

## City Council – Action Request Form

**Date:** August 12, 2024

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**To:** Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore, and Members of the City Council

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**From:** Aaron King, Assistant City Manager  
Jeff Fansler, Director of Transportation

**Council Action Requested:**  
 Items Relating to Federal Transit Administration’s Federal Fiscal Years 2023 and 2024 Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Grant Awards for Eligible Recipients:

- a. Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Enter into Grant Agreements with Approved Subrecipients of Allocated Pass-Through Funds for FTA Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Grant Programs.
- b. Project Budget Ordinance Amendment to Appropriate Pass-Through of Federal Transit Administration Funds from the City to Section 5310 Subrecipients
- c. Tables with the FTA Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Allocation of Project Funds in the Winston-Salem Urban Area.

**Strategic Focus Area:** Quality Transportation  
**Strategic Objective:** Enhance Public Transit  
**Strategic Plan Action Item:** No  
**Key Work Item:** No



**Summary of Information:**

The Winston-Salem Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (WSUAMPO) is a direct recipient of the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities grant programs. This federal program assists eligible entities in meeting the transportation needs of disabled and elderly populations in the WSUAMPO area. For the 2023 Federal Fiscal Year (FFY), there was \$548,656 available for Section 5310 funding. For the 2024 FFY, there was \$582,085 available for Section 5310 funding.

In order to award these funds, the WSUAMPO held an extended 30-day call for projects between May 13 and June 20, 2024, and conducted an applicant workshop on May 23, 2024.

**Committee Action:**

<b>Committee</b>	Committee of the Whole 8/12/2024	<b>Action</b>	Approval
<b>For</b>	Unanimous	<b>Against</b>	
<b>Remarks:</b>			

The WSUAMPO staff received six applications for Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities funding. These agencies provide an estimated 3,580 clients with 126,250 trips per year. Applications were reviewed by the Greensboro Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization in accordance with the WSUAMPO guidelines for this competitive selection process. This process is based on the Federal Circulars for each program and is included in the Program Management Plan, Coordinated Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan and the City's Allocation Policy for review of applications.

Attachment A is a table of the available funding during this FFY 2023 call for projects. Attachment B is a table of the available funding during this FFY 2024 call for projects. Both attachments list the amount of funding requested, each application's score, and the final recommendation as adopted by the Transportation Advisory Committee at their July 2024 meeting.