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## Resolution for a Public Transportation Grant Agreement - Public Transit Block Grant Program for RTS Operating Assistance for FY 2021/2022 (B)

This item is a request to adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a Public Transportation Grant Agreement (PTGA) between the City of Gainesville and Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) to accept the allocation for Gainesville of $\$ 2,371,784$ from the Public Transit Block Grant Program for FY 2021/2022 Operating Assistance.

FDOT allocates state block grant funds for public transit systems each year. The allocations are based on a three -part formula that includes population, ridership, and vehicle miles operated. For FY 2021/2022, the allocation for Gainesville is $\$ 2,371,784$, an increase of $\$ 58,370$ from last year's allocation. The RTS block grant provides a $100 \%$ reimbursement for eligible operating costs associated with operating, maintaining, and managing a transportation system.

FDOT requires the governing board of each public transit system to adopt a resolution authorizing the acceptance of these funds.

Strategic Recommendation: This item is connected to Goal 3: A Great Place to Live and Experience in the City's Strategic Plan and is a high priority item

The Public Transportation Grant Agreement provides a $100 \%$ reimbursement for eligible operating costs associated with operating, maintaining, and managing a transportation system. This grant provides $\$ 2,371,784$ in funding and does not require any matching City funds.

The City Commission adopt the Resolution.

