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REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO AWARD CONTRACT TO PIVOTAL ENGINEERING FOR NON-AVERTISING BUS SHELTERS

	Introduced by Commissioner		Walton		, seconded by
Commissioner		Coulon		·	

WHEREAS, the Regional Transit Authority plan to enhance the rider experience by adding bus shelters throughout the New Orleans area to provide comfort and safety for waiting passengers; and

WHEREAS, twenty-six (26) shelter locations were identified by using RTA ridership data and other equity data inputs; and

WHEREAS, each selected location was also analyzed by using the City of New Orleans zoning and permitting criteria for shelter installation; and

WHEREAS, an engineering package which details the scope of work has been completed by Infinity Engineering Consultants, LLC.; and

WHEREAS, the drawings and specifications were the documents provided to potential bidders by way of the RTA ProcureWare System; and

WHEREAS, the funding available will be sufficient for items designated as base bid and alternate 1 as per the Engineering Package; and



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WHEREAS, the construction funding is being made available by the following sources: FTA grant no. LA2018-015 in the amount of \$133,841.60.00, with local match of \$33,460.40; FTA grant no. LA2021-031 in the amount of \$460,000.00, with local match of \$115,000.00; FTA grant no. LA2016-011 in the amount of \$111,572.00 with local match of \$27,893.00 and fiscal year local budget account in the amount of \$180,333.00; and

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 award Pivotal Engineering a contract for purchase and installation of Non-Advertising Bus Shelters.

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

YEAS:	6
NAYS:	0
ABSTAIN:	0
ABSENT:	1

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ON THE <u>28TH DAY</u> OF MARCH 2023.

MARK RAYMOND, JR. CHAIRMAN BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS