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Independent Cost Estimate

For Procurement of ADA Raised Roof Van February 2022

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The Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) as the direct recipient of FTA Section 5310 funding for Virginia has stated in the FTA Section 5310 State Management Plan that after approving sub-recipients for vehicles, the agency will also submit the purchase orders for vehicles requested. DRPT has through meetings, applications, vehicle expos and capital replacement schedules found the accessible vehicles needed by the sub-recipient.

The FY22 FTA Section 5310 application demonstrated a need to solicit the ADA Raised Roof Van. This is a vehicle that can have 6 passengers and a wheelchair placement. The FY22 Section 5310 applications have a request for 20 ADA Raised Roof Vans (High Roof Van).

Being the direct recipient of 5310 funding, DRPT manages program bids for 5310 service providers. This provides efficient oversight and helps to keep costs lower for these providers procuring vehicles. Other state contacts were reviewed including West Virginia & Ohio that had purchased ADA Raised Roof Van, or similar vehicles, that met all FTA requirements and DRPT feels that the pricing is comparable to the cost that Virginia has been paying for vehicles which carry at least 6 passengers and a wheelchair in the base model.

DRPT through their review has decided to work with Virginia Department of General Services to solicit for a ADA Raised Roof Van (High Roof Van) with wheelchair accessible lift that meets all FTA large purchasing requirements.

The bid process will include delivery of vehicles with 270 days and approved warranty service locations. The bid will be written to allow other DRPT FTA recipients to purchase off the contract.

Date: 10/1/2021

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