



Regional Transit Authority
2817 Canal Street
New Orleans, LA 70119-6307

RESOLUTION NO. 25-027
FILE ID NO. 24-126

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF ORLEANS

**AUTHORIZATION TO AWARD A PURCHASE TWO (2) CUTAWAY VEHICLES FROM
MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.**

Introduced by Commissioner Sams, seconded by Commissioner
Daniels

WHEREAS, the Chief Executive Officer of the RTA has the need to issue a purchase order to Model1 for the purchase of two (2) cutaway vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the agency recognizes that the addition of the two cutaways will replace damaged units that were damaged during separate vehicle accidents; and

WHEREAS, the agency has determined that these additional vehicles will improve the agency's coverage and reliability by providing more service to the paratransit department; and

WHEREAS, the agency's decision to utilize the Louisiana state contract (Contract number 4400020163) for vehicle procurement is a strategic move, offering potentially favorable terms while ensuring compliance with FTA and Buy America requirements; and

WHEREAS, funding for the above project is made available through LA2023-018, with \$261,737.60 in federal funds and a local match of \$65,434.40 plus an additional \$73,318.22 from the approved capital budget (account number 01-0000-00-1513-000-00) bringing the total purchase cost not to exceed: **FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND NINETY DOLLARS AND TWENTY TWO CENTS (\$400,490.22)**; and

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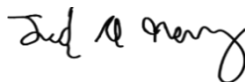
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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IS RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Regional Transit Authority (RTA) that the Chairman of the Board, or his designee, is authorized to award a purchase order to for two (2) Cutaway Vehicles from Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc..

THE FOREGOING WAS READ IN FULL, THE ROLL WAS CALLED ON THE ADOPTION THEREOF AND RESULTED AS FOLLOWS:

YEAS:	6
NAYS:	0
ABSTAIN:	0
ABSENT:	1

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ON THE 27th DAY OF MAY, 2025.



FRED A. NEAL, JR.
CHAIRMAN
RTA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS