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RESOLUTION NO	<u>25-056</u>		
FILE ID NO. 25-119			
STATE OF LOUISIANA			
PARISH OF ORLEANS			
AUTHORIZATION TO GR		RCE CONTRACT F 'ER INDUSTRIES I	OR PROPRIETARY BUS PARTS
Introduced by Comm Commissioner V	issioner	<u>Sams</u>	, seconded by

**WHEREAS,** New Flyer Industries is a leading manufacturer of transit vehicles in North America, and many of the parts necessary for the maintenance and repair of the fleet are proprietary and only available directly from the manufacturer; and

**WHEREAS**, maintaining a continuous supply of Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) parts is critical to ensuring the reliability, safety, and compliance of the fleet with all warranty and performance standards; and

**WHEREAS**, the existing purchase order for proprietary bus parts expired in July 2025, and a new contract is necessary to provide uninterrupted procurement of needed parts through August 2026; and



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WHEREAS, funding for the contract is made available through account code 01-0000-00-1301-000-00-00-000000, in the amount not to exceed SEVEN HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$700,000.00); and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IS RESOLVED,** by the Board of Commissioners of the Regional Transit Authority (RTA) that the Chairman of the Board, or his designee, is authorized to approve a sole source contract for the purchase of the Proprietary Bus Parts from New Flyer Industries Parts, with the term extending through August 2026.

THE FOREGOING WAS READ IN FULL; THE ROLL CALL 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 23rd DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2025.

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FRED A. NEAL, JR.
CHAIRMAN

RTA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS