

**FACT SHEET**

**CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA**

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**TITLE**

An Ordinance Amending the 2024 Budget for Contractual Services Provided to SporTran by Metro Management Associates, Inc. and to Otherwise Provide With Respect Thereto

**DATE**

9/9/2024

**ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT**

CAO

**COUNCIL DISTRICT**

N/A

**SPONSOR**

No Sponsor

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**PURPOSE**

To add \$1,971,150 to the SporTran budget to fund the City’s share of a Federal grant to purchase replacement buses.

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**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

SporTran has recently learned that it can receive a Federal grant of more than \$11.1 million to purchase replacement buses, if the City can provide the 15% match of \$1,971,150. This ordinance provides those funds.

There are companion General Fund and Capital Budget ordinances necessary to accomplish this transfer of funds.

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**TIMETABLE**

Introduction: 09/10/2024

Final Passage: 09/24/2024

**ATTACHMENTS**

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**SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS**

None

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**FINANCES**

\$ \$1,971,150, to match \$11,169,846 in Federal funds.

**SOURCE OF FUNDS**

General Fund

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**ALTERNATIVES**

(1) Adopt the ordinance as submitted, or (2) amend the ordinance, or (3) reject the ordinance.

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**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended the City Council adopt the ordinance.

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