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RESOLUTION NO. 23-058

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ORLEANS

**AUTHORIZATION TO AMEND RESOLUTION 22-077 TO AMEND A PURCHASE ORDER
TO PREMIER DODGE FOR THE PURCHASE OF SEVEN (7) DODGE PICKUP TRUCKS**

Introduced by Commissioner Ewell,
seconded by Commissioner Neal.

WHEREAS, the Board previously approved Resolution 22-009 on February 22, 2022, for the approval of 34 non-revenue vehicles; and

WHEREAS, staff deemed it necessary to amend the scope granted on September 27, 2022, in Resolution 22-077 by reducing the number of non-revenue to 30 non-revenue support vehicles, 23 Hybrids, and 7 trucks to control cost; and

WHEREAS, the agency has not received a build date or estimated delivery date for non-revenue trucks; and

WHEREAS, staff has located through the Louisiana state contract, half-ton pickup trucks that can be delivered faster; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of these replacement vehicles enabled the RTA to effectively carry out its day-to-day operation; and



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WHEREAS, this amendment is being requested to keep the RTA Board of Commissioners informed of the contracting mechanism: and

WHEREAS, funding for the above-stated procurement is made available through LA2021-024.1113.114211C in the previously awarded amount of \$268,589.79, the cost of the new vehicle purchase is \$261,249.24.

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 Premier Dodge through the State of Louisiana contract.

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

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

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ON

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

MARK RAYMOND, JR.
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



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