## A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BRUNSWICK AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING FROM THE NJTRANSIT SECTION 5310 PROGRAM TO PURCHASE A NEW BUS FOR THE SENIOR CENTER

**WHEREAS,** the Township of North Brunswick desires to apply for and receive a grant from NJ Transit's Section 5310 Program to purchase a new bus for the Senior Center; and

**WHEREAS,** the Township of North Brunswick Senior Center is looking to phase out the 2011 Ford Minibus, with 46,506 miles, 16 passenger vehicle, utilized for day trips and senior programs; and

**WHEREAS,** the goal is to acquire a larger bus, up to 25-30 passengers, to accommodate bus trips to local venues vs. having to charter buses and keep the program in-house

**WHEREAS**, for vehicle awards, no match is required from the applicant (sub-recipients). NJ TRANSIT provides the twenty percent (20%) local match requirement for capital costs of vehicles and equipment (subject to the availability of funds); therefore, any agency approved for a vehicle or equipment will be covered at 100%; and

**WHEREAS,** depending on NJ Transit they type of award (i.e. acquisition of transportation services, travel training, and/or planning projects), up to a 20% match may be required; and

WHEREAS, the Township of North Brunswick agrees to provide its matching share, if required; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Council of the Township of North Brunswick that the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute the application for such a grant and other documents necessary in connection therewith.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Council recognizes and accepts that the Department may offer a lesser amount and, therefore, upon receipt of the grant agreement from NJ Transit, the Council does further authorize the execution of any such grant agreement and upon receipt of the fully executed agreement from the Department, does further authorize the expenditure of the funds pursuant to the terms of the agreement between the Township of North Brunswick and NJ Transit.

Cavel Gallimore Chief Financial Officer Justine Progebin Business Administrator Ronald Gordon, Esq. Township Attorney Approved as to legal form

## **RECORDED VOTE:**

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOTES
CHEDID				
HUTCHINSON				
MEHTA				
DAVIS				
SOCIO				
GUADAGNINO				
MAYOR WOMACK				

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was duly adopted by the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick, County of Middlesex, at its meeting held on February 3, 2025.

Lisa Russo Township Clerk