

TOLEDO AREA REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION NO. 14-25

AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF GRANT APPLICATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2025

WHEREAS, the Secretary of Transportation is authorized to assist public transportation projects; and

WHEREAS, the contract for financial assistance will entail specific obligations on the part of the applicant, necessitating the provision of the local share of project costs within the program; and

WHEREAS, it is required by the U.S. Department of Transportation in accord with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, that in connection with the filing of an application for assistance under the Federal Transit Act, as amended, the applicant give an assurance that it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the U.S. Department of Transportation requirements there under; and

WHEREAS, it is the goal of the applicant that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's) be utilized to the fullest extent possible in connection with federally funded projects, and that definite procedures shall be established and administered to ensure that disadvantaged businesses shall have the maximum construction contracts, supplies, equipment contracts, or other services; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Executive Officer will publish a proposed program of projects for federal 5307 formula funds for fiscal year 2025 and solicit public comment thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOLEDO AREA REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> That the Chief Executive Officer is authorized to file an application on behalf of the Toledo Area Regional Transit Authority with the U.S. Department of Transportation, to aid in the financing of operating and capital assistance projects for the year 2025.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> That the Chief Executive Officer is authorized to execute and file with such applications an assurance, or any other document required by the U.S. Department of Transportation effectuating the purpose of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

SECTION 3. That the Chief Executive Officer is authorized to furnish such additional

information as the U.S. Department of Transportation may require in connection with any application.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> That the Chief Executive Officer is authorized to set forth and execute affirmative disadvantaged business policies in connection with the project's procurement needs.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> That the Chief Executive Officer is authorized to execute grant agreements on behalf of the Toledo Area Regional Transit Authority with the U.S. Department of Transportation for aid in the financing of this project.

SECTION 6. That this resolution shall be effective immediately upon its adoption.

ATTEST:	President	

ADOPTED: March 20, 2025

Secretary-Treasurer