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RESOLUTION NO. 23-064

STATE OF LOUISIANA

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**AUTHORIZATION TO AWARD A CONTRACT TO LAMARQUE FORD INC. FOR THE  
PURCHASE OF TWO SERVICE TRUCKS.**

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Introduced by Commissioner Neal,  
seconded by Commissioner DeFrancesch.

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Executive Officer of the RTA has the need to purchase two (2) Service Trucks; and

**WHEREAS**, the purchase of these vehicles will enable the RTA to effectively carry out its day-to-day operation; and

**WHEREAS**, staff has evaluated and determined that purchasing from Lamarque Ford through a competitive procurement process; and

**WHEREAS**, RTA's Disadvantage Business Compliance Manager determined that there was no DBE goal set for this project since there are no subcontracting opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, staff evaluated all cost components submitted by the vendor and determined the price to be fair and reasonable; and



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**WHEREAS**, it is the opinion of the RTA Board of Commissioners that the purchase of two service trucks is critical to maintaining the function, reliability, and support of the agency's mission and goals; and

**WHEREAS**, funding for the above-stated project is made available through LA2021-031.1113.114211, LA2023-001.1113.124211, LA2021-024.1113.114211C, LA2022-022.1113.114211, in the amount of FOUR HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY DOLLARS.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the RTA that the Chairman of the Board, or his designee, is authorized to execute a contract with Lamarque Ford Inc.

**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 26th DAY OF September.**

**MARK RAYMOND, JR.  
CHAIRMAN  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**



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