

**Winston-Salem Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization
Transportation Advisory Committee
Action Request**

Meeting Date: May 19, 2022 **Agenda Item Number:** 6

Action Requested: Review of a request to modify the Winston-Salem Urban Area Fiscal Year 2017-2023 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program (MTIP) for Fiscal Years 2018 and 2019 Job Access and Reverse Commute projects and Fiscal Years 2017, 2018, and 2019 Section 5310 projects for reallocation.

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION: **Attachments:** Yes X No

The Winston-Salem Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (WSUAMPO) staff is requesting the reallocation of funding for several awards across FTA Section 5310 and 5307 – JARC. Subrecipients utilize 5310 and 5307 – JARC funding to provide transportation access for the elderly and for individuals with disabilities, and for individuals requiring transportation to access jobs where they would otherwise not have access. Redistributing these funds to subrecipients we are certain will be able to use those funds to support community needs is one of the primary goals in transit management so that prior year funding grants can be closed. This will also allow for easier transition processes in future fiscal years.

For FY19 Section 5310, the Town of Kernersville will relinquish \$45,000 which will be redistributed to three other subrecipients, because they have outstanding reimbursement balances for previous years. For Fiscal Years 2017 and 2018 Section 5310, Wake Forest Baptist Health Campus will relinquish \$8,905 from both years because use of this funding was not pursued by their agency.

For FY20 JARC, Horizons Residential Care, for FY2019 JARC, Community Transportation Program (CTP), and for FY2018 JARC, Winston-Salem Urban League will relinquish reimbursement awards to be redistributed to subrecipients in need of further funding. Horizons could not meet the intended uses of the funding, while CTP and the Urban League were affected by COVID-19.

The attached tables reference what subrecipients are having their funds redistributed, as well as which subrecipients will be receiving further funds for future reimbursement. This item is being brought to TAC as a group so many reallocations can take place at one time and make way for further and more efficient reallocations as needed.

TAC Vote: Motion by: _____ **Second by:** _____

Vote: For _____ **Against** _____

RESOLUTION
MODIFYING THE WINSTON-SALEM URBAN AREA FISCAL YEAR 2017-2023
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (MTIP)
LIST OF FISCAL YEARS 2018 AND 2019 JOB ACCESS AND REVERSE COMMUTE
AND FISCAL YEARS 2017, 2018, AND 2019 SECTION 5310 PROJECTS FOR
REALLOCATION

A motion was made by TAC Member _____ and seconded by TAC Member ____ for the adoption of the following resolution, and upon being put to a vote was duly adopted.

WHEREAS, the Public Transportation-Human Services Coordination Plan for the Winston-Salem Urban Area was adopted by the MPO on March 20, 2008, and provides the framework and guidelines for the competitive selection process for JARC and Section 5310 funds for the MPO; and

WHEREAS, the Winston-Salem Urban Area MPO approved the program of projects for the Section 5310 and JARC funding in Fiscal Years 2017 through 2019 after a competitive selection process; and

WHEREAS, after awarding the grant funds, three applicants did not undergo contracts for reimbursements and one applicant found they could not manage the level of funding they were awarded and have enough money from previous fiscal years; and

WHEREAS, the current project recipients were given the opportunity to receive additional funding allocated proportionally to their original grant award and the remaining funds were distributed proportionally to the current recipients financially capable of managing additional funding; and

WHEREAS, the federally approved Program Management Plan (PMP) for the FTA Section 5310 and JARC grants authorizes the reallocation of funds to project subrecipients.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Transportation Advisory Committee approves the reallocation of prior year funding to current project recipients shown on the attached table labeled - *Winston-Salem Urban Area FY 17 Revised Section 5310, FY18 Revised Section 5310, FY19 Revised Section 5310 and JARC Grants - Reallocation Recommendations*.

Adopted on this the 21st day of May, 2022.

Mike Horn, Chairman
Transportation Advisory Committee

Kelly Garvin, Secretary
Transportation Advisory Committee

Winston-Salem Urban Area
Fiscal Year 2019 Section 5310 Grant Program – Reallocation Recommendations
2017-2023 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program Modifications
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Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities (FTA Section 5310)	Program of Projects	2019 Grant Award Amount	2019 Proposed Additional Award Amount	2019 Proposed Total Award Amount
Shepherd's Center of Winston-Salem	Provides transportation services to medical appointments and grocery shopping assistance for senior adults and individuals with disabilities in the Winston-Salem and Forsyth County areas.	\$175,000	\$4,425	\$179,425
The Workshop of Davidson	Provides transportation services for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities to access the vocational and life skills training programs provided by the agency.	\$60,000	\$25,629	\$85,629
Shepherd's Center of Kernersville	Provides transportation services to medical appointments and grocery shopping assistance for seniors and individuals with disabilities.	\$26,100	\$14,947	\$41,047
Davidson County Department of Senior Services	Provides transportation services enabling seniors in the northern portion of Davidson County to go to medical appointments, nutrition sites and community social activities.	\$35,000	Could not take additional funds	\$35,000
WSTA	Supplements the transit authority's Title III paratransit service. These services provide medical and transportation trips for those persons 60 years and older.	\$16,380	Could not take additional funds	\$16,380
Enrichment Center	Provides transportation services for inclusive community outings for seniors and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.	\$6,250	Could not take additional funds	\$6,250
Town of Kernersville	Provides safe door to door transportation services twice a week to seniors and disabled individuals for recreational and social activities.	\$45,000	Balance reduced due to outstanding balances from previous fiscal years.	\$0
Total Funding		\$363,729		\$363,729

Winston-Salem Urban Area
Fiscal Year 2018 Section 5310 Grant Program – Reallocation Recommendations
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Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities (FTA Section 5310)	Program of Projects	2018 Grant Award Amount	2018 Proposed Additional Award Amount	2018 Proposed Total Award Amount
Shepherd's Center of Winston-Salem	Provides transportation services to medical appointments and grocery shopping assistance for senior adults and individuals with disabilities in the Winston-Salem and Forsyth County areas.	\$155,000	\$8,905	\$163,905
WSTA	Supplements the transit authority's Title III paratransit service. These services provide medical and transportation trips for those persons 60 years and older.	\$138,465	Could not take additional funds	\$138,465
Town of Kernersville	Provides safe door to door transportation services twice a week to seniors and disabled individuals for recreational and social activities.	\$45,000	Could not take additional funds	\$45,000
Enrichment Center	Provides transportation services for inclusive community outings for seniors and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.	\$10,000	Could not take additional funds	\$10,000
Wake Forest Baptist Health Downtown Plaza	Provides transportation services to senior citizens and/or disabled patients needing access to clinics.	\$8,905	Balance reduced due to not signing contract to have funds reimbursed.	\$0
Total Funding		\$357,370		\$357,370

Winston-Salem Urban Area
Fiscal Year 2017 Section 5310 Grant Program – Reallocation Recommendations
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Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities (FTA Section 5310)	Program of Projects	2017 Grant Award Amount	2017 Proposed Additional Award Amount	2017 Proposed Total Award Amount
Shepherd's Center of Winston-Salem	Provides transportation services to medical appointments and grocery shopping for senior adults and individuals with disabilities in the Winston-Salem and Forsyth County areas.	\$174,000	\$6,000	\$180,000
WSTA	Supplements the transit authority's Title III paratransit service. These services provide medical and transportation trips for those persons 60 years and older.	\$94,498	Could not take additional funds	\$94,498
Here 2 There	Provides transportation services to senior citizens and the disabled in the Winston-Salem and Forsyth County area.	\$75,000	\$2,905	\$77,905
Town of Kernersville	Provides safe door to door transportation services twice a week to seniors and disabled individuals for recreational and social activities.	\$40,000	Could not take additional funds	\$40,000
Enrichment Center	Provides transportation services for inclusive community outings for seniors and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.	\$30,000	Could not take additional funds	\$30,000
Wake Forest Baptist Health Downtown Plaza	Provides transportation services to senior citizens and/or disabled patients needing access to clinics.	\$8,905	Balance reduced due to not signing contract to have funds reimbursed.	\$0
Total Funding		\$422,403		\$422,403

Winston-Salem Urban Area
Fiscal Year 2020 5307 JARC Grant Program – Reallocation Recommendations
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Job Access and Reverse Commute (FTA Section 5307)	Program of Projects	2017 Grant Award Amount	2017 Proposed Additional Award Amount	2017 Proposed Total Award Amount
Support Systems of Forsyth County	Provides employee transportation services from home to work and work to home, especially during times when public transit is not operating or in places that transit cannot reach.	\$25,000	\$6,000	\$31,000
WSTA	Provides essential transportation services for low-income persons in the Winston-Salem area to employment centers.	\$24,000	Could not take additional funds	\$24,000
Horizons Residential Care	Provides van service transportation for its employees who have inadequate access to public transportation to reach their jobs.	\$6,000	Balance reduced due to not meeting original intended use of funding.	\$0
Total Funding		\$55,000		\$55,000

Winston-Salem Urban Area
Fiscal Year 2019 5307 JARC Grant Program – Reallocation Recommendations
2017-2023 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program Modifications
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Job Access and Reverse Commute (FTA Section 5307)	Program of Projects	2017 Grant Award Amount	2017 Proposed Additional Award Amount	2017 Proposed Total Award Amount
Support Systems of Forsyth County	Provides employee transportation services from home to work and work to home, especially during times when public transit is not operating or in places that transit cannot reach.	\$16,750	\$19,250	\$36,000
WSTA	Provides essential transportation services for low-income persons in the Winston-Salem area to employment centers.	\$19,000	Could not take additional funds	\$19,000
Community Transportation Program	Offers free transportation services to residents in the low-income housing projects and the coverage areas as defined by the Winston Salem Urban Metropolitan Planning Organization.	\$19,250	Balance reduced due to not signing contract to have funds reimbursed.	\$0
Total Funding		\$55,000		\$55,000

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Fiscal Year 2018 Section 5307 JARC Grant Program – Reallocation
Recommendations
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Job Access and Reverse Commute (FTA Section 5310)	Program of Projects	2017 Grant Award Amount	2017 Proposed Additional Award Amount	2017 Proposed Total Award Amount
Winston-Salem Urban League	Provides employee transportation services from home to work and work to home, especially during times when public transit is not operating or in places that transit cannot reach.	\$66,350	Balance reduced due to not signing contract to have funds reimbursed	\$0
WSTA/City Funds	Provides essential transportation services for low-income persons in the Winston-Salem area to employment centers.	\$0	\$66,350	\$66,350
Total Funding		\$66,350		\$66,350