

Clean Mobility Options Grant Acceptance: Riverside Clean Air Car Share

Public Works Department

City Council July 6, 2021

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BACKGROUND

- 1. Clean Mobility Options Voucher Pilot Program is funded through the California Climate Investments Program.
- 2. Uses Cap-And-Trade dollars.
- 3. Program objectives include reduction of greenhouse gas emissions, improve public health, and strengthen the economy in underserved communities.





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GRANT APPLICATION PARTNERSHIP STRUCTURE

- 1. Partnership with StratosShare and University of California Riverside's Center for Environmental Technology and Research.
- 2. Grant partners to manage the operations, maintenance, and monitoring of the program.
- 3. City would administer grant funds to partners.





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PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- Operation of a hydrogen fuel cell vehicle rental program.
- 2. 30 vehicles with 7 stations;



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FISCAL IMPACT

The fiscal impact of this recommendation is \$1,000,000. Upon receipt of the grant award, with at least five affirmative votes of the members of the City Council, an increase will be recorded in the Grants and Restricted Programs Fund, Clean Mobility Options Voucher Program revenue account 9409600-334300 and expenditures in the same amount will be appropriated in the Grants and Restricted Programs Fund, Clean Mobility Options Voucher Program expenditure account 9409600-440220.

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RECOMMENDATIONS

That the City Council:

- Approve the acceptance of a grant award in the amount of \$1,000,000 under the CALSTART Clean Mobility Options Voucher Pilot Program to establish a network of hydrogen fuel cell vehicles with free usage for qualifying lowincome residents in partnership with StratosShare and the University of California Riverside's Center for Environmental Research and Technology (UCR CE-CERT);
- 2. With at least five affirmative votes of the members of the City Council, authorize the Chief Financial Officer, or his designee, to record an increase in revenues and appropriate expenditures in an equal amount, in the Grants and Restricted Programs Fund, Clean Mobility Options Voucher Program accounts, and;
- 3. Authorize the City Manager, or his designee, to execute all necessary documents in the process of applying for and securing funds under the CALSTART Clean Mobility Options Voucher Pilot Program, including making minor and non-substantive changes and executing agreement amendments and extensions, subject to the availability of budgeted funds.



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