

**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE'S
APPLICATION FOR CAPITAL GRANT FUNDING FROM
FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION'S LOW OR NO EMISSIONS PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) provides a competitive grant program for Low or No Emission bus projects to assist State and local governmental authorities with the purchase or lease of zero-emission and low-emission transit buses, including acquisition, construction, and leasing of required supporting facilities such as recharging, refueling, and maintenance facilities; and

WHEREAS, FTA has provided a Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) announcing the availability of funding for 2021 to be awarded competitively; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fayetteville has critical need to replace transit buses that have met their estimated useful in both years and mileage; and

WHEREAS, replacement of these buses to provide public transportation services is eligible for funding under this program; and

WHEREAS, the City supports efforts that develop and maintain public transportation investments with high quality transit and airport services in an environmentally sensitive manner.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Fayetteville to support the application by the City and Fayetteville Area System of Transit for funding in accordance with the Low or No Emission Grant Program (Low-No Program) goals as outline in the Notice of Funding Opportunity.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City is committed to implement the proposed project and to provide the local grant matching funds to complete the project if the application is awarded funding.

I, Mitch Colvin, Mayor of the City of Fayetteville do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of an excerpt from the minutes of a meeting of the City of Fayetteville City Council duly held on the **8th day March, 2021**.

BY: _____
MITCH COLVIN, Mayor

(Official Seal)

ATTEST:

Pamela J. Megill, City Clerk