

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2022- 217

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY, THROUGH THE CLAYTON COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR, AND IF AWARDED, ACCEPT FUNDING FROM ATLANTA REGIONAL COMMISSION TO EXPAND MEDICAL AND CONGREGATE TRANSPORTATION FOR SENIORS CITIZENS; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN OR HIS DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE THE GRANT AGREEMENT AND OTHERWISE PERFORM ALL OTHER ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE, ALL AS MAY BE REQUIRED; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Clayton County (“County”), through its Senior Services Department (“Senior Services”), wishes to apply for, and if awarded, accept funds from the Atlanta Regional Commission to expand medical and congregate transportation for seniors sixty (60) years old and older; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Transit Administration (“FTA”) Section 5310 Program (“Program”) provides funds for the Atlanta Urbanized Area (“UZA”) to improve mobility for seniors and persons with disabilities by providing funds to serve the special needs of transit-dependent populations beyond traditional public transportation services and Americans with Disabilities Act (“ADA”) complementary paratransit services; and

WHEREAS, the Program aims to improve mobility for seniors and individuals with disabilities by removing barriers to transportation services and expanding transportation mobility options; and

WHEREAS, this Program also supports transportation services planned, designed, and carried out to meet the special transportation needs of seniors and individuals with disabilities in all areas – large urbanized (over 200,000), small urbanized (50,000-200,000), and rural (under 50,000); and

WHEREAS, eligible projects for the Program include both traditional capital investment and nontraditional investment beyond the ADA complementary paratransit services; and

WHEREAS, a County match is required; and

WHEREAS, Senior Services will use the transportation coordinator, and Program Coordinator salaries as the County's match; and

WHEREAS, accepting this funding will allow Senior Services to provide medical and congregate transportation for more seniors throughout the County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of the County, and the County will best be served by applying for, and if awarded, accepting the funds for the stated purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF

CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

Section I. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes Clayton County to apply for, and if awarded, accept funds from the Atlanta Regional Commission to expand medical and congregate transportation for seniors sixty (60) years old and older; The Board further authorizes the County to use the Clayton County Senior Services' Transportation coordinator, and Program Coordinator salaries as the County's match. The Board of Commissioners authorizes the Chairman to otherwise to perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. The Board also authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to amend the Budget where necessary to reflect an appropriate revenue source and expense relating thereto. The Board of Commissioners hereby further authorizes the

Chairman or his designee to execute any documents or agreements, and otherwise perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

Section 2. This Resolution shall be immediately effective upon approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this the 4th day of October, 2022.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



JEFFREY E. TURNER, CHAIRMAN



GAIL HAMBRICK, VICE-CHAIR



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