



City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Public Health and Human Services

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: August 4, 2025

Re: First Last Mile Valet Service

Executive Summary

A resolution authorizing the City Manager to sign an amendment to an agreement between First Last Mile Valet Service and the City of Columbia, MO.

Discussion

The City of Columbia received \$25.2 million in American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds to address the public health and economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. On October 2, 2023, the City Council approved a resolution that instructed staff to negotiate agreements for Council consideration utilizing the ARPA funds. On January 17th, 2024, the City Manager signed an agreement with First Last Mile for transportation services. This amendment allows for additional startup funds, and modifies Exhibit A by adding transportation services as part of a pilot "ride home" program. The adjustment reflects the City's intent to contract for the expansion of services to include this program, but does not change the amount not to exceed. All other terms of the agreement remain unchanged.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: none.

Long-Term Impact: none.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Inclusive and Equitable Community, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Mobility, Connectivity, and Accessibility, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Legislative History

| Date | Action |
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| 06/16/2025 | 06/16/2025 REP28-25 Report requested by Council Member Foster on potential implementation of a "ride home" program for unhoused individuals requesting transportation to support systems. |
| 12/16/2024 | 12/16/2024 R233-24 Authorizing an amendment to the 2024 agreement with First Last Mile Valet Service for transportation services. |
| 02/05/2024 | 2/5/24 R25-24 Authorizing a first amendment to the agreement with First Last Mile Valet Service for transportation services. |



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| 01/16/2024 | 1/16/2024 R10-24 Authorizing an agreement with First Last Mile Valet Service for transportation services. |
| 10/02/2023 | 10/02/2023 R154-23 A Resolution Allocating \$25,284,624.00 in American Rescue Plan Funds and authorizing the City Manager to negotiate any agreements or other documents consistent with such allocations. |

Suggested Council Action

Should Council agree with staff recommendations, an affirmative vote is in order.