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TO: Board of Acquisition and Contract

FROM: Hugh J. Greechan, Jr., P.E.
Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation

DATE: March 2, 2021

RE: Authority to enter into a grant agreement with the New York State Department of Transportation for the receipt of \$3,000,000.00 in Mass Transportation capital projects funds. (Grant Agreement No. K007465)

Authority is requested to enter into an agreement with the New York State Department of Transportation for the receipt of \$3,000,000.00 in Mass Transportation capital projects funds. The revenue from the New York State grant will be credited to the following project:

Purchase 40-Foot Buses	365-44-T001X-9634	\$3,000,000.00
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Acceptance of this grant will be of direct financial benefit to the County by reducing the cost to the County for the project by the full amount of the grant. The grant will be monitored by the County Department of Public Works and Transportation to insure the funds are utilized in accordance with the grant agreement. The acceptance of this grant will benefit the public by insuring continued efficient and reliable bus transit service.

I certify that the Department of Public Works and Transportation, a) has copies of, or access to, all applicable laws, rules, regulations, grant applications, and grant agreements (including any master grant agreement), as well as any guidance or instructions received from the agency making the grant (the "Grant Terms"), b.) has reviewed the Grant Terms, c.) is aware of and understands all of the Grant Terms, and d.) can and will comply with all the Grant Terms.

In view of the importance of this assistance program to the operation of the County's transit system, I recommend approval of the attached Resolution.

HJG/ms
Attachment

RESOLUTION

Upon a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation, be it hereby:

RESOLVED, that the County of Westchester is authorized to enter into a grant agreement with the New York State Department of Transportation for the receipt of \$3,000,000.00 in Mass Transportation Capital Projects Funds to be used for the purchase of 40-foot buses; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive or his authorized designee is authorized to file an assurance or any other document required by the U.S. Department of Transportation effectuating the purpose of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and to set forth and execute affirmative minority business policies in connection with the projects; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive or his duly authorized designee is authorized to execute all documents necessary to implement the purpose of this Resolution.

Grant Agreement No. K007465

Account to be Charged/Credited	Fund	Dept.	Major Program, Program & Phase Or Unit	Object/ Sub-Object	Trust Account	Dollars
	365	44	T001X	9634		\$3,000,000.00

Budget Funding Year(s): 2019-2023 Start Date: January 1, 2019 End Date: December 31, 2023
 (must match resolution)

Funding Source: Tax Dollars _____
 State Aid \$3,000,000.00
\$3,000,000.00 Federal Aid _____
 (must match resolution) Other _____