



COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER _____

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DATE: 06/06/2023

SUBJECT: **APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN TARRANT COUNTY AND NORTHEAST TRANSPORTATION SERVICE FOR THE PROVISION OF TRANSPORTATION SERVICES TO SENIORS AND DISABLED RESIDENTS - PRECINCT 3**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve an agreement between Tarrant County and Northeast Transportation Service (NETS) to be used towards funding transportation services to seniors and disabled residents.

BACKGROUND

NETS provides transportation services for medical appointments, socialization, employment, essential shopping and education purposes to any resident of a participating city who is disabled or is 65 years of age or older.

NETS has experienced an increase in ridership of fifteen percent (15%) each year along with a reduction in federal grant funds and an increase in cost to maintain reliable transportation.

If approved, Tarrant County will pay NETS a lump sum payment of \$10,000.00 to provide transportation services to seniors and disabled citizens in the Cities of Bedford, Euless, Grapevine, Haltom City, Hurst, Keller, and North Richland Hills. NETS will submit a program and financial report to the County.

Future renewal of this contract will be subject to availability of funds.

The Criminal District Attorney's Office has approved this agreement as to form.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funding in the amount of \$10,000.00 is available in account 579061/26100-2023/6310100000.

SUBMITTED BY:	Commissioner PCT 3	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	S. Dee Long
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