportation Disadvantaged Planning Related Services; and as further described in this Agreement and in Exhibit A attached hereto and by this reference made a part thereof.

The TD grant pass-through funds are intended to fund the preparation of the Annual Operating Report, the updating of the Memorandum(s) of Agreement, the preparation of the Transportation Disadvantaged Service Plan, and the application for the Trip Equipment Grant from the FCTD, as enumerated in UPWP Task Number 200.

Allowable Cost: See above and Exhibit "A" attached hereto.

Cash Management: N/A

Eligibility:

Applicant eligibility: Planning Grant Funds, derived exclusively from the Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund, may only be used by the Commission and the Grantee to undertake planning activities.

Beneficiary eligibility:

The recipient of the pass-through funds, the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority (LYNX), is eligible for such State funding by virtue of being the metropolitan planning organization's appointed Community Transportation Coordinator. Powers and duties of the CTC are established in Chapter 427, F.S. and Rule 41-02. Task 350 of the UPWP defines allowed tasks such as:

- Preparation of the Transportation Disadvantaged element of the area's TIP
- Development and annual update of the Transportation Disadvantaged Service Plan
- Annual performance evaluation of the CTC by the Coordinating Board
- Maintaining of LCB grievance procedures, bylaws and other tasks required by Chapter 427, F.S.

Matching: There is no matching requirement under this grant.

EXHIBIT E

Federal resources awarded to the Recipient pursuant to this Agreement consist of the following:

FEDERAL AGENCY: Federal Highway Administration

AUTHORIZATION: 23 U.S.C. 134 and 450

AMOUNT: \$350,000

CFDA #: 20.200

COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Allowed Activities:

Activities assisted under this section requires that each urbanized or metropolitan area, as a condition to the receipt of federal capital or operating assistance, have a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process that results in plans and programs reflecting consideration of the likely effect of transportation policy decisions on land use and development and the consistency of transportation plans and programs with the provisions of all applicable short and long-term land use and development plans.

The TD grant pass-through funds are intended to fund the preparation of the Annual Operating Report, the updating of the Memorandum(s) of Agreement, the preparation of the Transportation Disadvantaged Service Plan, and the application for the Trip Equipment Grant from the FCTD, as enumerated in UPWP Task Number 200.

Allowable Cost: Varies per negotiated document at bid rates for services.

Cash Management: N/A

Eligibility:

Applicant eligibility:

The MPO is to be the recipient of metropolitan planning funds (PL Funds) authorized under 23 U.S.C. 104 (f) to carry out the provisions of 23 U.S.C. 134. Apportionments are made to the States for formula distribution to the Metropolitan Planning Organization to be used in urbanized areas within each State.

Beneficiary eligibility:

Apportionments are made to States for formula distribution to the Metropolitan Planning Organizations to be used for the purpose of aiding the metropolitan transportation planning process.

Matching: NA

Compliance Requirements Applicable To The Federal Resources Awarded Pursuant To This Agreement Are As Follows:

The recipient of Federal Highway Grant funding must comply with the statutory requirements in 49 CFR 18, 2 CFR 200, and Section 287.055, Florida Statutes.

1. 23 USC 104 (f) sets aside metropolitan planning funds (PL funds) for metropolitan planning organizations (MPOs) to carry out the transportation planning provisions of 23 USC 134.
2. 23 USC 134 requires in general that an MPO plan for the transportation needs of its area in a manner that is continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive. In particular, it requires the MPO to develop specific plans and programs such as a long range transportation plan, a transportation improvement program, and a unified planning work program.
3. In addition to the broad provisions of 23 USC 104 and 134, eligible uses of PL funds are governed by OMB Circular A-87 (Cost Principles for State, Local, and Indian Tribal Governments).
4. Federal funds can be used only to reimburse costs that are (a) incurred subsequent to the date of authorization to proceed, except for certain property acquisition costs permitted under 23 USC 108; (b) in accordance with the conditions contained in the project agreement and the plans, specifications, and estimates (PS&E); (c) allocable to a specific project; and (d) claimed for reimbursement subsequent to the date of the project agreement (23 CFR sections 1.9, 630.106, and 630.205).
5. Costs incurred by the MPO for planning and research work are subject to prior approval from FHWA.

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Consent Agenda Item #6.D. iii

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Michelle Daley
Director Of Finance
Kenneth Roberts
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6014

Item Name: Authorization to Transfer Two (2) Paratransit Turtle Top Vehicles to Health By Design USA, Inc.

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to transfer two (2) Turtle Top Paratransit Buses to Health By Design USA, Inc.

BACKGROUND:

LYNX staff has identified two (2) Turtle Top Paratransit buses for retirement. Health By Design USA, Inc. a Federal 501(c)(3) entity has expressed an interest in receiving the LYNX retired revenue vehicles to transport those who are sick and elderly door-to-door service for medical and basic care.

LYNX staff is preparing a submission to the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) for approval in order to waive or transfer any outstanding obligation associated with the vehicles and the related components, which is currently valued at \$0. The board approved the vehicles for disposition during their regular meetings as follows:

- Asset #140025 Turtle Top Odyssey Bus was approved December 2020 Board Meeting
- Asset #130784 Turtle Top Odyssey Paratransit Bus was approved September 2020 Board Meeting

LYNX Board Agenda

Acquisition Date	Acquisition Value	Activity Code	Class	Company Asset Number	Description	Mgf Serial No	System Number	Net Book as of April 30, 2023
7/31/2014	\$72,328.00	A	RV	140025	TURTLE TOP ODYSSEY BUS	1FDEE4FL9EDA74710	17802	\$0.00
9/30/2013	\$72,023.00	A	RV	130784	TURTLE TOP ODYSSEY PARATRANSIT BUS	1FD4FE4FL8CDB09433	16809	\$0.00

Upon Board of Directors approval, LYNX staff will continue to work with Health By Design USA, Inc. to facilitate the transfer of the vehicles. If the transfer of the vehicles is not successful, LYNX staff will then include them in the upcoming public auction.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The net book value of the two (2) Turtle Top Buses is \$0.

LYNX Board Agenda

Consent Agenda Item #6.D. iv

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Terri Settington
Director Of Human Resources
Brian Anderson
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6106

Item Name: Authorization to Amend the LYNX Money Purchase Plan Governing Plan Document

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is seeking the Board of Directors' adoption of Resolution No. 23-004 ("Resolution") to approve an amendment to the governing plan document for the LYNX Money Purchase Plan.

BACKGROUND:

The LYNX Money Purchase Plan ("Plan") provides tax-qualified retirement benefits to LYNX's administrative employees and employees represented by the Amalgamated Transit Union Local 1749 (commonly referred to as the "supervisors' union").

From time to time it is necessary or desirable to amend the terms of the Plan to reflect all current Plan terms in operation.

The Plan's current governing Plan document contains provisions that were derived from the employment contract for the prior, deceased CEO. It is necessary to amend the governing plan document to remove those provisions.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this activity.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE TO THE LYNX MONEY PURCHASE PLAN

BY THIS AGREEMENT, LYNX Money Purchase Plan (herein referred to as the "Plan") is hereby amended as follows effective January 26, 2023, except as otherwise provided herein:

23. The section of the Adoption Agreement entitled "POST-SEVERANCE COMPENSATION (415 REGULATIONS)" is amended as follows:

Plan Compensation (post-severance compensation adjustments)

- b. [] Defaults apply. Compensation will include (to the extent provided in Plan Section 1.10 and to the extent such amounts would be included in Compensation if paid prior to severance of employment) post-severance regular pay, leave cash-outs, and payments from nonqualified unfunded deferred compensation plans. (skip to Question 24)
c. [] Exclude all post-severance compensation. Exclude all post-severance compensation for allocation purposes.
d. [] Post-severance adjustments. The defaults listed at b. apply except for the following (select one or more):
1. [] Exclude all post-severance compensation
2. [] Regular pay will be excluded
3. [] Leave cash-outs will be excluded
4. [] Nonqualified unfunded deferred compensation will be excluded
5. [] Military Differential Pay will be included
6. [] Disability continuation payments will be included for all Participants and the salary continuation will continue for the following fixed or determinable period:
e. [X] Other: The defaults listed at 23.b apply except Nonqualified unfunded deferred compensation will be excluded. (must be definitely determinable)

24. The section of the Adoption Agreement entitled "EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS (OTHER THAN MATCHING CONTRIBUTIONS)" is amended as follows:

- c. [X] Fixed contribution equal to (only select one):
1. [] % of each Participant's Compensation for each:
a. [] Plan Year
b. [] calendar quarter
c. [] month
d. [] pay period
e. [] week
2. [] \$ per Participant.
3. [] \$ per Hour of Service worked while an Eligible Employee
a. [] up to hours (leave blank if no limit)
4. [X] other: The fixed Employer Contribution is 6% of each Participant's Plan Compensation per pay period for Participants who were hired or re-hired as Eligible Employees by the Employer on or after October 1, 2013. For Participants who were hired or last hired as Eligible Employees by the Employer prior to October 1, 2013, the fixed Employer Contribution is 12% of each Participant's Plan Compensation per pay period. (the formula described must satisfy the definitely determinable requirement under Regulation §1.401-1(b))
NOTE: Under Question 24.c.4., the Employer may only describe the allocation of Nonelective Contributions from the elections available under Question 24.c of this Adoption Agreement and/or a combination thereof as to a Participant group (e.g., a monthly contribution applies to Group A).

The Employer executes this Amendment on the date specified below.

Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority d/b/a LYNX

Date:

By: EMPLOYER

Name: Tiffany Homler Hawkins
Title: CEO

CFRTA RESOLUTION NO. 23-004

**RESOLUTION OF THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (d/b/a/ LYNX) TO AMEND THE
GOVERNING PLAN DOCUMENT FOR THE LYNX MONEY PURCHASE
PLAN**

WHEREAS, LYNX, as the sponsoring employer, previously established the LYNX Money Purchase Plan ("Plan") effective October 1, 1993, and last amended and restated the Plan's governing documents in their entirety effective January 1, 2022; and

WHEREAS, LYNX has the right to further amend the Plan's governing documents at any time; and

WHEREAS, from time to time it is necessary or desirable to amend the Plan to reflect all current Plan terms; and

WHEREAS, LYNX wishes to amend the Plan to remove the provisions derived from the employment contract for the prior, deceased CEO, through adoption of an Amendment Number One to the LYNX Money Purchase Plan in the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A", to reflect all current Plan terms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The amendment of the LYNX Money Purchase Plan contained in the Amendment Number One to the LYNX Money Purchase Plan attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is hereby approved and adopted.
2. The LYNX CEO is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Amendment Number One to the LYNX Money Purchase Plan attached hereto as Exhibit "A", for and on behalf of LYNX.
3. The LYNX CEO, with such assistance as she may require from the Plan's Administrative Committee, the Plan's Board of Trustees, and/or LYNX Human Resources, Finance, or Accounting personnel, is authorized and directed to take all other action as she determines necessary or desirable to effectuate these resolutions.
4. Any and all actions heretofore or hereinafter taken by the Plan's Administrative Committee, the Plan's Board of Trustees, the LYNX CEO, and/or LYNX Human Resources, Finance, or Accounting personnel in connection with any and all of the matters addressed in these resolutions are hereby confirmed and ratified as properly authorized acts of LYNX.

CFRTA RESOLUTION NO. 23-004

**RESOLUTION OF THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (d/b/a/ LYNX) TO AMEND THE
GOVERNING PLAN DOCUMENT FOR THE LYNX MONEY PURCHASE
PLAN**

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2023 by the
Governing Board of the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority.

CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

By: Governing Board

Chair

ATTEST:

Secretary

LYNX Board Agenda

Consent Agenda Item #6.D. v

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Tiffany Homler Hawkins
Chief Executive Officer
Tiffany Homler Hawkins
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6064

Item Name: Approval of Second Amendment to Agreement of Lease with JPG Orlando, LLC

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to enter into the Second Amendment to Agreement of Lease with JPG Orlando, LLC ("JPG") for the property located at 4950 LB McLeod Road to be used for the ACCESS LYNX paratransit operations.

BACKGROUND:

The LYNX Board of Directors approved a five (5) year lease for the above reference property at its March 27, 2014 meeting for paratransit operations to be located there. A First Amendment to Agreement of Lease was signed in April of 2020 that extended the term an additional five (5) years.

At the April 27, 2023 LYNX Board of Directors meeting, the LYNX Board approved the contract for a new vendor that will be providing paratransit services. This Second Amendment to Agreement of Lease will extend the terms for an additional five (5) years which is anticipated to coincide with the terms of the initial contract and any optional years of the new paratransit services vendor.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost of this lease will be included in the appropriate operating budget.

LYNX Board Agenda

Action Agenda Item #7.A

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Michelle Daley
Director Of Finance
Michelle Daley
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6014

Item Name: Authorization to Amend the City of Orlando Funding Agreement for FY2023

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to execute the first amendment to the City of Orlando's Funding Agreement for FY2023.

BACKGROUND:

At the September 2022 Board meeting, the annual funding agreements were approved. Subsequent to that meeting, the City of Orlando and LYNX began to plan the scope and cost of the pilot program with Beep, Inc. to demonstrate autonomous vehicle technologies in the City by deploying, operating, and managing two (2) autonomous vehicles within Creative Village. The Program will involve a nine (9) month project duration including three (3) months of preparation and configuration and six (6) months of revenue service using two (2) autonomous shuttles. The cost of the Program, will be billed by LYNX to the City, and paid by the City to LYNX, on a monthly basis during the nine (9) month project duration, and will not exceed \$500,000.

A copy of the proposed first amendment to the service funding agreement that will be entered into between LYNX and the City of Orlando for Fiscal Year 2023 is attached.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this activity.

**FIRST AMENDMENT TO SERVICE FUNDING AGREEMENT
BY AND BETWEEN
CITY OF ORLANDO, FLORIDA,
AND
CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY
(D/B/A LYNX)**

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT TO SERVICE FUNDING AGREEMENT (“Amendment”), entered into this _____ day of _____, 2023, by and between the **CITY OF ORLANDO, FLORIDA**, a Florida municipal corporation duly created, organized, and existing under, and by virtue of, the laws of the State of Florida, and having its principal place of business at Orlando City Hall, 400 S. Orange Ave., Orlando, Florida 32801 (“**City**”), and the **CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY, d/b/a LYNX**, a Florida body politic and corporate, duly created, organized, and existing under, and by virtue of, Part III, Chapter 343, Florida Statutes, and having its principal place of business at Lynx Central Station, 455 N. Garland Ave., Orlando, Florida 32801 (“**LYNX**”).

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, as provided by Article VIII, section 2(b) of the Constitution of the State of Florida, and section 166.021(1), Florida Statutes, the **City**, a Florida municipal corporation, enjoys all governmental, corporate, and proprietary powers necessary to conduct municipal government, perform municipal functions, and render municipal services, and may exercise any power for municipal purposes, except as expressly prohibited by law; and

WHEREAS, **LYNX** was created and established by Part III, Chapter 343, Florida Statutes, for the purpose of governing and operating a public transportation system and public transportation facilities in Seminole, Orange, and Osceola Counties, and may exercise all powers necessary, appurtenant, convenient, or incidental to the carrying out of said purpose; and

WHEREAS, on October 24, 2022, the **City** and **LYNX** entered into a Service Funding Agreement, “Agreement,” which provided, in part, for the **City’s** funding of **LYNX’** provision of LYMMO services in the **City** of Orlando; and

WHEREAS, Addendum One to the Agreement provided that **LYNX** may be requested by the **City** to participate in the Orlando Future-Ready Initiatives, including strategies to provide safe, affordable, transportation services, the scope and cost of which would be agreed upon at a future date; and

WHEREAS, the **City** and **LYNX** desire to establish a pilot program relating to the provision of automated vehicle transportation services in the **City** of Orlando; and

WHEREAS, the **City** and **LYNX** now desire to amend the Agreement to revise Addendum One; and

WHEREAS, the **City** and **LYNX** hereby find that this Amendment promotes a valid and important public purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and covenants contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, each to the other provided, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the **City** and **LYNX** agree as follows:

1. **Recitals**. The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth hereinafter.

2. **Amendment**. Addendum One to the Agreement is hereby amended and restated to read as follows:

ADDENDUM ONE

Both parties agree that in the future **LYNX** may be requested by the Funding Partner to participate in the Orlando Future - Ready Initiatives including strategies to provide safe, affordable transportation services, the scope and cost of which will be agreed upon by the parties at a future date. It is further agreed that the Funding Partner will reimburse **LYNX** for all project costs associated with such a request.

In support of this request, **LYNX** will enter into a contract(s) with Beep, Inc., which will include a defined scope of work, "Contract," who shall provide a "turn key" transportation service, as a pilot program, "Program," to demonstrate autonomous vehicle technologies in the **City** by deploying, operating, and managing two (2) autonomous vehicles within Creative Village. Each of the autonomous vehicles shall have a minimum seated capacity of eight (8) passengers and shall be wheelchair accessible in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act with no less capacity than one (1) wheelchair securement position. The Contract will also contain other technical details of the Program, such as project cost, other vehicle specifications, routes, schedules, fees, etc., substantially similar to those technical details provided in **Exhibit "A,"** attached hereto. **LYNX** agrees to consult with the **City** prior to finalizing all technical details. The Program will involve a nine (9) month project duration including three (3) months of preparation and configuration and six (6) months of revenue service using two (2) autonomous shuttles. The cost of the Program, will be billed by **LYNX** to the **City**, and paid by the City to **LYNX**, on a monthly basis during the nine (9) month project duration, and will not exceed \$500,000. Except as specifically provided otherwise in this Addendum One, all terms of the Agreement shall apply to **City** and

LYNX relating to **LYNX'** provision of services described in this Addendum One. This Addendum One is subject to the **City's** review and approval of the form of the Contract, which authority to make said determination is hereby delegated to the **City's** Director of Transportation.

3. **Entire Agreement.** This Amendment represents the entire understanding and agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. None of the terms and provisions hereof may be amended, supplemented, waived or changed orally, but only by a writing signed by each of the parties hereto.

4. **Amendment Execution. Use of Counterpart Signature Pages.** This Amendment may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered, shall be an original; but such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

5. **Full Force And Effect Of Agreement.** Except as Addendum One of the Agreement has been specifically amended herein, all other terms and provisions of the Agreement remain valid, effective and in full force.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the **City** and **LYNX** have duly and lawfully approved this Amendment and have authorized its execution and delivery by their respective officers, who have set their hands and had their seals affixed below, all as of the date first written hereinabove.

SIGNATURE PAGE BY CITY

CITY OF ORLANDO, FLORIDA, a Florida municipal corporation:

Mayor / Mayor Pro Tempore

ATTEST, BY THE CLERK OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORLANDO, FLORIDA:

City Clerk Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF ORLANDO, FLORIDA:

Roy K. Payne, Esq. Date
Chief Assistant City Attorney

SIGNATURE PAGE BY LYNX

**FOR THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY, a Florida
statutory agency:**

By: _____
Name: Tiffany Homler Hawkins
Title: Chief Executive Officer
Date: _____

ATTEST:

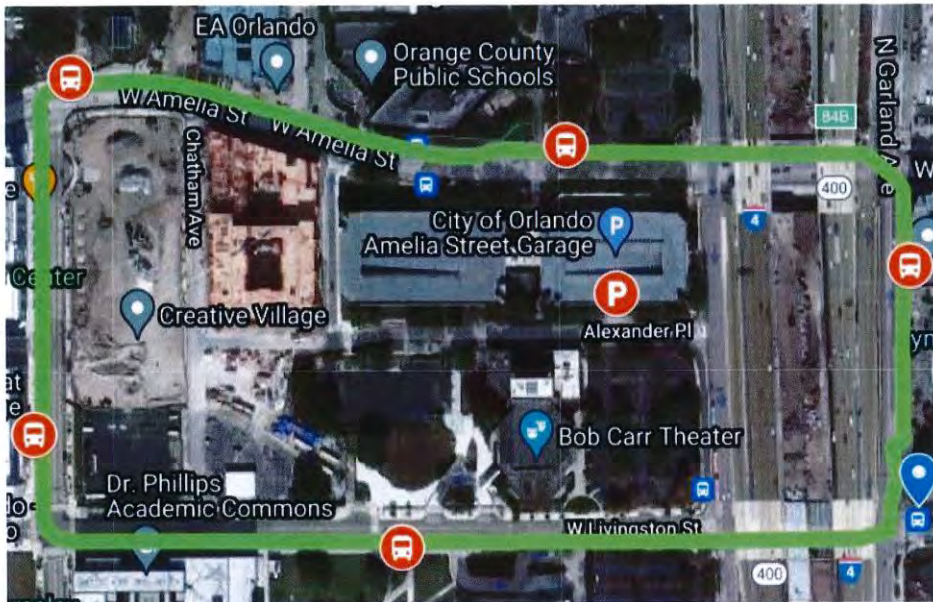
By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____

This Agreement is approved as to form only for execution by LYNX Senior In-House Counsel, and this approval is not to be relied upon by any other person or for any other purpose.

Name: Carrie L. Sarver, Esq., B.C.S.
Title: Senior In-House Counsel
Date: _____

EXHIBIT "A"

ROUTE



The demonstration operated by the Beep autonomous vehicles will operate in service on the route depicted above. Starting in the exclusive LYMMO lane on northbound North Garland Avenue at the posted bus stop adjacent to LYNX Central Station, the vehicle will continue northbound to the intersection of North Garland Avenue and West Amelia Street. It will then operate:

- Left – Turn into LYMMO lane on West Amelia Street heading westbound
- Left – Turn into LYMMO lane on Terry Avenue heading southbound
- Left – Turn into LYMMO lane on West Livingston Street heading eastbound
- Left – Turn into LYMMO lane on North Garland Avenue heading northbound

Note: Route operates in dedicated lanes (except on West Livingston Street under Interstate 4).

Autonomous vehicles will use the LYMMO bus signals, not the normal traffic lights while operating on route (except on West Livingston Street under Interstate 4). The bus signals use bars with the following meanings:

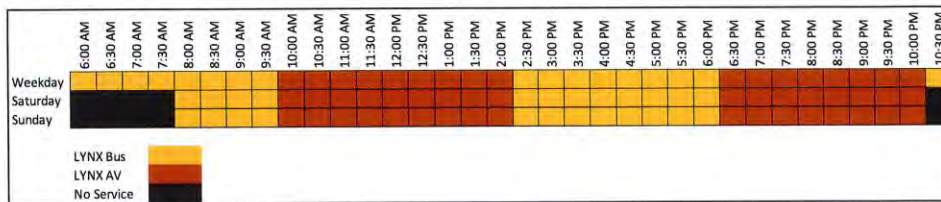
- White horizontal bar means "Stop" (---)
- White slanted bar means "Prepare to Stop" (/ /)
- White vertical bar means "Go" (| |)

ROUTE SCHEDULE

LYNX will continue to provide LYMMO Orange Line service throughout the duration of the demonstration. The demonstration would occur on a small portion of the dedicated lanes during off-peak hours and is intended to operate as part of the LYMMO service with LYMMO branding. The LYMMO buses would provide service on the full Orange Line route when the autonomous vehicles are not in service and would bypass the demonstration loop when the autonomous vehicles are operating, with the autonomous vehicles accessed by a direct transfer, but still considered Orange Line Service.

LYNX Orange Line service is scheduled to operate on weekdays from 6:00 AM to 10:30 PM, Saturdays from 8:00 AM to 10:00 PM, and on Sundays and holidays from 8:00 AM to 10:00 PM. LYNX would operate the demonstration portion of the Orange Line using buses during the peak times before 10:00 AM and between 2:00 PM to 6:30 PM with the autonomous vehicle during off peak times from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM and again from 6:30 PM to 10:30 PM. The buses would also resume service during off peak hours should an autonomous vehicle become unavailable

The proposed coverage time for LYMMO buses versus autonomous vehicles providing service on the Orange Line demonstration area would be as follows:



Beep will provide the following service levels:

- Monday through Friday (Weekday):
 - 10:00 AM to 02:00 PM – 2 vehicles in operation at a headway (frequency) of 8 minutes
 - 06:30 PM to 10:30 PM – 1 vehicle in operation at a headway (frequency) of 15 minutes
- Saturday and Sunday (Weekend):
 - 10:00 AM to 02:00 PM – 1 vehicle in operation at a headway (frequency) of 15 minutes
 - 06:30 PM to 10:30 PM – 1 vehicle in operation at a headway (frequency) of 15 minutes

Holidays:

- No service provided by autonomous vehicles
 - New Year's Day
 - Memorial Day
 - Independence Day
 - Labor Day
 - Thanksgiving Day
 - Christmas Day

FEE SCHEDULE

Service		Fees		
	Description	Per-Item	Total	
Onboarding and Commissioning	Commencement of Commissioning and Implementation	\$30,547	\$61,094	
	Route Analysis		\$9,217	
	Route Validation		\$7,984	
	Regulatory Application		\$7,984	
	Map Generation		\$8,872	
	Completion of Onboarding and Commissioning and Deployment of Autonomous Vehicle		\$10,943	
	Vehicle Wraps	\$3,500	\$7,000	
	Shipping & Freight	\$1,000	\$2,000	
	Total Fee – Onboarding and Commissioning		\$115,094 (one-time fee)	
	Managed Services	Description		
		Per-Item	Total	
Shuttle Rentals (two (2) vehicles)		\$11,620 / month	\$23,240 / month	
Diagnostic and Operations Command Center		\$8,380 / month	\$16,760 / month	
Maintenance Services and Insurance per month per Autonomous Vehicle for two (2) Autonomous Vehicles		\$2,000 / month	\$4,000 / month	
Licensed Applications		\$3,500 / month	\$7,000 / month	
	Total Fee – Managed Services		\$51,000 / month	
Attendant Services	Billed hourly based on actual Attendant Services performed during operation of Autonomous Vehicle in accordance with the Route Schedule		Estimated at \$10,094 / month	
Supervisor Services	Included in the hourly rate for Attendant Services			

Estimated payment schedule:

Month 01	Onboarding – Commencement of onboarding	\$61,094
Month 02	Onboarding – Route analysis, validation, regulatory application, mapping	\$34,057
Month 03	Onboarding – Commissioning, wraps, delivery	\$19,943
Month 04	Managed Services and Attendant Services	\$61,094
Month 05	Managed Services and Attendant Services	\$61,094
Month 06	Managed Services and Attendant Services	\$61,094
Month 07	Managed Services and Attendant Services	\$61,094
Month 08	Managed Services and Attendant Services	\$61,094
Month 09	Managed Services and Attendant Services	\$61,094
	Estimated total:	\$481,658

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Action Agenda Item #7.B

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: William Slot
Chief Innovation Officer
Kenneth Jamison
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6146

Item Name: Authorization to Negotiate and Award a Contract to Beep, Inc.

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or designee to negotiate and award a contract to Beep, Inc. in the not to exceed amount of \$500,000 and to waive the competitive solicitation process provided for in LYNX Administrative Rule 4, *Procurement and Contract Administration*.

BACKGROUND:

LYNX has been requested by the City of Orlando to support a pilot project of two autonomous vehicles to support one of the strategies in the City's adopted Future-Ready City Master Plan. This pilot is intended to help the City of Orlando better understand how autonomous vehicles may integrate into the future of the transit system. It also aligns with the downtown master plan by looking at different user experiences and technology upgrades to improve the downtown circulator bus (LYMMO).

The purpose of the pilot will be to support the continued development of autonomous vehicle technology in a revenue service "living lab" that meets the needs of transit passengers while providing the same or a greater level of service for all passengers. Passengers in Creative Village will include the Parramore neighborhood, Orange County Public school students, college and university students, and employees of technical companies. This will allow feedback from and provide technology familiarization to a broad spectrum of ages and technical levels. It will also demonstrate the operation of the autonomous vehicles in an urban setting including complex multiple lane intersections, and overhead highway, and streets with adjacent pedestrian activity and streetscape. The final report from the pilot will be shared with the Federal Transit Administration and with other transit agencies.

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In support of this request, LYNX is requesting authorization to negotiate and award a contract to Beep, Inc. who shall provide a “turn key” transportation service to demonstrate autonomous vehicle technologies as part of the existing LYMMO Orange Line service by deploying, operating, and managing two (2) autonomous vehicles within Creative Village. Additionally, LYNX staff is requesting authorization to waive the competitive solicitation process provided for in Administrative Rule 4, *Procurement and Contract Administration*.

The pilot will involve a nine (9) month project duration including three (3) months of preparation and configuration and six (6) months of revenue service using two (2) autonomous shuttles. LYNX and the City of Orlando are estimating that the pilot would begin service on August 27, 2023.

The autonomous vehicles will operate during off-peak hours utilizing the existing LYMMO lanes for the Orange Line on West Amelia Street, Terry Avenue, West Livingston Street, and North Garland Avenue. LYNX operated LYMMO buses will provide service during peak hours and when the autonomous vehicles are out of service. The initial service hours provided by Beep, Inc. would be:

Monday through Friday (Weekday):

10:00 AM to 02:00 PM – 2 vehicles in operation at a headway (frequency) of 8 minutes

06:30 PM to 10:30 PM – 1 vehicle in operation at a headway (frequency) of 15 minutes

Saturday and Sunday (Weekend):

10:00 AM to 02:00 PM – 1 vehicle in operation at a headway (frequency) of 15 minutes

06:30 PM to 10:30 PM – 1 vehicle in operation at a headway (frequency) of 15 minutes

Beep, Inc. will not provide autonomous vehicle service on LYNX observed holidays.

The cost of the pilot would be billed through LYNX to the City of Orlando and is not to exceed \$500,000.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

A DBE participation goal is not applicable for this activity.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact for this pilot project of an autonomous vehicle for LYNX. This pilot program is 100% funded by the City of Orlando.

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Action Agenda Item #7.C

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Tiffany Homler Hawkins
Chief Executive Officer
Tiffany Homler Hawkins
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6064

Item Name: Ratification of LYNX CEO Contract

Date: 5/25/2023

The LYNX Board Chairman requests the ratification of the Employment Agreement which he has negotiated for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) position with Ms. Tiffany Homler Hawkins. The agreement was sent under a separate cover to all LYNX Board Members.

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Work Session Item #8.A

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Tiffany Homler Hawkins
Chief Executive Officer
Norman Hickling
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6064

Item Name: Update on Paratransit Services

Date: 5/25/2023

A status report on the transition of ACCESS LYNX paratransit operations from MV Transportation to Transdev Services will be provided by Mr. Norman Hickling, LYNX Director of Mobility Services.

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Work Session Item #8.B

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Terri Settingington
Director Of Human Resources
Terri Settingington
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6106

Item Name: Discussion Regarding Scheduling a Collective Bargaining Executive Session

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff is requesting the Board of Directors' authorization for the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) to schedule a Collective Bargaining Executive Session in anticipation of labor negotiations with the unions.

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Information Item A

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer
John Burkholder
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6125

Item Name: Notification of Settlement Agreements Pursuant to Administrative Rule 6

Date: 5/25/2023

LYNX Liability Claim Settlements April 1 – 30, 2023

Claimant Name	Accident Date	Accident Type	Amount	Date of Check
Law Office of Steve K Marks Trust Account fbo Thomar Blanc	06/09/22	BI	\$7,500.00	04/06/23
Brenda Reeder	03/21/23	PD	\$3,631.73	04/06/23
Dan Newlin Injury Attorneys fbo Theodora Burgan	10/24/16	BI	\$5,000.00	04/13/23
The Arnold Law Group fbo Jonarde Joseph	08/05/20	BI	\$20,000.00	04/13/23
Dan Newlin Injury Attorneys fbo Gary Case	05/02/19	BI	\$75,000.00	04/13/23
Ivelisse Gonzalez and Martinez Manglardi, P.A	04/06/22	WC	\$5,000.00	04/13/23
Morgan and Morgan, PA and Paul Hahn	02/11/22	WC	\$10,000.00	04/27/23
Martinez Manglardi Attorneys Trust Account fbo Maria Torres	02/25/19	BI	\$25,000.00	04/27/23
Dan Newlin Injury Attorneys fbo Graeshmar Miranda Rodriguez	05/01/18	BI	\$20,000.00	04/27/23
Dan Newlin Injury Attorneys fbo Roger Verret	04/17/18	BI	\$65,000.00	04/27/23
Tabetha Rodriguez	03/31/23	BI	\$500.00	04/27/23
Smerlin Alexander Tavaréz Duran	02/09/23	PD	\$842.02	04/27/23
Lorvens Cobite	06/09/22	BI	\$1,200.00	04/27/23

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Information Item B

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Maurice Jones
Director Of Procurement
Wanda Gonzalez
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6057

Item Name: Notification of Sole Source Procurements Pursuant to Administrative Rule 4

Date: 5/25/2023

Pursuant to LYNX Administrative Rule 4, information is attached for the following Sole Source Procurements:

1. Trapeze Group
2. SPX d/b/a Genfare



Sole Source Justification

DATE: April 13, 2023
TO: Maurice Jones, Director of Procurement
REQUESTED BY: Elvis Dovaes, Director of Maintenance
SUBJECT: Additional Trapeze EAM Vehicle Licenses and Support

BACKGROUND: LYNX uses the Trapeze EAM (Enterprise Asset Management) application as its Computerized Maintenance Management System (CMMS). The Trapeze EAM CMMS is used to track and record all fleet related maintenance operations, fueling operations and manage the parts/materials inventory. Each active vehicle must be registered in the Trapeze EAM application through an individual software license in order for the data retention and all operational functions to take place in the application. LYNX wants to add an additional 18 licenses and the associated maintenance, increasing the current number from 434 licenses to 452 in order to support the currently contracted NeighborLink service which will be brought in-house.

SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION: The Trapeze EAM software application is a proprietary product of the Trapeze Group. The licenses requested consist of an application update by way of software update and the required activation license key that can only be sourced from the Trapeze Group.

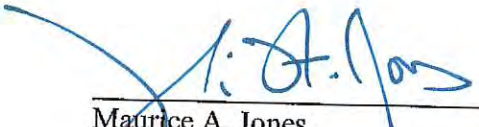
COST/PRICE ANALYSIS: The costs of the licenses and the annual support are based on prior costs and the current maintenance and support contracts between Trapeze Group and LYNX.

Elvis Dovaes
Director of Maintenance

4-13-2023
Date:

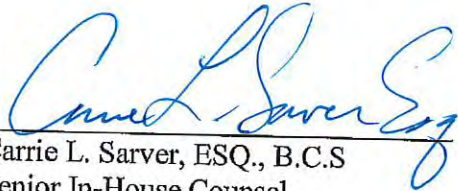
Frank Martin
Chief Operations Officer

4-13-23
Date



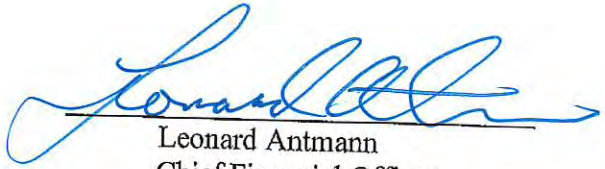
Maurice A. Jones
Director of Procurement

4/27/2023
Date:



Carrie L. Sarver, ESQ., B.C.S.
Senior In-House Counsel

5/3/23
Date:



Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer

5/3/23
Date



Tiffany Homler Hawkins
Chief Executive Officer

5/8/23
Date



Sole Source Justification Letter

DATE: February 7, 2023

TO: Maurice A. Jones, Director of Procurement

REQUESTED BY: Elvis Dovaes, Director of Maintenance

SUBJECT: SPX d/b/a/ Genfare Fast Fare Farebox Purchase for the NeighborLink Cutaway Bus Fleet

BACKGROUND: On January 26, 2023, the LYNX Board of Directors authorized LYNX to transition the NeighborLink “On-Demand” mode of service from a private transportation contracted service to an 100% internal LYNX operation. The intent is to complete transition by the April 23, 2023 service change. In order to collect fares, process the collected revenue through the vaulting system and track ridership for the Neighbor link service, the eighteen (18) buses must be equipped with the Fast Fare model farebox currently used on the fixed route fleet. The NeighborLink buses are currently equipped with Genfare Odyssey fareboxes which are not compatible with the current LYNX farebox vaulting and back office systems. SPX d/b/a Genfare, is the sole manufacturer of the fareboxes, parts and components used in the fare collection system equipment. These parts are not restricted to the bus mounted fareboxes but also include the vaulting and money handling equipment and back office software. Many of these parts and components are custom made for LYNX, by Genfare, using special production techniques, tooling and set-ups. The mechanical and electrical components and parts are made to exact specifications and tested by Genfare to assure optimum performance and the highest level of reliability. For these reasons, it is important that only genuine Genfare parts and components are used in the fare collection system to assure that the system continues to perform at the required level of reliability and accuracy.

SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION: Genfare sells fareboxes and their related parts exclusively to Transit Authorities. Genfare is the sole source supplier of this fare collection system equipment and their related maintenance parts/service.

COST/PRICE ANALYSIS: It is to be noted that the parts and equipment prices charged by Genfare represent “Most Favored Customer Prices” and Genfare warrants that the prices charged LYNX will be equal to or less than prices charged to other customers for similar parts or components. All prices quoted are FOB Elk Grove Village, Illinois. Standard method of shipment is UPS Ground. If air shipments are requested, customer will be liable for air charges. Genfare payment terms are Net 30 Days.

Having a fare collection system compatible with the current LYNX vaulting and back office revenue collection system is essential to the operational success of the in-house NeighborLink services. Based on the information presented herein, we affirm that the Genfare fare collection equipment and associated parts are comprised of proprietary technology available only through SPX d/b/a/ Genfare.



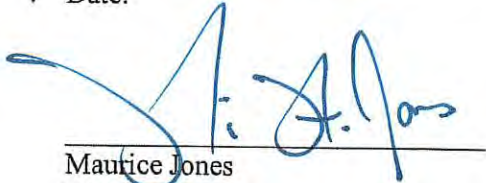
Elvis Dovalles
Director of Maintenance

4-10-23
Date:



Frank Martin
Interim Chief Operations Officer

4-10-2023
Date:



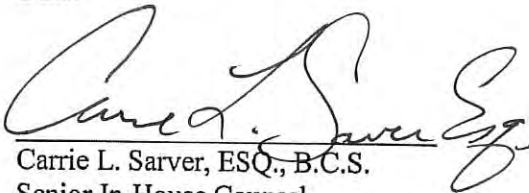
Maurice Jones
Director of Procurement

4/18/2023
Date:



Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer

4/18/23
Date:



Carrie L. Sarver, ESQ., B.C.S.
Senior In-House Counsel

4/19/23
Date:



Tiffany Homler Hawkins
Chief Executive Officer

4/21/23
Date:

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Information Item C

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer
Jeffrey Reine
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6125

Item Name: Notification of Utilization of Project Contingency to Garcia Civil Contractors, Inc. Pursuant to Admin. Rule 4.5.4.D. in the Amount of \$12,846

Date: 5/25/2023

ACTION REQUESTED:

Pursuant to Administrative Rule 4.5.4, Staff is providing the Board of Directors notification that Project Contingency was utilized for Change Order #1 issued by the Chief Executive Officer in the amount of \$12,846 to Garcia Civil Contractors, Inc. (“Contractor”) for changes identified during the construction of the Florida Mall Transfer Center Construction Project necessary to complete the Project to prevent a delay and additional cost to LYNX.

BACKGROUND:

LYNX has been working over the past few years with Simon Properties, the owners of the Florida Mall, for improvements to the bus transfer location. The proposed improvements will include an extension of the existing infrastructure by 450 feet. This will allow for each bus route to have its own location to board and alight passengers. Improvements include custom shelters (procured under a separate existing manufacturing contract), increase lighting, installation of sidewalk and ADA bus pads, conduit for future ITS and CCTV components, and improved landscaping.

Construction started for this project in February 2023. During the initial stages of construction, it was determined that a revision to the Maintenance of Traffic (MOT) was necessary. In order to ensure passenger safety during construction, the decision was made to modify the MOT by shifting the temporary waiting area for bus passengers to the west side of Florida Mall Avenue. The reason for this is that despite the contractor’s best efforts, bus passengers were not paying attention to the original MOT and roped off work zones. The team, including LYNX safety, determined that the move of the facility temporarily was the best method to address this issue.

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Also, during the start of construction an unknown fiber line that was not identified or marked during the initial utility coordination during design was found. This required an increase of the conduit size that was planned from 2 inches to 4 inches. The decision was made to perform a directional bore of this conduit. This was to avoid any conflict with the proposed shelter footer, ensure passenger safety by avoiding the originally proposed open ditch, and to ensure that the construction schedule is able to be adhered to

The contingency for this project is \$74,176. The two change orders total \$12,846. This leaves a remaining balance of \$61,321.

Description	Original Budget	CO #1	Revised Total
Construction	\$741,670.46	\$12,845.58	\$754,516.04
Contingency	\$74,167.00	(\$12,845.58)	\$61,321.42
TOTAL PROJECT COST	\$815,837.46	\$0	\$815,837.46

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PARTICIPATION:

No DBE Goal has been established for this contract. However, contractor is a Certified DBE.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The Change Order #1 is funded from the contingency, therefore there is no budget change to the original project.

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Monthly Report A

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Matthew Friedman
Director Of Marketing Communications
Janet Vidal
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6206

Item Name: Communications Report - April 2023

Date: 5/25/2023

LYNX Press Releases | Media Notes: April 2023

April 21	LYNX April Board of Directors and Oversight Committee Meeting Information
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LYNX News Articles – April 2023

To view the articles below please copy and paste the link into a browser.

April 5	Pine Hills residents call for changes to bus stops after women attacked WFTV
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LYNX Social Media – April 2023

April 1	April Fool's Day.
April 2	Service detour due to Orlando Pride game. Easter Sunday schedule.
April 3	Service detour at Florida Mall SuperStop due to construction. Mall at Millenia: Links 24 and 40. Response to question about taking pets on the bus. Response to comment about bus service. Response to question about FastLink 407 service.

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April 4	Tip Tuesday. Response to comment about the bus tracker application.
April 5	LYNX See & Say app.
April 6	April 23 service change. Response to feedback about the bus tracker. Response to comment to comment about Links 21 and 37. Response to question about trip planning.
April 7	407 Day. Response to comment about a Link 612 stop. Response to question about Link 37 service.
April 8	Easter Sunday schedule.
April 9	Happy Easter.
April 10	Destination Parkway: Links 38, 42, 11 and 350. Welcome US. Rep. Darren Soto. Response to concern about signage at the Florida Mall SuperStop. Response to comment about Link 436N. Response to question about Link 8 service.
April 11	LYNX commute options. Response to comment about Link 56 buses. Response to question about service announcements on the bus tracker application. Response to question about trip planning.
April 12	The City Beautiful. Response to question about a lost item.
April 13	LYNX Central Station Bay map. Response to comment about the NeighborLink application. Response to question about Link 24 service. Response to comment about Link 102 service.
April 14	Happy Friday from Lake Frederica. Follow up response to comment about the NeighborLink application. Response to several comments about the bus tracker application. Response to feedback about LYNX Central Station bay changes. Response to question about bus transfers.
April 15	Lost & Found window.
April 16	April 23 service change.

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April 17	<p>LYNX maintenance team.</p> <p>Response to comment about litter at a bus stop.</p> <p>Response to comment about a Link 302 bus.</p> <p>Response to question about bus fares and passes.</p> <p>Response to concern about Link 57 service.</p> <p>Response to comment about bus operators skipping a stop.</p>
April 18	<p>Single ride pass has a new look.</p> <p>Response to comment about an operator not making bus stops.</p> <p>Response to comment about Link 15 bus delays.</p> <p>Response to feedback about bus passes.</p> <p>Response to question about reduction of service for Link 56.</p> <p>Response to concern about Link 104 service.</p> <p>Response to positive feedback.</p> <p>Response to question about new design for single ride passes.</p> <p>Response to concern about bus transfers.</p> <p>Response to question about bringing luggage on a bus.</p>
April 19	<p>April 23 service change.</p> <p>Response to comment about feedback.</p>
April 20	<p>South Street maintenance facility throwback.</p> <p>Service detour for the Puerto Rican parade.</p> <p>Response to comment about the bus tracker application.</p>
April 21	<p>We're hiring bus operators.</p> <p>April 23 service change.</p> <p>April 27 Oversight Committee and Board of Directors meetings.</p> <p>Service detour for the Puerto Rican parade.</p> <p>Earth Day Work Day at Orlando City Hall.</p>
April 22	<p>National Earth Day.</p> <p>April 23 service change.</p> <p>LYNX bus tracker is unavailable due to an internet outage.</p>
April 23	<p>April service change effective today.</p>
April 24	<p>April service change went into effect yesterday.</p> <p>Response to question about trip planning.</p> <p>Response to concern about the bus tracker application.</p>
April 25	<p>Etiquette reminder on public transit.</p> <p>FTA Repost: Get on Board for public transit.</p> <p>Response to comment about a Link 56 bus delay.</p> <p>Response to question about the Link 443 schedule.</p> <p>Response to concern about Link 111 service delays.</p> <p>Response to comment about the bus tracker application.</p>

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April 26	Three-point contact method. Response to comment about the bus tracker application. Response to question about passes and fares. Response to a customer concern about an incident on a bus. Response to positive feedback about scheduling a ride via our website. Response to concern about bus service.
April 27	April 27 Oversight Committee and Board of Directors meetings. Response to comment about a damaged break light on a bus. Response to comment about bus seats. Response to comment about a passenger violating our rider's code of conduct. Response to concern about buses taking off hurriedly.
April 28	Earth Day bus wrap.
April 29	LYNX See & Say app.
April 30	LYNX Central Station customer service team.

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Social Media Usage	April 2023
<p>Facebook Page Reach: The number of people who saw any content from your Page or about your Page, including posts, stories, ads, social information from people who interact with your Page and more. Reach is different from impressions, which may include multiple views of your posts by the same people. This metric is estimated.</p>	5,420
<p>Facebook Page and Profile Visits: The number of times our Page was visited.</p>	3,452
<p>Total Facebook Posts</p>	55
<p>Facebook Engagement: The sum of reactions, comments and shares received by content associated with our Pages (for the selected timeframe). Includes comments from the author of the post.</p>	<p>1.2k Engagements: 935 Reactions 180 Comments 60 Shares</p>
<p>Total Tweets</p>	55
<p>Twitter Engagement: The sum of interactions received for the tweets published in the selected timeframe: retweets, replies and likes.</p>	<p>191 Engagements: 152 Likes 27 Retweets 10 Replies</p>
Website Usage	April 2023
<p>Total Pageviews</p>	28,443
<p>Total User Visits</p>	7,213

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Commuter Vanpool Program – April 2023

Vanpool	April 2023
Vanpool Participants	543*
Total Revenue Miles	165,000*
New Vanpool	1
Returned Vanpools	1
Current Vans at Service	127
Pending Interests	None
Events	None

*These are estimates, as data is not available until after the 21st day of following month.

Advertising Sales – April 2023

Advertising Sales Revenue	April	LYNX %	FY to Date Sales	FY to Date LYNX %
Sales Revenue	\$386,185.19	\$231,711.11	\$2,753,196.04	\$1,651,917.62

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Monthly Report B

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: Leonard Antmann
Chief Financial Officer
Michelle Daley
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6125

Item Name: Monthly Financial Report - February 2023

Date: 5/25/2023

Please find attached the preliminary monthly financial report for the Fifth month ending February 28, 2023.

CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY d/b/a LYNX
 STATEMENTS OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
 For the Five Months February 28, 2023
 (UNAUDITED)

	As of 2/28/2023		% Actual compared to Budget
	Budget	Actual	
REVENUES			
Customer fares	\$ 7,822,489	\$ 8,344,116	107%
Contract services	1,885,262	2,008,605	107%
Advertising	1,029,168	1,425,105	138%
Interest & Other income	409,570	2,558,017	625%
Federal Revenue	5,620,600	5,760,529	102%
State Revenue	6,056,735	4,634,998	77%
Local Revenue	4,676,707	4,633,952	99%
Local Revenue Funding Partner	33,330,322	33,330,323	100%
TOTAL REVENUE	60,830,853	62,695,645	103%
EXPENSE			
Salaries, Wages & Fringe Benefits	40,918,171	43,330,297	106%
Other services	6,292,131	3,652,091	58%
Fuel	6,141,924	5,397,196	88%
Materials and supplies	4,248,967	3,831,836	90%
Utilities	747,583	747,379	100%
Casualty & Liability	1,963,128	1,611,759	82%
Taxes and licenses	232,517	342,821	147%
Purchased transportation services	13,140,935	12,828,056	98%
Leases & Miscellaneous	1,048,940	510,040	49%
TOTAL EXPENSE	74,734,296	72,251,475	97%
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	\$ (13,903,443)	\$ (9,555,830)	69%

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Monthly Report C

To: LYNX Board of Directors

From: James Boyle
Director Of Planning And Development
Bruce Detweiler
(Technical Contact)

Phone: 407.841.2279 ext: 6036

Item Name: Ridership Report - March 2023

Date: 5/25/2023

The attached monthly Performance Report includes March 2023 Year-To-Date figures for ridership and other performance indicators. Total ridership for March 2023 was 1,635,513. This is a 11.3% increase from March 2022. On-Time Performance for Fiscal Year-To-Date 2023 is 65%.

- LYNX overall ridership increased by 200K, or 11.3%, compared to March 2022. Year-to-date ridership for FY-23 (9,161,651) increased 14.3% compared to FY-22 (8,012,377)
- LYMMO ridership increased by 11K, or 35.6%, compared to March 2022. Year-to-date ridership for FY-23 (229,478) increased 21.7% compared to FY-22 (188,496).
- Fixed Route ridership increased by 150K, or 11%, compared to March 2022. Year-to-date ridership for FY-23 (8,416,215) increased by 14.4% compared to FY-22 (7,358,536).
- NeighborLink ridership increased by 1000, or 12.6%, compared to March 2022. Year-to-date ridership for FY-23 (50,563) increased 8.1% compared to FY-22 (46,771).
- ACCESS LYNX ridership increased by 9K, or 16.9%, compared to March 2022. Year-to-date ridership for FY-23 (310,401) increased 16.8% compared to FY-22 (265,732).
- Vanpool ridership increased by 4K, or 18.9%, compared to March 2022. Year-to-date ridership for FY-23 (128,608) decreased by 0.5% compared to FY-22 (129,215).
- There was no special event ridership for March 2023.



March 2023 Service Performance Report

RIDERSHIP

Total Ridership by Mode						
	Mar-22	Mar-23	% Δ	YTD-22	YTD-23	% Δ
LYMMO	31,329	42,478	35.6%	188,496	229,478	21.7%
Fixed Route	1,352,908	1,501,517	11.0%	7,358,536	8,416,215	14.4%
NeighborLink	7,684	8,652	12.6%	46,771	50,563	8.1%
ACCESS LYNX	49,856	58,303	16.9%	265,732	310,401	16.8%
Vanpool	20,653	24,563	18.9%	129,215	128,608	-0.5%
Special Events	6,591	0	N/A	23,627	26,386	11.7%
SYSTEM TOTAL	1,469,021	1,635,513	11.3%	8,012,377	9,161,651	14.3%

March-22	23 Weekdays	4 Saturdays	4 Sundays
March-23	23 Weekdays	4 Saturdays	4 Sundays

Average Daily Ridership by Mode									
Mode	Weekday			Saturday			Sunday		
	Mar-22	Mar-23	% Δ	Mar-22	Mar-23	% Δ	Mar-22	Mar-23	% Δ
LYMMO	1,162	1,569	35.0%	510	888	74.1%	640	712	11.3%
Fixed Route	48,575	54,016	11.2%	34,316	38,405	11.9%	24,602	26,380	7.2%
NeighborLink	335	344	2.7%	131	184	40.5%	-	-	-
ACCESS LYNX	1,882	2,205	17.2%	991	1,159	17.0%	650	737	13.4%
Vanpool	439	589	34.2%	187	177	-5.3%	33	58	75.8%
SYSTEM TOTAL	52,393	58,723	12.1%						

LYNX ridership increased by about 200K, or 11.3%, compared to March 2022. System-wide average riders increased by 12.1% year-to-date.

LYMMO ridership increased by about 11K, or 35.6%, compared to March 2022. Average weekday ridership for LYMMO was up 35.0% in March 2023. Ridership has increased due to the extension of the LYMMO Lime line and frequency changes on the LYMMO Orange and LYMMO Grapefruit lines in December 2022.

Fixed Route ridership increased by 150K, or 11.0%, compared to March 2022. Average daily ridership increased by 11.2% compared to the same time period last year. Ridership is showing a steady recovery from losses incurred from the COVID-19 pandemic.

NeighborLink ridership increased by about 1000, or 12.6%, compared to March 2022. The overall increase for the year continues to show a gradual recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.

ACCESS LYNX ridership increased by about 9K, or 16.9%, compared to March 2022. Ridership is showing a slow recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.

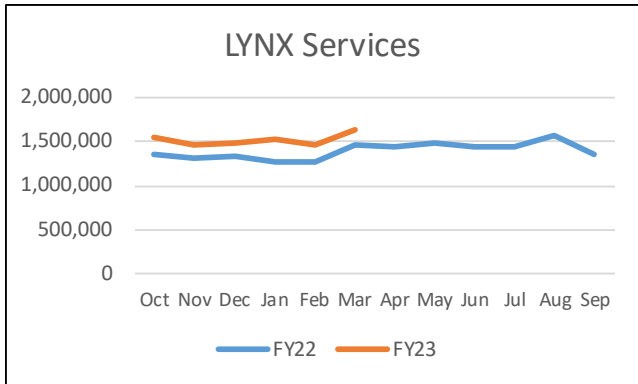
Vanpool ridership increased by about 4000, or 18.9%, compared to March 2022. The continued use of telecommuting has caused a decrease in total Vanpool utilization.

*According to the U.S. Energy Information Administration, the average price of gasoline in the U.S. was \$4.20/gallon in March 2022 and \$3.51/gallon in March 2023. Historically, high gas prices can result in increased public transit ridership.

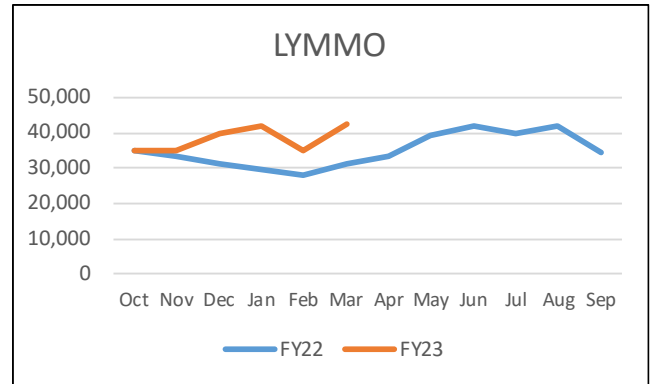


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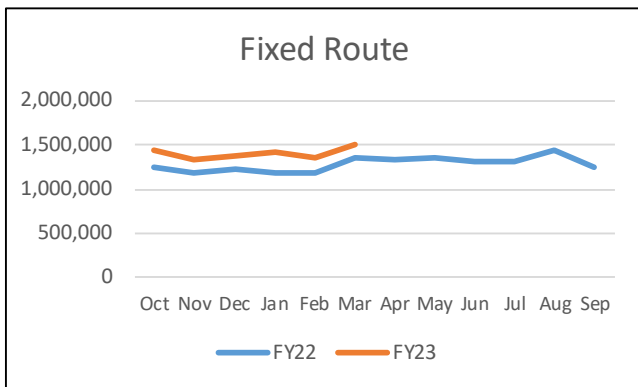
MONTHLY RIDERSHIP TRENDS BY MODE



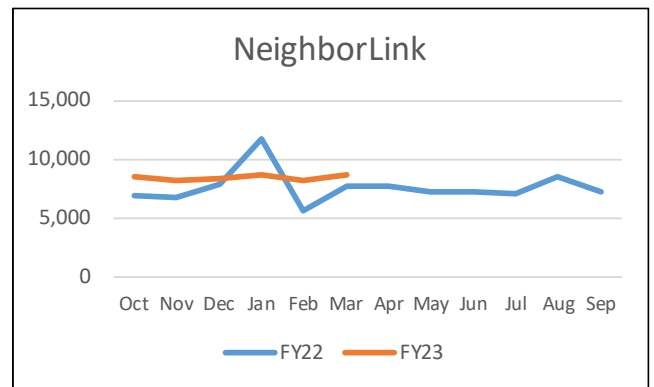
LYNX ridership increased by 11.3% compared to the same time last year. Average weekday riders increased by 12.1%.



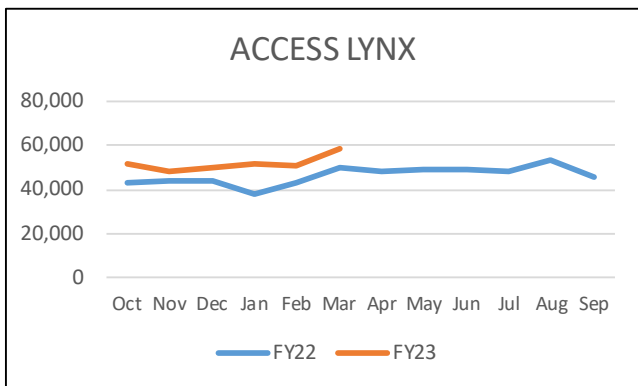
LYMMO ridership increased by 35.6% compared to the same time last year. Average weekday riders increased by 35.0%.



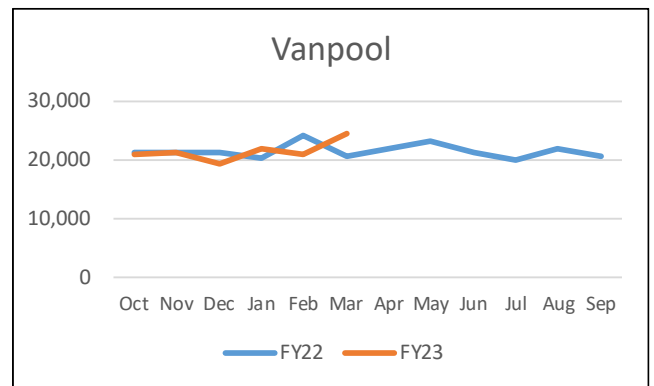
Fixed route ridership increased 11.0% compared to March 2022. Average weekday riders increased by 11.2%.



NeighborLink ridership increased 12.6% compared to March 2022. Average weekday riders increased by 2.7%.



ACCESS LYNX ridership increased by 16.9% compared to March 2022. Average weekday riders increased by 17.2%.



Vanpool ridership increased by 18.9%. The continued use of telecommuting has caused a decrease in Vanpool utilization.



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FY23 Monthly Modal Performance Data Sheet - March 2023

Month End Reporting	Ridership	Passengers per Trip	On-Time Performance	Farebox Recovery	National Transit Database Reportable Accidents	Complaints per 100,000 Miles	Total Trips Scheduled	Percentage of Scheduled Trips Operated	Fleet Availability	Preventative Maintenance Inspection Completed on Time	
LYMMO											
Oct	35,150	5	68%	Not Applicable	0	0.08	7,626	93%	14	100%	
Nov	35,011	5	72%		0	0.09	7,470	90%	14	100%	
Dec	39,777	6	74%		0	0.07	7,343	86%	14	100%	
Jan	41,973	7	67%		0	0.08	7,150	89%	14	100%	
Feb	35,089	6	66%		1	0.07	6,472	87%	14	100%	
Mar	42,478	7	65%		0	0.07	7,258	90%	14	80%	
Apr											
May											
Jun											
Jul											
Aug											
Sep											
YTD	229,478	6	69%		1	0.08	43,319	89%	14	97%	
Fixed Route											
Oct	1,441,821	17	66%	13%	7	0.08	89,575	97%	223	100%	
Nov	1,339,455	16	67%	14%	6	0.09	86,939	95%	228	100%	
Dec	1,368,457	16	67%	10%	8	0.07	91,340	93%	214	99%	
Jan	1,411,242	17	73%	16%	10	0.08	90,637	94%	215	100%	
Feb	1,353,723	18	56%	15%	10	0.07	82,400	93%	216	91%	
Mar	1,501,517	17	58%	13%	5	0.07	92,093	96%	217	84%	
Apr											
May											
Jun											
Jul											
Aug											
Sep											
YTD	8,416,215	17	65%	14%	46	0.08	532,984	95%	219	96%	



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Month End Reporting	Ridership	On-Time Performance	Collected Fares	NTD Reportable Incident	Complaints per 100,000 Miles	Fleet Availability	Preventable Maintenance Inspection Completed On-Time
NeighborLink							
Oct	8,517	100%	100%	0	25.1	95%	100%
Nov	8,162	100%	100%	0	23.3	95%	99%
Dec	8,373	100%	100%	0	17.3	90%	99%
Jan	8,639	100%	100%	0	4.9	91%	99%
Feb	8,220	100%	100%	0	22.1	88%	99%
Mar	8,652	100%	100%	0	8.8	94%	99%
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Aug							
Sep							
YTD	50,563	100%	100%	0	16.9	92%	99%
ACCESS LYNX							
Oct	51,883	79.50%	99.79%	2	7.3	89%	100%
Nov	48,400	80.15%	99.78%	1	9.5	86%	99%
Dec	49,890	86.03%	99.82%	0	7.6	86%	99%
Jan	51,347	85.20%	99.88%	0	5.2	84%	99%
Feb	50,578	84.02%	99.87%	2	5.2	82%	99%
Mar	58,303	84.76%	99.87%	0	7.7	83%	99%
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Aug							
Sep							
YTD	310,401	83.28%	99.84%	5	7.1	85%	99%



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Definitions of Metrics Used on the Monthly Performance Data Sheets

Ridership – The number of trips taken by people using a public transportation system in a given time period.

Passengers per Trip – The average number of passengers who ride on a revenue trip.

On-Time Performance – Refers to the level of success of the service operating according to the published schedule (LYNX defines a bus as on-time if it falls within 0 minutes early to five (5) minutes late of the published schedule).

Farebox Recovery – The percent of a trip’s operating costs recovered through passenger fares.

National Transit Database (NTD) Reportable Accidents – A safety or security event occurring on transit right-of-way or infrastructure, at a transit revenue facility, at a transit maintenance facility or rail yard, during a transit related maintenance activity or involving a transit revenue vehicle that results in one or more of the following conditions:

- A fatality confirmed within 30 days of the event
- An injury requiring immediate medical attention away from the scene for one or more person
- Property damage equal to or exceeding \$25,000
- Collisions involving transit revenue vehicles that require towing away from the scene for a transit roadway vehicle or other non-transit roadway vehicle
- An evacuation for life safety reasons

Complaints per 100,000 Miles – Total number of complaints received based off of every 100,000 vehicle miles.

Total Trips Scheduled – Number of vehicle revenue trips scheduled to operate for the month.

Percentage of Scheduled Trips Operated – Percentage of the total of the revenue trips that were actually operated for the month compared to the number that were scheduled to operate.

Fleet Availability – Shows the extent to which the bus vehicle fleet is available for revenue-earning work.

Preventative Maintenance Completed On Time – Percentage of the total number of scheduled preventative maintenance inspections that were completed on time.

Collected Fares – Percentage of fares collected from passengers to use the service.