

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION**

**GRANT AGREEMENT
(FTA G-30)**

On the date the authorized U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Transit Administration (FTA) official signs this Grant Agreement, FTA has obligated and awarded federal assistance as provided below. Upon execution of this Grant Agreement by the Recipient named below, the Recipient affirms this FTA Award, enters into this Grant Agreement with FTA, and binds its compliance with the terms of this Grant Agreement.

The following documents are incorporated by reference and made part of this Grant Agreement:

- (1) "Federal Transit Administration Master Agreement," FTA MA(30), <http://www.transit.dot.gov>,
- (2) The Certifications and Assurances applicable to the FTA Award that the Recipient has selected and provided to FTA, and
- (3) Any Award notification containing special conditions or requirements, if issued.

WHEN THE TERM "FTA AWARD" OR "AWARD" IS USED, EITHER IN THIS GRANT AGREEMENT OR THE APPLICABLE MASTER AGREEMENT, "AWARD" ALSO INCLUDES ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH IN THIS GRANT AGREEMENT.

FTA OR THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MAY WITHDRAW ITS OBLIGATION TO PROVIDE FEDERAL ASSISTANCE IF THE RECIPIENT DOES NOT EXECUTE THIS GRANT AGREEMENT WITHIN 90 DAYS FOLLOWING FTA's AWARD DATE SET FORTH HEREIN.

FTA AWARD

Federal Transit Administration (FTA) hereby awards a Federal Grant as follows:

Recipient Information

Recipient Name: FORT BEND COUNTY

Recipient ID: 6479

UEI: MJG8N8EPN2L3

DUNS: 081497075

Award Information

Federal Award Identification Number: TX-2024-002-00

Award Name: Fort Bend County, FY2022 5307 Capital Items, Park & Ride Lot License, 3rd Party Contracting, Mobility Mgmt, Operating Assistance, and Planning

Award Start Date: 1/29/2024

Original Award End Date: 5/1/2028

Current Award End Date: 5/1/2028

Award Executive Summary: The purpose of this award is for Bus Support Equipment, Misc Software, Software Maintenance, Capital Items, Vehicle Inspections, Park & Ride Lot License, 3rd party Contracting, Education and Training, Mobility Mgmt, Operating Assistance, Program Support, and Planning using FY2022 5307 funding in the amount of \$5,650,000 and TDCs in the amount of \$1,535,549 approved by HGAC on 7/28/2023. TDC documentation is found in the "July 2023 TPC TIP Amendment" attachment and a reconciliation excel is attached for cross reference. A Split letter is also attached.

1% Security Requirement: METRO has a full time police and security workforce which is funded with local dollars every fiscal year for an amount that far exceeds the 1% requirement. As complete in prior apportionment years, METRO will exercise the use of METRO's police and security expenses to satisfy this requirement.

0.75% Safety Requirement: FBT allocated \$212,900 towards safety and surveillance equipment and maintenance, which is 3.77% of the total budget and exceeds the 0.75% requirement.

There were no federal funds used for lobbying.

Fort Bend County does not directly operate services. All services are provided via a third-party contract for bus services.

Fort Bend County does not anticipate to purchase equipment with an individual cost of more than \$5,000.

The contract award dates require pre award authority.

Research and Development: This award does not include research and development activities.

Indirect Costs: This award does not include an indirect cost rate.

Suballocation Funds: Recipient organization is suballocated these apportioned funds and can apply for and receive these funds directly.

Pre-Award Authority: This award is using Pre-Award Authority.

Award Budget

Total Award Budget: \$5,650,000.00

Amount of Federal Assistance Obligated for This FTA Action (in U.S. Dollars): \$5,650,000.00

Amount of Non-Federal Funds Committed to This FTA Action (in U.S. Dollars): \$0.00

Total FTA Amount Awarded and Obligated (in U.S. Dollars): \$5,650,000.00

Total Non-Federal Funds Committed to the Overall Award (in U.S. Dollars): \$0.00

Award Budget Control Totals

(The Budget includes the individual Project Budgets (Scopes and Activity Line Items) or as attached)

Funding Source	Section of Statute	CFDA Number	Amount
5307 - Urbanized Area Formula Grants (2013 and forward)	5307-2A	20507	\$5,650,000
Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$1,535,549
Adjustment			\$0
Total Eligible Cost			\$5,650,000

(The Transportation Development Credits are not added to the amount of the Total Award Budget.)

U.S. Department of Labor Certification of Public Transportation Employee Protective Arrangements:

DOL Decision: DOL Concur - Certified
DOL Review Date: 1/29/2024
DOL Certification Date: 1/29/2024

Special Conditions

There are no special conditions.

FINDINGS AND DETERMINATIONS

By signing this Award on behalf of FTA, I am making all the determinations and findings required by federal law and regulations before this Award may be made.

FTA AWARD OF THE GRANT AGREEMENT

Awarded By:
Gail Lyssy
Regional Administrator
FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Contact Info: gail.lyssy@dot.gov
Award Date: 1/29/2024

EXECUTION OF THE GRANT AGREEMENT

Upon full execution of this Grant Agreement by the Recipient, the Effective Date will be the date FTA or the Federal Government awarded Federal assistance for this Grant Agreement.

By executing this Grant Agreement, the Recipient intends to enter into a legally binding agreement in which the Recipient:

- (1) Affirms this FTA Award,
- (2) Adopts and ratifies all of the following information it has submitted to FTA:
 - (a) Statements,
 - (b) Representations,
 - (c) Warranties,
 - (d) Covenants, and
 - (e) Materials,
- (3) Consents to comply with the requirements of this FTA Award, and
- (4) Agrees to all terms and conditions set forth in this Grant Agreement.

Executed By:
KP George
County Judge
FORT BEND COUNTY
2/15/2024