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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. 85630 C.M.S.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE MEASURE BB DIRECT LOCAL PROGRAM DISTRIBUTION FUNDS (DF) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$244,493 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015 AND \$1,101,397 MEASURE B DF, \$1,058,749 MEASURE BB DF AND UP TO \$92,500 MEASURE B GAP GRANT FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016 FROM THE ALAMEDA COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION TO PROVIDE PARATRANSIT SERVICES; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE REIMBURSEMENT AGREEMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016 IN AMOUNTS OF: 1) \$715,000 TO FRIENDLY TRANSPORTATION, INC. DBA FRIENDLY TRANSPORTATION, FRIENDLY CAB COMPANY AND METRO YELLOW CAB COMPANY, 2) \$220,000 TO VETERANS TRANSPORTATION, INC. DBA VETERANS TRANSPORTATION AND VETERANS CAB CORP, 3) \$320,000 TO QUALITY TRANSIT, LLC AND 4) \$125,000 TO BAY AREA CHARTERS, INC.; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE ANY ADDITIONAL GRANT FUNDS THAT BECOME AVAILABLE FOR FY 2015-2016 AND AMEND THE FY 2015-2016 AGREEMENTS WITHOUT RETURNING TO CITY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, voters in Alameda County passed Measure B in November 2000 and Measure BB in November 2014, thereby providing sales tax revenues for paratransit services; and

WHEREAS, Measure B and Measure BB funds will be required by the City of Oakland for Fiscal Year (FY) 2015-2016 for the purpose of providing subsidized transportation by taxi or by van to the elderly and persons with disabilities who are deemed unable to use public transit; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland is an eligible recipient for Alameda County Measure B and Measure BB funds; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland will deposit Fiscal Year (FY) 2014-2015 Measure BB funds in Measure BB Paratransit – ACTC Fund (2216), Oakland Paratransit for the Elderly and Disabled Organization (75621), and OPED Administration Project (TBD), OPED Taxi Project (TBD) and OPED Van Project (TBD); and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Oakland Proposed Policy Budget for FY 2015-2016 includes Measure B fund appropriation in Measure B Paratransit – ACTC Fund (2213), Oakland Paratransit for the Elderly and Disabled Organization (75621), OPED Administration Project (G485510), OPED Taxi Project (G485520), OPED Van Project (G485530) and OPED Gap Project (TBD) ; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Oakland Proposed Policy Budget for FY 2015-2016 includes Measure BB fund appropriation in Measure BB Paratransit – ACTC Fund (2216), Oakland Paratransit for the Elderly and Disabled Organization (75621), OPED Administration Project (G488110), OPED Taxi Project (G488120) and OPED Van Project (G488130); and

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to offset all central services overhead charges in an estimated amount of \$56,383 for Measure B Fund (2213) and \$24,274 for Measure BB Fund (2216) associated with this grant, as has been done in all of the past years; and

**WHEREAS**, the RFQ/RFP process is not applicable because these agreements are not professional services contracts and the City of Oakland enters agreements on a non-exclusive basis, with any taxi and van companies that provide paratransit services for the elderly and disabled, have a minimum fleet of five or more vehicles, permitted to provide service in Oakland, and meet the City’s other requirements for paratransit services; and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to maintain this service without interruption; and

**WHEREAS**, the City lacks the fleet, the van equipment and the support structure to operate this service with City employees and has never provided or operated such a service; and

**WHEREAS**, all of the companies for which agreement authorization is being requested meet the City’s requirements for paratransit services; and

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to enter into agreements with the following paratransit providers for the amounts as specified below:

- Friendly Transportation, Inc. dba  
    Friendly Transportation, Friendly Cab Company,  
    and Metro Yellow Cab Company \$715,000
- Quality Transit, LLC \$320,000
- Veterans Transportation, Inc. dba  
    Veterans Transportation and Veterans Cab Corp \$220,000
- Bay Area Charters, Inc. \$125,000

; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator or his designee is hereby authorized to accept and appropriate FY 2014-15 Measure BB direct local program distribution funds in the amount of \$244,493 for the Oakland Paratransit Program to be deposited into Measure BB – Paratransit – ACTC Fund (2216), Oakland Paratransit for the Elderly and Disabled Organization (75621), OPED Admin FY 2014-2015 Project (TBD); and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator or his designee is hereby authorized to accept and appropriate FY 2015-16 Measure B direct local program distribution funds in the amount of \$1,101,397 and Measure B Gap Grant funds up to \$92,500 for the Oakland Paratransit Program to be deposited into Measure B – Paratransit – ACTC Fund (2213), Oakland Paratransit for the Elderly and Disabled Organization (75621), OPED Admin FY15/16 Project (G485510) and OPED Gap Project (TBD); and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator or his designee is hereby authorized to accept and appropriate FY 2015-16 Measure BB direct local program distribution funds in the amount of \$1,058,749 for the Oakland Paratransit Program to be deposited into Measure BB – Paratransit – ACTC Fund (2216), Oakland Paratransit for the Elderly and Disabled Organization (75621), OPED Admin FY 2015-2016 Project (G488110); and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That should additional funds become available during FY 2015-2016, the City Administrator is authorized to accept and appropriate those funds to Measure B/Measure BB – Paratransit – ACTC Fund (2213/2216), Oakland Paratransit for the Elderly and Disabled Organization (75621), and amend the FY 2015-2016 reimbursement agreements without returning to Council; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator is authorized to enter into reimbursement agreements with the following paratransit providers for the amounts as specified below:

- Friendly Transportation, Inc. dba \$715,000  
    Friendly Transportation, Friendly Cab Company,  
    and Metro Yellow Cab Company
  - Quality Transit, LLC \$320,000
  - Veterans Transportation, Inc. dba \$220,000  
    Veterans Transportation and Veterans Cab Corp
  - Bay Area Charters, Inc. \$125,000
- ; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator is authorized to execute any necessary amendments to the agreements with the service providers for FY 2015-2016 without returning to City Council; and be it

