



RESOLUTION NO. <u>22-071</u>
STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF ORLEANS

AUTHORIZATION TO IMPLEMENT A NEW FARE POLICY					
Introduced by Walton	Commissioner	Ewell,	seconded	by	Commissioner

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors periodically reviews the fares charged to patrons of the Regional Transit Authority and the structure of these fares; and

WHEREAS, the RTA consistently evaluates its fare structure to determine if existing pricing provides sufficient funding to support and sustain operations; and

WHEREAS, the Fare Policy establishes important guidelines and parameters of the transit fare decision-making process in correlation to the following: (1) fare review and reporting requirements; (2) fare adjustment requirements; (3) temporary fare structure; (3) promotional fare discounts; (4) free fare eligibility; (5) pass sales program; (4) equitable access to transit, and (5) fare validations; and

WHEREAS, the new Fare Policy will be reviewed bi-annually and automatically updated when the following changes occur: temporary or permanent policies are made to simplify fare structures; changes in State and Local Legislation related to fare elements; and changes in fare technology.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Regional Transit Authority hereby approves the attached Fare Policy as a guideline for fare elements and fare-related decisions at the Regional Transit Authority.

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

YEAS: 5

NAYS: 0

ABSTAIN: 1

ABSENT: 1

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ON THE DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2022.

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CHAIRMAN
RTA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS