

RESOLUTION NO. 92986-0315

**SET TIME AND PLACE FOR PUBLIC HEARING ON ANNUAL
APPLICATION FOR STATE AND FEDERAL TRANSIT FUNDS**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Muscatine, Iowa has heretofore granted preliminary approval of the proposed Fiscal Year 2015/2016 Application for State and Federal transit funds; and

WHEREAS, the proposed project is to be paid for out of funds legally available for that purpose;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by this Council that:

SECTION I: On April 2, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, Muscatine, Iowa, this Council shall hold a public hearing of the plans, specifications, form of contract, and cost estimates for this proposed project.

SECTION II: The City Clerk shall give notice of such public hearing by publication of a notice in the Muscatine Journal. The notice shall be in the following form:

(NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ATTACHED)

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED THIS 5th DAY OF MARCH, 2015.



CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUSCATINE, IOWA

DeWayne Hopkins, Mayor

ATTEST:

Gregg Mandsager, City Administrator



1459 Washington St.
Muscatine, IA 52761-5040
(563) 263-8933
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Public Works

City Transit
263-8152

MEMORANDUM

Equipment Maintenance
Roadway Maintenance
Collection & Drainage
Building & Grounds
Engineering

To: Gregg Mandsager, City Administrator
CC: Fran Donelson, Secretary
FROM: Kristy Korpi, Transit Supervisor
DATE: March 2, 2015
RE: Annual Transit Funding Application

INTRODUCTION:

Annually, the City of Muscatine is required to submit an application to the Iowa Department of Transportation for State and Federal Transit funds.

BACKGROUND:

The City of Muscatine relies on State (STA) and Federal (FTA) Transit Funds to support the city's transit operation. As part of the City's application it is anticipated the city will receive \$366,100 in federal assistance and \$231,212 in state assistance for FFY 2016. The federal and state assistance for operating \$366,100 and \$231,212, respectively do not require a match from the City of Muscatine.

Capital assistance for the replacement of two buses, #240 and #241 for FFY 2015/16 is included in the application. This is a rather optimistic inclusion. The programmed cost per each 176" bus would be \$97,000. The City would be responsible for 15% or \$14,500 per bus, \$29,000 total. Capital funding if granted would cover the remaining \$164,900.

RECOMMENDATION/RATIONALE:

It is the recommendation of the Public Works staff for the Council to approve the Fiscal Year 2015/2016 Application for State and Federal Transit Funds.

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

I, Jeff Lee, being duly sworn, on my oath, say that I am an advertising clerk at the *Muscatine Journal*, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of Muscatine, Muscatine County, Iowa; and that the following Notice:

Muscatine City Clerk

Public Notice

Application For State And Federal Transit Funds

Of which the annexed printed slip is a true, correct and complete copy, was published in said *Muscatine Journal* one time having been made there in on:

March 10, 2015

Jeff Lee

STATE OF IOWA
MUSCATINE COUNTY

10th day of March 2015

Stefanie D Trinh
Stefanie D. Trinh, Notary Public

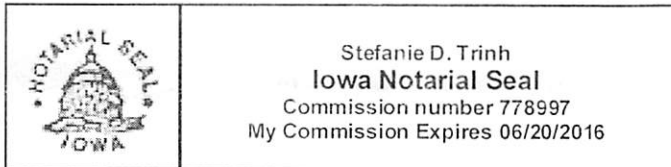
**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE
OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON FISCAL YEAR 2015/2016
APPLICATION FOR STATE AND
FEDERAL TRANSIT FUNDS**

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Muscatine, Iowa, will hold a Public Hearing at Council Chambers, Muscatine City Hall, 215 Sycamore Street, Muscatine, Iowa, on April 2, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering estimates of financial operating assistance from the Federal Transit Administration (FTA section 5311) and the Iowa Department of Transportation for Iowa State Transit assistance (STA). These funds are for operating assistance for the Fiscal Year 2015/2016. MuscaBus City Transit will request funding as shown below:

Operating Funds:
Federal (FTA section 5311) \$ 366,109
State (STA) \$ 231,212
Statewide Federal Capital Assistance (Replacement \$194,000 Buses); Two, LD, 176" wb buses. (FTA Section 5339)
Each \$97,000. Funded at 85/15., \$82,450 per bus, \$164,900 for both.

All interested persons are invited to attend and will be given an opportunity to be heard relative to this matter. Written and telephone comments can be directed to Kristy Korpi, Supervisor for Muscatine City Transit System (MuscaBus), 1459 Washington Street, Muscatine, Iowa 52761; (563) 263-8152. All comments should be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on April 2, 2015.

Gregg Mandsager, City Clerk



TRANSIT JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT
TO IMPLEMENT A
STATE TRANSIT ASSISTANCE (STA)
FORMULA PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Iowa Department of Transportation (hereinafter called the DEPARTMENT) is authorized under Chapter 324A of the Code of Iowa to provide State Transit Assistance to Iowa's public transit systems, and

WHEREAS, the **Muscatine City Transit System (City of Muscatine -- Muscabus)** (hereinafter called the AGENCY) has been duly designated as a public transit system by local officials, in accordance with Chapter 324A of the Code, and

WHEREAS, the DEPARTMENT has approved funding for the AGENCY as described below:

Description of Project Element	% of Available STA	Estimated Formula Allocation
1. Formula Support of Public Transit Services (may be used for any operating or capital expenses required for support of AGENCY'S public transit services)	1.657223%	\$231,212


NOW, THEREFORE, THE DEPARTMENT AND THE AGENCY HAVE AGREED THAT THE AGENCY shall proceed with implementation of the above-described project, subject to such policies, procedures and conditions as have been established by the DEPARTMENT and which are documented in Part II of this AGREEMENT (found at http://www.iowadot.gov/transit/joint_participation.html).

BE IT FURTHER AGREED THAT THE DEPARTMENT shall advance on a monthly basis, 1/12th of the above-described funds to the AGENCY for support of eligible costs to be incurred, as long as all reporting requirements have been met.

THIS AGREEMENT TO BE IN EFFECT from **July 1, 2015** through **June 30, 2016**.

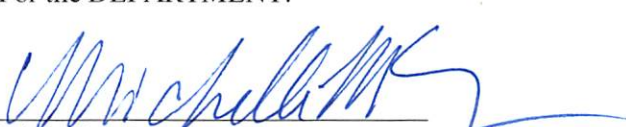
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereunto have caused this AGREEMENT to be executed by their proper officials thereunto duly authorized as of the dates below indicated, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises and representations herein.

For The AGENCY:



DeWayne Hopkins, Mayor
City of Muscatine

For the DEPARTMENT:



Michelle McEnany, Director
Office of Public Transit
Iowa Department of Transportation

TRANSIT JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT
TO IMPLEMENT A FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA)
NON-URBAN OPERATING ASSISTANCE PROJECT
[CFDA 20.509]

WHEREAS, the Iowa Department of Transportation (hereinafter called the DEPARTMENT) has, in accordance with Chapter 324A of the Code of Iowa, secured a grant under 49 U.S.C. 5311 from the Federal Transit Administration on behalf of Iowa public transit systems, and

WHEREAS, the **City of Muscatine (MuscaBus)** (hereinafter called the AGENCY) has been duly designated as a public transit system by local officials, in accordance with Chapter 324A of the Code, and

WHEREAS, Grant IA-18-X031 includes the project detailed below, programmed for the AGENCY:

Description of Project Element	FTA Code	Federal Funds Ceiling	% Federal Participation
1. SFY2016 Operating Assistance	30.09.01	\$ 247,575	50%
Total Federal Ceiling:		\$ 247,575	


NOW, THEREFORE, THE DEPARTMENT AND THE AGENCY HAVE AGREED THAT THE AGENCY shall proceed with implementation of the above-described project, subject to all terms, conditions and obligations connected with the federal grant, and also subject to such policies, procedures and conditions as have been established by the DEPARTMENT and which are documented in Part II of this AGREEMENT (found at http://www.iowadot.gov/transit/joint_participation.html).

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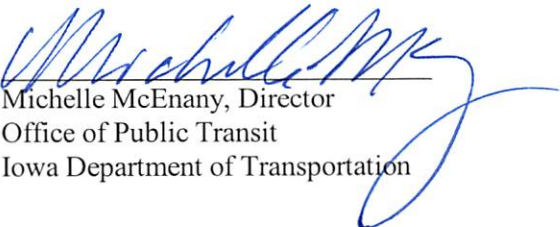
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For the DEPARTMENT:


Stuart Anderson, Director
Planning, Programing and Modal Division
Iowa Department of Transportation