



RESOLUTION NO. _____

FILE ID NO. 26-111

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ORLEANS

AUTHORIZATION TO AWARD A PURCHASE ORDER TO CLEVERDEVICES (HITACHI RAIL, LTD.) FOR THE ACQUISITION AND INSTALLATION OF PROPRIETARY REPLACEMENT CABLING FOR THE CLEVERDEVICES CAD/AVL SYSTEM ON THE STREETCAR FLEET

Introduced by Commissioner _____, seconded by Commissioner

_____.

WHEREAS, the Interim Chief Executive Officer of the RTA has the need to award a purchase order to CleverDevices (Hitachi Rail, LTD.) for the acquisition of a replacement cabling installation for CleverDevices systems on Streetcars; and

WHEREAS, the existing cabling that provides power and data communication to the Transit Control Hub (TCH) has reached the end of its useful life, resulting in system performance issues and unreliable operation of the CleverDevices hardware; and

WHEREAS, extensive troubleshooting has confirmed that replacement of the existing proprietary cabling is necessary to restore the reliability and functionality of the CAD/AVL system; and

WHEREAS, the proposed scope of work includes the manufacture, testing, and installation of new cabling on all streetcars to restore reliable data and power communication to the Transit Control Hub (TCH), thereby improving the reliability, stability, and overall performance of the CleverDevices CAD/AVL system; and



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WHEREAS, awarding this purchase order will preserve manufacturer warranty protections, maintain compatibility with the RTA's existing transportation system infrastructure, minimize operational disruptions, and ensure the continued reliability of the streetcar fleet's CAD/AVL system; and

WHEREAS, funding for this purchase order is available through Local Funds account code 01-2943-99-7610-101-00-00-00000-00000 and 01-9900-99-7150-101-89-00-00000-00000 in the amount not to exceed \$201,550.00 (TWO HUNDRED ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS); and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IS RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Regional Transit Authority (RTA) that the Chairman of the Board, or her designee, is authorized to award a purchase order to CleverDevices system (Hitachis Rail, LTD.) for the purchase of the replacement cabling and installation.

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

YEAS: _____

NAYS: _____

ABSTAIN: _____

ABSENT: _____

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ON THE Choose an item. **DAY OF AUGUST, 2026.**



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