



Legislation Text

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ITEM: RESOLUTION NO. R2015-62 (INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH PALM BEACH COUNTY TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION (PARATRANSIT) SERVICES)

A RESOLUTION OF WELLINGTON, FLORIDA'S COUNCIL APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CLERK TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH PALM BEACH COUNTY TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION SERVICES FROM OCTOBER 1, 2015 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2017; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

REQUEST: Approval of Resolution No. R2015-62 to execute an Interlocal Agreement with Palm Beach County to provide transportation services.

EXPLANATION: The Interlocal Agreement for transportation services between Palm Beach County and Wellington for the provision of paratransit services is attached. In 1999, Palm Tran eliminated Fixed Route 45 which provided regular service and ADA eligible paratransit service to Wellington. In response to the elimination of that route, the County agreed to provide paratransit services to Wellington residents who were ADA eligible individuals but whose trips were not eligible for County ADA paratransit services due to the elimination of Route 45. Attached is a detailed breakdown of riders who have utilized this service out of and into Wellington between the months of October 1, 2014 projected through September 30, 2015.

These services differ from those provided through Wellington's Senior Transportation Voucher program in that transportation is provided to locations outside of Wellington and users must be ADA certified as per the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

The agreement is for the sum of \$54,796 for FY 2016 and \$56,439.88 for FY 2017, with invoicing and reimbursement to be done on an annual basis. Both the FY16 and FY17 sums reflect a 3% increase. The agreement is effective October 1, 2015 and expires on September 30, 2017.

BUDGET AMENDMENT REQUIRED: NO

PUBLIC HEARING: NO **QUASI-JUDICIAL:**

FIRST READING: **SECOND READING:**

LEGAL SUFFICIENCY: YES

FISCAL IMPACT: Funds are budgeted in the Fiscal Year 2015/2016 Budget and will be included in the Fiscal Year 2016/2017 budgets in the sum of \$54,796 and \$56,439.88, respectively. All funding is subject to budget approval.

WELLINGTON FUNDAMENTAL: Responsive Government

RECOMMENDATION: Approval of Resolution No. R2015-62 to execute an Interlocal Agreement with Palm Beach County to provide transportation services.