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RESOLUTION NO. 22-088

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ORLEANS

**REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO ALLOW STAFF TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION
FOR FEDERAL FUNDS TO REPLACE REVENUE AND NON-VEHICLES**

Introduced by Commissioner Walton,
seconded by Commissioner Neal.

WHEREAS, the State of Louisiana DOTD is receiving applications from the large urban areas for FTA 5339 Bus and Bus Facilities grants; and

WHEREAS, if awarded, the applicant would be direct grantee to the FTA and not LA DOTD; and

WHEREAS, the New Orleans Regional Transit Authority (RTA) is requesting \$1,760,000 to fund the replacement of twelve (12) paratransit vehicles and two (2) non-revenue service vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the intent is to replace vehicles that, surpass the Federal Transit Authority (FTA) minimum required years of use and will be retired, and efficiently support the agency's continuous improvement efforts; and

WHEREAS, The RTA will be responsible for the local match if the grant is awarded. That amount is expected to be \$440,000.00; and



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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Regional Transit Authority (RTA) that the Chairman of the Board, or his designee, authorization to submit a grant application for federal funds to replace Revenue and Non-Revenue Vehicles.

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

YEAS:	<u>7</u>
NAYS:	<u>0</u>
ABSTAIN:	<u>0</u>
ABSENT:	<u>1</u>

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ON THE 25th DAY OF OCTOBER 2022.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Raymond, Jr.", is positioned above a horizontal line.

MARK RAYMOND, JR.
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS