

**RESOLUTION NO. 91-2021**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS APPROVING PURCHASE OF NINE TYPE III CUTAWAY VANS FROM CREATIVE BUS SALES THROUGH TEXAS COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS' TX SMART BUY PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Abilene (City) contracts for the operation of CityLink as the City's public transit service; and

**WHEREAS**, the City receives grant funding through Federal Transportation Administration (FTA), as authorized by the Congress of the United States of America and Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) operating costs; and

**WHEREAS**, CityLink has a need to replace nine cutaway vans used for Paratransit Service; and

**WHEREAS**, CityLink received the lowest of three quotes from Creative Bus Sales through the TX Smart Buy program; and

**WHEREAS**, CityLink has funding from Federal Transit Administration (FTA) for six (6) vehicles at \$465,432.00 through the TX-2021-026 Fleet Replacement Grant and Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) grant State-U-2020-Abilene\*-00194 for three (3) vehicles at \$232,716.00.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:**

- Part 1. That the City Manager is authorized to approve the purchase of nine (9) Elkhart Coach ECII Vans from Creative Bus Sales through the TX Smart Buy program for a total cost of \$698,148.00.
- Part 2. That this resolution is effective immediately.

**ADOPTED this 10th day of June 2021**

**ATTEST:**

  
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Shawna Atkinson, City Secretary

  
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Anthony Williams, Mayor

**APPROVED:**  
  
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Stanley Smith, City Attorney

