

## City Council – Action Request Form

**Date:** August 9, 2021

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

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**From:** Damon Dequenne, Assistant City Manager  
Toneq' McCullough, Director of Transportation

**Council Action Requested:**  
Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Enter into an Agreement with Davidson County Transportation for the Receipt of Federal Transit Administration Section 5307 American Rescue Plan (ARP) Funding for Federal Fiscal Year 2021 Funds

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



**Summary of Information:**

The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP), which President Biden signed on March 11, 2021 includes \$30.5 billion in federal funding to support the nation’s public transportation systems as they continue to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic and support the President’s call to vaccinate the US population. For urbanized areas with 200,000 in population and over, funds are apportioned and flow directly to a designated recipient selected locally to apply for and receive Federal funds. The Winston-Salem Urban Area has \$11,269,168 in Section 5307 funds available. The City of Winston-Salem is the designated recipient of this funding for the Winston-Salem Urbanized Area.

The Winston-Salem Urban Area Transportation Advisory Committee approved the apportionments to the three eligible sub-recipients and Job Access and Reverse Commute (JARC) agencies for funding. Winston-Salem Transit Authority receives \$9,034,815, JARC services will utilize a total of \$115,076 the Piedmont Authority for Regional Transportation (PART) receives \$1,338,491, and Davidson County Transportation receives \$780,786. Davidson County Transportation will serve as a sub-recipient to the City of Winston-Salem for these funds.

**Committee Action:**

<b>Committee</b>	Finance 8/9/2021	<b>Action</b>	Approval
<b>For</b>	Unanimous	<b>Against</b>	

**Remarks:**