Attachment 4



November 2, 2016

Re: Letter of support

Wichita Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (WAMPO) The Ronald Reagan Building 271 West Third Street, Suite 208 Wichita, KS 67202-1212

To Whom It May Concern,

Sedgwick County Department on Aging Annette Graham, Executive Director

Sedgwick County Transportation

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Central Plains Area Agency on Aging
Coordinated Transit District #12

The Sedgwick County Department on Aging's Transportation program is seeking to apply for Federal Transit funds to provide transportation to rural Sedgwick County residents. Sedgwick County is committed to provide the local match for Vehicle Replacement, Operating and Administration of the program. The agency's mission is to provide rural Sedgwick county residents with affordable and accessible transportation to the Wichita metro area for work, medical, social services and recreational needs.

The Transportation program is also seeking federal funds to continue its role as the administrator for the Coordinated Transit District 9 (CTD9) mandated by the state of Kansas through KDOT. The CTD9 Board has approved Sedgwick County as the administrator.

Request for FTA funds and State allocations will go as follows:

Section 5311 – Rural General Public:

Vehicle Replacement FTA (80%) \$38,540.00 Local Match (20%) \$ 9,635.00 Total \$48,175.00 Operating FTA (50%) \$128,297.00 Local Match (50%) \$128,297.00 Total \$256,594.00 Administration FTA (80%) \$48,039.20 Local Match (20%) \$12,009.80 Total \$60,049.00 5311 Grant Request \$364,818.00

Coordinated Transit CTD9 Administration:

FTA (100%) \$ 5,809.34 Match (N/A) \$ 0.00 Grant request: \$ 5,809.34

Sincerely,

Craig Perbeck