Metropolitan Council

Committee Report

Transportation Committee



Committee Meeting Date: January 13, 2025 For the Metropolitan Council: January 22, 2025

Business Item: 2025-12

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Summary of Transportation Committee Discussion/Questions

This item was on the Consent agenda.

It was moved by Carter, Toni, seconded by Cameron. Motion carried to approve all consent items.

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District(s), Member(s): NA

Policy/Legal Reference: TAB Action

Staff Prepared/Presented:

Amy Vennewitz, Deputy Director of Finance and Planning, 651-602-1058 Steve Peterson, Senior Manager, 651-602-1819 Robbie King, Planner, 651-602-1380

Division/Department: Metropolitan Transportation Services

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Background

The purpose of these two projects is to purchase five electric vehicles and construct charging stations. The total cost to purchase five electric vehicles is \$250,000 funded with \$200,000 in Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) funding and \$50,000 in local funding. The total cost to construct charging stations is \$385,000 funded with \$280,000 of Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) funding and \$105,000 in local funding.

New electric vehicles will be for the Sherburne County Government Center and the charging stations will be constructed at the Sherburne County Government Center.

Rationale

The Metropolitan Council approves formal amendments to the TIP. The projects are consistent with the Transportation Policy Plan (TPP) and meet fiscal constraint because the federal and local funds are sufficient to fully fund the projects.

Thrive Lens Analysis

This action promotes sustainability by distributing state and federal funds to vehicle electrification projects.

Funding

The projects are fully funded with federal and local funds.

Small Business Inclusion

Each of the projects included in this request is federally funded. The Minnesota Department of Transportation will oversee the federal requirements, including the DBE requirement.