REDWOOD COAST TRANSIT AUTHORITY **MINUTES**

November 27, 2023, AT 5:30 P.M.

ATTENDED: KELLY SCHELLONG (VICE CHAIR), VIDETTE ROBERTS, RAY ALTMAN, DARREN SHORT

ABSENT: JOEY BORGES (CHAIRMAN)

ALSO PRESENT: JOSEPH RYE, FERNANDO HERNANDEZ, DOMINIC MASSEO, ALICIA FERREIRA

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER. ROLL CALL. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Director Schellong called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. Alicia Ferreira conducted roll call. Director Schellong led the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

The following person(s) addressed the Board: NONE

3. CONSENT CALENDAR

3A. APPROVE LCTOP CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN (CAP) MOVING \$52,066 TO FREE FARES **PROGRAM**

3B. APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 30, 2023 RCTA MEETING

On a motion by Director SHORT, seconded by Director ALTMAN, and unanimously carried on a polled vote the Redwood Coast Transit Authority Board of Directors approved the Consent Agenda items 3A-3B.

4. PRESENTATION ON WILLIAMS DRIVE BUS CHARGING INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING & PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING

Discussion was held regarding Presentation on Williams Drive Bus Charging Infrastructure Planning & Preliminary Engineering.

ADOPT RESOLUTION 2023-24-10 APPROVING ALLOCATON PLAN FOR RCTA SB 125 FUNDING FROM DEL NORTE LOCAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION TO AUGMENT EXISTING TIRCP-**FUNDED RCTA CAPITAL PROJECTS**

Discussion was held regarding Adoption of Resolution 2023-24-10 Approving the SB 125 Allocation Plan for RCTA Funding from Del Norte Local Transportation Commission to Augment Existing TIRCP-Funding RCTA Capital Projects.

PUBLIC COMMENT: TAMARA LEIGHTON

On a motion by Director SHORT, seconded by Director ROBERTS, and unanimously carried on a polled vote the Redwood Coast Transit Authority Board of Directors approved and adopted Resolution 2023-24-10 authorizing Allocation Plan For RCTA SB 125 funding from Del Norte Local Transportation Commission to Augment Existing TIRCP-Funding RCTA Capital Projects.

6. APPROVE AGREEMENT WITH GREEN DOT TRANSPORTATION FOR SB 125 FUNDING SUPPORT AND MISCELLANEOUS DOWNTOWN TRANSIT CENTER PLANNING SUPPORT FOR 2024 On a motion by Director SHORT, seconded by Director ALTMAN, and unanimously carried on a polled vote, the Redwood Coast Transit Board Authority of Directors approved Agreement With Green Dot Transportation For SB 125 Funding Support and Miscellaneous Downtown Transit Center Planning Support For 2024.

7. APPROVE PURCHASE ORDER 2023-24-20 TO ENDERA MOTORS FOR PURCHASE OF ELECTRIC BUS

Discussion was held to Approve Purchase Order 2023-24-20 to Endera Motors for Purchase of Electric Bus.

On a motion by Director SHORT, seconded by Director ROBERTS, and unanimously carried on a polled vote the Redwood Coast Transit Board Authority of Directors approved and adopted Purchase Order 2023-24-20 to Endera Motors for Purchase of Electric Bus.

- 8. UPDATE ON FARE INCREASE PUBLIC OUTREACH PLAN AND IMPLEMENTATION TIMEFRAME
- 9. DISCUSSION OF APRIL 2024 INCREASE IN CALIFORNIA MINIMUM WAGE FOR FAST FOOD EMPLOYEES-RCTA IMPACTS
- 10. MANAGEMENT REPORT TRANSDEV GENERAL MANAGER

Mr. Hernandez introduced Dominic Masseo the new Tech-In-Charge (Maintenance Manager)

11. RCTA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The following Directors commented on the following: None

12. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following Directors commented on the following: None

13. ADJOURN - Redwood Coast Transit Board of Directors adjourned the meeting at 6:21p.m. The next regular scheduled meeting will be on Monday, January 29, 2023, at 4:15 p.m.

Joseph Rye, Executive Director Redwood Coast Transit Authority